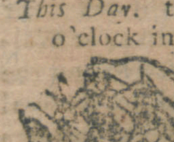
The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] SATURDAY, September 1, 1787. [No. 2675.]

Sales at Auction.

To be Sold by Public Auction,

This Day, the first of September, 1787, at seven o'clock in the evening, at the Old Coffee-House,



THE BRIG

Savannah Packet,

(Burthen about 90 tons)

NOW lying at Dawes' Wharf;——she is a new vessel, having made but one voyage, well found, and a fast sailer. Inventory of her stores to be seen at the place of sale.

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

The Sails, which are also new, to be viewed at Mason and Son's Loft, on Turnbull's Wharf.

Philadelphia, August 20, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale by public vendue, at the Old Coffee-house, in the city of Philadelphia, on Saturday the first day of September next, at seven o'clock in the evening, a certain two story brick messuage and lot of ground, situate, lying and being on the east side of Fourth-street from the river Delaware, and between Race and Arch-streets, in the city of Philadelphia; containing in front on Fourth street aforesaid 16 feet, and in length or depth 49 feet and 6 inches; bounded northward by ground (late of George Knorr) now of Israel Whilan, southward by ground of Rudolph Nail, and westward by Fourth-street: taken in execution as the property of George Knorr, and to be sold only for and during the natural life of Samuel Shoemaker, by

Joseph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, August 18, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas* to me directed, will be exposed to Sale by *Public Vendue*, at the *Old Coffee House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Saturday* the 1st day of September next, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening,—Three stone Messuages, a stone Kitchen, a frame Stable, and two Lots of Land, situate in the Northern-Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, and on the east side of the road called the Wissahiccon road, leading from Andrew Robinson's mill (now Vanderen's) to Philadelphia, and about 4 miles from the city.

No 1, Containing 7 acres and 22 perches; bounded by lands of Mouns Justason and Conrad Bensell.

No 2, Containing 4 acres; bounded by land of Cornelius Brill and the aforesaid road.

Taken in execution as the estate of Turbutt Francis, late deceased, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

On Monday Next,

The 3d Sept., at 9 o'clock in the morning, at the

Northern Liberty Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a large and general Assortment of

MERCHANDISE.

THE Auctioneers beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that *Mondays* and *Fridays* are their stated days for selling Merchandize, and finding it inconvenient to hold sales on Saturdays, they will for the future sell Houshold and Kitchen Furniture and other out-door Goods, on *Monday Mornings*, beginning precisely at 8 o'clock. Aug. 31

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

August 31

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

Public Sale of Bankupt's real Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House, on Wednesday the 5th day of September next, at six o'clock in the evening, will be Sold to the highest bidder,

A Valuable TRACT of LAND, containing twenty thousand, three hundred and thirteen and an half acres, situate, lying and being in the county of Lincoln, on the north side of and bounded by Green or Buffaloe River, in the state of Virginia; surveyed for and patented to John Garland, by virtue of a Treasury warrant, N° 19467, entered the 22d day of November, 1783, and by him conveyed to Charles Young, since a bankrupt.

This tract forms nearly a square, and is said to abound with excellent timber, and to be plentifully supplied with water from a number of large streams, which pass through it, and fall into Buffaloe River.

A plan whereof may be seen at the Bankrupt-Office, and at the place of sale.

Capt. Thomas Hutchins, Geographer General to the United States, gives the following representation of Buffaloe River, in his topographical description of Virginia, &c. which accompanies his new map of the western parts of Virginia, Pennsylvania, &c.

"Buffaloe River falls into the Ohio on the eastern side of it, at the distance of 925 computed miles from Fort Pitt. It is a very considerable branch of the Ohio; is two hundred yards wide, navigable upwards of one hundred and fifty miles for batteaus or barges of thirty feet long, five feet broad, and three feet deep, carrying about seven tons, and can be navigated much farther by large canoes. The stream is moderate. The lands on both sides of this river are of a most luxuriant quality, for the production of hemp, flax, wheat, tobacco, &c. They are covered with a great variety of lofty and useful timber, as oak, hickory, mulberry, elm, &c. Several persons who have ascended this river say, that salt springs, coal, lime, and free stone, &c. are to be found in a variety of places."

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupt-Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale. ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the Estate of Charles Young, a Bankrupt.

Philadelphia, August 14. 3awtdf

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise on commission, disposed of at private sale. Aug. 31

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,

On Tuesday, the 25th of Sept.

At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, surveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunswick township, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and some small streams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A considerable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are several mill seats.

No 2. 421 5 8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, surveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Christian Delhong, being in the same township, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract also; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well settled country, this and the foregoing tract must be very valuable.

No. 3. 353 acres of patented Land surveyed in pursuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, situate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the east side of a path leading from Little Juniata to Susquehanna, having an excellent mill seat and some small improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock township, Berks county, 58 miles distant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the last mentioned place to Lancaster, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the best fruit trees, and a cider press, a good log house, large barn, spring house, and other out houses thereon. Under and subject to the payment of the first purchase money, &c.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Assignee of the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or suits will be commenced for the recovery of the same. R. R.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787. w&stf

SECOND NOTICE.

In the Case of Samuel C. Morris,

A BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel C. Morris, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on Tuesday the 14th day of August instant, on Monday the 3d day of September following, and on Monday the 24th of the same month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the state house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees, and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice thereof to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Office, Watkins's alley, Aug. 13, 1787. 14.1.20

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your suffrages at the last Election, in placing me on the return with the present Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the ensuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,

James Ash.

Philadelphia, August 7, 1787. w&stf

To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a house in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Chesnut streets, or for a good vessel,

Two new well-finished Brick Houses;

Situate on Eleventh and Locust streets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingston.

eo1m August 17

TO BE SOLD, A

Handsome Grey Horse

5 years old, about 15 hands and a half high, fit for a carriage or saddle; Also, a new CHAISE made of the best materials. They may be seen at ISRAEL ISRAEL's stable, in Chesnut street Aug. 9. 3tw4w

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TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq: deceased, known by the name of *Clermont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

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THE Creditors to the estate of Lewis Taylor, are requested to call on ARTHUR COLLINS, the second week in September, to receive their third dividend. August 27. eo6t

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To be Sold for Funded Certificates,

A SQUARE

In the City of Philadelphia, bounded by Broad street, and divided into 44 lots.

The Plan and terms will be made known by

Mathew M'Connell,

At the *Exchange-Office* in Second street.

Aug. 27 eo4t

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell,* surviving Partner of *Mease & Caldwell*, has made an assignment of his own, as well as all the estates, both real and personal, of the said Partnership, to *Robert Millegan*, esq; attorney at law, and the subscriber, for the use of their creditors——All persons indebted to the said Partnership, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are desired to settle their respective balances on or before the 1st of October next, otherwise suits will be commenced against them without further notice: also, those who have any demands against the said Partnership, are requested to furnish their accounts to the subscriber in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Assignee to *Mease & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787. 3tawttO

To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORES adjoining, situate in Penn and Water streets, between Lombard and South streets.

July 18 w&s JOHN ANGUS.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

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FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3m JOSIAH HEWES.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port au Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the southwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

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TO BE LET,

THAT commodious HOUSE in tenure of *William Bingham*, esq; on the west side of Second street, at the corner of Lodge alley, together with the coach house, stable for six horses, garden, &c. Possession may be had in October next. Enquire of

August 30 6sp CHARLES JERVIS.

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE Partnership of ADAMS & WISTAR being dissolved; All persons indebted to them are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber, who is legally authorised to receive the same, and adjust the accounts of the late Company.

THOMAS WISTAR.

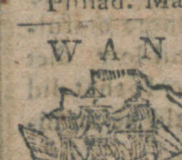
Philadelphia, 8th Mo. 20, 1787. w&f3w

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for sometime past kept the Inn in Black Horse Alley; is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third street. He begs leave to solicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and assures those gentlemen who formerly frequented that house and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themselves and horses, shall be furnished in the best and most careful manner, and on the most reasonable terms.

Philad. May 16. 3tawtf

WANTED TO CHARTER,



A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale, A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30 etf

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FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR,*
William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDI.*

August 24. dtf

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is represented to this board that there are many of the line of this state intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themselves, or sent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a resolution of this Board, of the 31st day of August, 1786, they will be precluded, unless the time is prolonged so as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Resolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1st day of October next, and that this resolution be published, so that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,

JAMES TRIMBLE,
2awtO For John Armstrong, jun. Secretary.

Ten Dollars Reward.

Last night was stolen from the store of the subscribers

21 Cases Holland Gin,

Marked F C M. numbers of the cases unknown. Any person that will apprehend the thief or thieves, so that the property may be recovered, and they brought to justice, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable charges paid by Aug 29

dtf Pickering & Hodgdon

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100 *Dollars Reward.*

LAST night the house of the subscriber in Front street was BROKE OPEN, and the following Articles were taken from thence—One silver cream pot, 6 silver teaspoons marked B. R. R. 3 silver watches, 50l. in paper money, 3 4 of a yard of black sattin, and the following *CERTIFICATES*, viz.

No.		L.	S.	D.
11475	Casper Kites for	45	0	0
6768	Jeremiah Calahan	9	2	0
5774	Owen Austin	22	19	6
7056	John Young	9	2	0
6773	John Wallice	9	2	0
5775	Samuel M'Mullen	9	2	0
5776	Samuel Fulton	9	2	0
7060	William Scott	6	13	0
9260	James Smith	412	1	8
9261	Ditto ditto	28	2	6
9262	Ditto ditto	11	7	11
9263	Ditto ditto	6	8	2
9264	Ditto ditto	32	17	2
9265	Ditto ditto	7	7	0
2808	Henry Gordon	36	13	4
912	James M'Dowell	39	17	0
913	Ditto ditto	20	8	11
914	Ditto ditto	30	8	9
916	James M'Dowell	13	0	6
506	John Beatey	0	16	3
503	William Beaty	12	10	0
504	Ditto ditto	2	5	0
519	Ditto ditto	392	15	0
502	Ditto ditto	77	1	3
3507	Andrew Potter	4	17	0
12903	John Trimble	8	0	0
522	George Clark	30	10	3
521	Ditto ditto	18	8	2
7913	Joseph Bertleback	15	2	8
505	William Beaty	23	15	0
525	James Johnson	1	14	6
530	Ditto ditto	7	17	3
527	Samuel Roger	1	17	6
528	James Johnson	28	6	1
529	Ditto ditto	28	18	4

The above Reward will be given, or in proportion to the Goods recovered; for the Certificates *Sixty Dollars*, or for the Watches, Silver Spoons, and Cream Pot, Paper Money, &c *Forty Dollars.*

ROBERT BAYLY.

Philadelphia, August 28, 1787. thsw.

Wanted to Purchase,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennsylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Highest Price will be given.

Country People and others may be supplied with Certificates and Shilling Money to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Deposits, and negociated so as to accommodate People with the Kind that may best suit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eotf Chesnut street, near the BANK.

Alexander Penman,

Coach and Harness Maker,

Begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he carries on that Business in all its various Branches, at his Shop in Chesnut street, betwixt Third and Fourth streets.

CARRIAGES of every denomination finished in a plain or elegant stile on reasonable terms, viz. Landaus, Landaulets, Vis a Vis, town or travelling Coaches, Chariots and Phaetons; perch or crane necked; Ladies low Berlin Phaetons for one or two horses, Curricles, Kittereens, Gigs, and Chairs with fall back or standing tops, Windsor Solos with a top of a new construction, &c.

Those Ladies and Gentlemen who may please to favour him with their orders, may depend on having their work finished of the best materials and after the most fashionable taste. August 21 3taw3w

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Fifteen Dollars Reward.

ABSENTED himself from the service of the subscriber, a Black Servant MAN, named *Pompey*, on or about the 20th ult. He is of a middle size, of the age of 36 or 40; formerly he lived in Monmouth county, in New-Jersey; he is lame in one of his hips, and limps much when he walks; he has much to say for himself; brought up a house servant, and is a good plain cook: had on when he went away, either a red or a blue coat, under cloaths not known. He went from New-York in company with an Irishman, a taylor, in the Amboy Stage-Boat, and it is supposed that he is either gone to Pennsylvania or is still in New-Jersey. Whoever will secure the aforesaid Fellow that the proprietor may get him again, shall receive the above Reward, by informing him where he is secured, or by bringing the Servant to Mr. *John Ratoone*, Ratoone, South-Amboy, or to Mr. *Andrew Clow*, Merchant, Chesnut street, in Philadelphia.

JOHN C. DONOON.

Staten-Island, August 17. 3taw2w

Further Advices by the Success, captain Cadenhead, from Liverpool.

PARIS, June 19.

THE journey to Cherson, and the interview between the two crowned heads, engages the attention of politicians. It is said that the Empress has not found in her ally a disposition so favourable to her great projects as she had wished and expected; and that she has met from the Emperor an absolute opposition to her designs on Bessarabia. This accounts for the short stay of the Emperor at Cherson, who is believed to be on his return to Vienna. His determinations respecting the insurrection in the Netherlands, are waited for impatiently, as it is doubtful how he will quiet the inhabitants of that part of his hereditary dominions, without lowering his dignity. The affair is made the more delicate, as the Brabant subjects appear determined to support their opposition by every means in their power; and it is said, that they consider the count of Belgioso, whom the Emperor loves extremely, as a hostage among them.

LEYDEN, June 21.

The hopes which at the close of the last week we had entertained of a change of system in the assembly of the states-general, have not been well founded. The refusal which the council of state gave to the execution of the resolutions of their high mightinesses, appears to have been given with no other view than to allow time for the extraordinary deputies from Amersfort to arrive, and recover the majority in his favour, which was lost by the deputies of the province of Utrecht. In short, they have been refused the deputies of this state, who hold their seats in the town of this name, admission to the assembly of their high mightinesses. At the same time the deputies of the province of Friesland have received orders from their constituents, to follow the conduct of Guelderland in this dispute. In the continuance of these contests and debates, we cannot see any prospect of a change in our affairs; the final issue of them becomes daily more and more uncertain.

HAGUE, June 27.

We learn from Zutphen, that a most alarming disturbance has happened there; and that the populace, supported by the regiment of Plettenberg, have committed excessive disorders. We are impatient for further particulars.

The proposition of the city of Amsterdam, touching the mediation of his most Christian Majesty, was revived in the assembly of the states of Holland held yesterday. Several cities were in favour of the proposition: but the city of Leyden having taken it *ad referendum,* has promised a speedy explanation. It is believed a resolution on this subject will pass in the course of the week.

UTRECHT, June 24.

The enemy's army in the environs of Amersfort and Zeist has made a movement; it is now stationed near Bilt. This post is an hour's march from the city. This force consists of only about two thousand five hundred men.

June 28. The news which we hourly receive from Woerden is the most satisfactory. The number of auxiliary burgesses is greatly augmented. They march in bodies to the places where their presence is necessary. There is scarcely any post, though of but small importance, which is not provided with such a number of troops, as to secure it from insult.

WOERDEN, June 27.

Auxiliaries are continually arriving from all parts: the people never shewed so strong a zeal as they do at present for the defence of their liberties, being inflexibly determined utterly to abolish the Stadtholderian despotism.

Continual desertions are made from the Stadtholder's army, and almost the whole number of the fugitives go to Utrecht. Sloops and other vessels are equipping for cruising at the mouths of the rivers Meuse and Merve. Several of these vessels carry eight eighteen pounders, and are stationed in the Zuider-See, and on the coasts of Friesland, Overyssel and Guelders. One of them has stopped a large barque laden with grain, consigned to Amersfort.

BOHEMIA, May 31.

We learn from Szigeth, that an epidemical distemper prevails there and in the neighbouring parts, of which great numbers of people daily perish. It is an inflammatory fever, and carried off 500 persons in a very few days. This distemper is attributed to the want of provisions, of which there has been for a long time and still is a great scarcity.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 19.

Whilst our government is busily employed in the affairs of state, the chief of the law does not desist on his side from the project he has formed of remedying the abuses which have crept in amongst the religious orders throughout this vast empire. Commissaries dispatched by him are making the tour of it, to observe by themselves the excess of those abuses and the real conduct of the Dervices, so opposite to their primitive institution. They presage, that the end of this general visit will be the total abolition of the religious sects, and they even include in the proscription the Roman Missionaries, against whom, whether through wickedness or envy, or through just reasons, they are continually making complaint in the Divan. The politic Mufti is really entirely different from any of his predecessors; and he is, they say, so immoveable, that their strongest representations, tending to make him change his opinion, will be absolutely useless.

LONDON.

June 9. The king of Prussia has sent notice to the Dutch, that if they do not restore his relation, the stadtholder, to his rights and privileges, he will immediately send 20,000 men into Holland to protect him. The states have ordered this message to be taken into consideration; but from the present violent animosities that have taken place, it impossible to conjecture what steps they will pursue. It is generally imagined that much more blood must be shed before tranquility can be restored. The officers of the Dutch navy in general take part with the stadtholder.

Amsterdam and Rotterdam are mentioned as the towns where the fury of the faction principally rages—brother against brother, and son against father. A French faction operates like foxes and firebrands.

June 12. Late on Sunday evening dispatches were received from Holland, which occasioned a cabinet council to be held immediately. The following is stated to be the purport of the intelligence received:—That in consequence of the declaration of the prince of Orange being published, a counter manifesto was drawn up, by the faction in opposition to his highness; and from Utrecht, the city wherein it originated, it was circulated with rapidity through the different provinces. The contents of this manifesto are, 1st a positive denial of most of the assertions contained in the declaration of his highness the stadtholder, secondly, a direct crimination of his highness as the sole cause of the present dissensions, and by implication arraigning him as the enemy of his country; thirdly, an appeal to the people of the several provinces in favor of the measures already taken, which are averred to have been absolutely necessary for the preservation of their liberty; fourthly an invitation to every well wisher to the United Provinces to come forward in the present crisis of affairs, and effectually lend their assistance; and, lastly, the manifesto announces a solemn determination to persist, even to blood, in what is termed the cause of liberty and against the usurpations, as they are deemed, of his highness the stadtholder, whom the faction have the indecency to brand with the appellation of a tyrant. Such is, in substance, the counter manifesto of a desperate cabal, which conduct, proceeding from bad to worse, will inevitably occasion the worst of evils which can befall any country—a civil war.

June 22. *Curious fact relating to a Horse.*——A horse belonging to a shop keeper at St. Alban's, after being some years sick, died. On the animal being opened, there was found an enormous concretion (16lb. averdupois) almost globular, and almost calcular—scarcely any stone is harder. On sawing thro' the middle of it, the substance of it was formed chiefly of bran, closely compacted together with the indurated juices of the part, and some stony secretion. The chief part of the animal's food had been bran, and for many years. In other respects, there is no other peculiarity mentioned in the horse's management. He used to ride and draw. This concretion is to be in the Museum of John Hunter.

The following passage, which we translate from a memorial sent to Vienna, by the Syndies of Brussels, Antwerp and Louvain, complaining of the imprisonment of the Sieur Hondt, will sufficiently shew to what a height the ferments of that country have arisen:——

The memorialists demand, in the most firm and imperious language, the restoration of their fellow citizen, 'whose life, they state, is given up to the mercy of his ferocious oppressors, who have neither respected their oaths nor the constitutional compact of the duchy of Brabant, nor the civil law, nor the law of nations, all of which they have most grossly and shamefully violated.

In the same tone do they complain of the delay in redressing the grievances which the provinces labor under, as well as the infractions which have and still continue to be made upon the constitution, and plainly declare that it is in vain any attempts are tried in order to reduce the brave inhabitants of Brabant to bear the yoke of servitude, while they remember that their ancestors had covered fields with dead bodies, and shed torrents of blood in defence of their liberty.

By a letter from Calais of June 17, we are informed, that the number of passengers that have passed between England and France from that place to Dover, in the course of the last month, beggars of all description. The packets have often been so full, that the private houfflers have profited considerably by it. On this account it is expected, and it is even mentioned with certainty, that the English government, to whom some representations have been made on the subject, will shortly appoint an additional packet or two, to be under the direction of the post master at Dover.

Extract of a letter from Brest, May 27.

'There are two frigates now building here by express order from his most christian majesty, which are to be presented to the Congress of America. In addition to this gift his majesty has ordered four brass cannon, of 18 pound bores, and a large quantity of military articles. The utmost attention is paid to the dock yard here, and new buildings and repairs are going forward with the utmost dispatch.'

Letters from the Hague and Amsterdam say, that a considerable run has lately been made on the public and private banks in Holland, and that several capital houses have stopped payment.

The number of land forces in the United Provinces has been much over-rated. In time of peace they cannot be estimated at more than 50,000 men, 25 000 of which serve in garrisons. Their regiments have many Swiss and Scots officers and men. In time of war they have been used to hire whole regiments of Germans. The chief command is vested in the stadtholder, and next to him the field marshal general. At sea the Dutch have ever been superior to all nations except the English; but their military power is not near so high now as it was half a century ago.

Extract of a letter from Plymouth, June 16.

'A Dutch frigate arrived here last evening, and run directly for the harbour, under pretext that his pilot did not know the anchorage marks in the Sound; and we hear that this excuse is very unsatisfactory to the admiral of the port.'

GENERAL ELLIOTT.

On Monday night, after landing in perfect health at Portsmouth, he slept at general Ward's, at Sion House, where he will, for some short time, take up his residence.

Congratulations which are united with the general voice of an admiring country, and which will continue as long as service can be remembered, or the memoriable name of Gibraltar shall stand recorded in English history.

On Sir George Augustus Elliot's arrival with his suite last Monday at Portsmouth, he was saluted on his coming on shore with the guns of the several batteries, and honored with every testimony of public gratitude. The artillery men went with alacrity through their exercise. At night there was a general illumination, and every demonstration of joy.

The fever of patriotism in Amsterdam we are happy to hear begins to abate. The delirium attending the paroxyisms is more moderate, as the latter have been less frequent. It is said, that a consultation was held at the Hague, concerning the inflammatory disorder, by several physicians from Berlin and London, who pronounced the case was in need of none of their prescriptions, that the whole distemper proceeded from a plethora or fulness of blood, and that temperance and low diet would soon bring the patient to order. If that did not prove effectual, a little blood let would be an infallib e remedy.

France alone is the power which can benefit by keeping up the dissensions among the Dutch. By fomenting the disgust which the citizens of Amsterdam have conceived at the stadtholder and his party in England, she secures their alliance in case of contingencies. It is probable she will do no more at present than artfully to keep up this grudge and distruct of the stadtholder and his party. There can be no disposition in the French cabinet to make the present commotions end in a war, as her interest is already strong enough in Amsterdam; and as there is no evident or immediate advantage attending the interference of any other power, it is difficult to predict any approaching event of consequence to Europe from their quarrelling among themselves.

The world will soon be favoured with an authentic edition of all the original works of Frederic the Second, king of Prussia, which will be comprised in about twelve volumes octavo. This work is carried on under the immediate inspection of the count of Hertzberg, privy consellor and minister of state. This edition is formed from the manuscripts of the philosophic monarch, which, to shew the authenticity and correctness of the present edition, are deposited in the Royal Library at Berlin.

June 23. Yesterday at noon a counterfeit Gazette Extraordinary was sold at the Royal Exchange, of which the following are the contents:

ST. JAMES's, June 22, 1787.

'At six o'clock last night an express from the right hon. viscount Torrington, his Majesty's minister at Brussels, arrived at Deal in an open boat from Dunkirk, and reached Windsor about half past four this morning, with the intelligence, that a body of French troops consisting of 20,000 infantry, and 12,000 horse, with field pieces, under the command of Count De Vaux, had assembled on the 18th inst. at St. Amand, from the adjacent garrison towns in the French Netherlands, and proceeded immediately on their march by Lessines, Ninove, &c. towards Holland.

'His lordship adds from undoubted authority, that every necessary preparation is making for the above mentioned troops to cross the Biesboch at the New Ferry, and the High and Low Swaaluw, on their way to Dordrecht.'

The woman who sold the above was taken into custody by Mr. Keen, one of the marshalmen, and underwent an examination before Mr. Alderman Pickett at Guildhall, when upon enquiry it turned out to be merely a fabrication to have an effect on the funds. The woman in her defence said, that they were delivered to her for sale by a man, who desired her not to cry them till she came to the Royal Exchange, and told her that he would meet her there, which evidently proves the design of the publication. The alderman remanded her for re-examination till this day, and in the interim ordered strict search to be made after the person who delivered them to her for sale. A number of the like Gazettes were also left at the pamphlet shops of Messrs. Axtell, Emerson and Dean, at the Royal Exchange, and many of them were eagerly bought up prior to the discovery.

The spreading of false news is punishable by fine and imprisonment: and to counterfeit a State paper, for the purpose of spreading alarms, is an overt act of treason.

In the reign of Geo. I. the rev. John St. Quintin was convicted at Norwich assizes, for verbally asserting that the Pretender had landed in the West with 20,000 men: he was sentenced to pay a fine of 40 marks, to be imprisoned for one year, and find sureties for his good behaviour for three years.

The request of the nine corporations of Brussels, and the letter of the states of Brabant to the governors general, have produced the desired effect.—The abbeys are to be immediately provided with abbe's and abbesses; and no alterations are to be made in any religious establishment, except in conformity to the constitution of the Belgic provinces.

Extract of a letter from Vienna, June 6.

'Our letters from Sclavonia advise, that since the beginning of last month the overflowing of the Save, the Drave, and even the Danube, has caused the greatest ravages in the neighbourhood of Esseck, the fortress of Algradisca, and other parts where the hopes of a harvest are destroyed. Near Esseck, the Drave has carried away the fine bridge that served for a communication between that town and Hungary. That accident has rendered the carriage of the necessaries of life very difficult and slow, which cannot be done now but by flat bottomed boats, always stopped by the current of the waters. The same calamity has also happened in Warasdin; at Czakathurn upwards of 50 houses have been sunk, and the ruins of them carried off by the waters.'

The account which has found its way into most of the public prints, relative to a number of persons being seen hanging by the duke and duchess of Buccleugh, opposite the windows of their hotel, the morning after their graces arrived at Amsterdam, is wholly void of foundation; but one execution of that kind took place during their stay, and that was done according to the forms of civil law. The unfortunate victim was a Swedish sailor, who had been very active in pulling down the houses and destroying the effects of the burghers. This man suffered death, not for the riot and outrage, but for having preserved part of the property, and appropriated it to his own use.

Lord George Gordon was seen at Harwich (as mentioned Monday last) where he arrived late at night at the Three Cups Inn; and as his mode of travelling there was the *pedestrian*, and he appeared rather shabby in his dress, much fatigued and covered with dust, the landlord scrupled to let him have a bed—till he intimated that he should want a post-chaise in the morning. At this mine host re'ented, thinking something might be made by him, and shewed him into a room. He said he should want no supper; but afterwards called for some bread and cheese, which he eat in his bed-chamber. After he had breakfasted in the morning, instead of calling for a post-chaise, he slipped into the packet, which sailed immediately for the Dutch coast.

Thus ingloriously did lord George terminate his career in this country—for it is probable he will never return to it, unless he should be invited by an act of grace.

On Friday one of the messengers arrived at the secretary of state's office from Holland. He brings an account that lord George Gordon landed there, while he was at the water side, on Thursday se'nnight.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman who lately left Normandy in France.

'In Normandy the chaffers have eaten the leaves of the elms so bare, that the trees appear exactly like as in the winter. Fresh provisions are dearer than in Hampshire or Wiltshire; as are butter, poultry, and fish. The apples fail so generally, that cyder, which affords their common drink, will be scarcely to be gotten the next winter at any price. And to add to the whole, they fear that the effects of the commercial treaty will be the ruin of their manufactories, and starving of their people.'

July 2. The phrenzy of false patriotism appears to be ranging through the United Provinces in search of zealots for her cause. Now that the mania begins to be exhausted in Amsterdam, like a moving pestilence, sedition sprinkles new poison in Leyden, and abets her first cause by making a principal of an auxilliary.

Extract of a letter from Taugiers, May 12.

"The prince of Abdessen made it publicly known on the 6th of April last, that the emperor will not longer permit any persons employed for foreign vessels, to load with grain or merchandize in the kingdom of Morocco, without shewing an authentic permission and passports in form from their respective sovereigns. This order appears to be occasioned by the duplicity of supercargoes of ships who without the consent of the captains allow this traffic.

"The Portugese fleet commanded by Don Joseph Mello, consists of two vessels of the line, one frigate, and two cutters; it is to cruize in the Straits against the Algerines. This fleet will this year enjoy the same privileges which emperor of Morocco granted the preceding year, namely, permission to purchase here all sorts of provisions and export them without paying any duties."

Extract of a letter from Constantinople, May 16.

'The preparations at the arsenal continue with unabated diligence, the effects of which are now very visible. Ten ships of the line belonging to the second division, which is to keep at sea during the course of the summer, have cast anchor on the 9th and 10th of this month at a little distance from the arsenal: and it is expected that the whole of this fleet will be equipped and cruizing in the White Sea before the 16th of this month.'

AUSTRIAN NETHERLANDS.

The spirit of discord seems to have diffused itself equally here, as among the United Provinces of Holland:—the riot which took place at Antwerp on the 15th instant, has been only mentioned in general terms:—it may not be disagreeable to our readers to have a more succinct statement of this transaction.

Among the number of petitions addressed to the governors general of Brussels, that for the dismission of count Belgiojoso, the minister plenipotentiary appears to have been that which was of the most concern to the people. They persuaded themselves, that this minister had encouraged the emperor in the execution of a plan opposite to the rights of the Belgic nation, and contrary to the opinion of every one at Vienna who knew the disposition and character of the people of the Low Countries: however, at the critical moment of decision, the inhabitants of Brussels waited in crowds before the palace, to learn the resolution of government. Belgiojoso did not preside in the council, and Mr. Crumpipen examined in his place that express, which fully confirmed the uninterrupted condescension of their royal highnesses to give into the general ideas of the people. Every thing having been signed and dispatched by eleven o'clock, the states of Brabant remained assembled until the 31st ult. at half past two o'clock in the morning; and it was only in the forenoon that the people learnt that all their most ardent desires were upon the point of being gratified. This publication had an astonishing effect upon their spirits; they abandoned themselves to joy, and the transports of patriotic enthusiasm.

Notwithstanding these rejoicings on account of the suspension of the new laws, the people soon afterwards discovered, that the officers designed, as intendants for the circles were actually holding a secret council in a convent. They accordingly assembled in a body before the convent and forced it open where they found the sieur Van Dilft, the first commissary Schorel, and several others.—the second commissary, Mr. de Toll, attempting to escape in the disguise of a woman, happened to be discovered by a boy, and the mob handled him very roughly, until some of the magistrates rescued and carried him to the Town-hall. Immediately after, about 7000 of the mob demanded, that Mr. de Toll should be put into the prison assigned for criminals, which the magistrates were obliged to comply with. Not content with this, they went to the prisoner's house in order to pillage it, but were prevented by the exhortations of the dean of the cathedral: from thence they went to the houses of the sieurs Stevens and Loesberg, whom they accused with monopolizing the trade in beer and gun powder; these two houses, and a public building, they totally pillaged; and 20 others would have shared the same fate, but for the arrival of duc d'Arenberg, baron de Hoys, and the abbe Bernard, with many other persons of distinction; who, seconded by a number of ecclesiastics, and some hundreds of burgesses, brought the people at last to their duty. What chiefly encreased their fury, was, that they found in a hall in the convent, every thing prepared for holding an assembly, and an office full of papers; by which it appeared, that the intendants of the circles, who were supposed to be suppressed by the government of Brussels, were yet to act in full vigor. The next day, the 16th, two houses were pillaged at Lier; and a patrole of 80 armed volunteer burgesses were appointed to do duty at Malines, under the order of the burgher-masters, to prevent similar events.

Amidst these discontents, nothing has given so much uneasiness to the court of Vienna, and offended people of good sense, as the proceedings of the university of Louvain, where they seem to take advantage of the troubles, in order to shake off the useful reforms to which those of Vienna, Pavia, Prague, Bude, &c. submitted with the greatest satisfaction, and with the applause of every class of citizens. It is surprising to the court that the university of Louvain could find members audacious enough to charge themselves with the odious deputation of carrying to the states, complaints against their sovereign and against his regulations, which are said to have no other tendency than the instruction of those sciences which are useful, and the removal of opinions dictated by a dangerous fanaticism. It is not less astonishing, that at the same time the members of this university preach the most rigid and severe morality, they make not the least scruple to be wanting in the duties and fidelity of obedient subjects. It is probable that this inconsiderate conduct of the university of Louvain will bring on a revolution in all the universities of the hereditary countries, which will form an epocha both in the annals of the church and monarchy.—People of credit ardently wish the abrogation and suppression of the different chains of theology: because they have been, in a great measure, the source from whence fanaticism has drawn her errors.

The university of Luxembourg seems treading in the steps of Louvain: the pretence for this new excess is the elementary books put into the hands of theological students. One of the professors, who is looked upon there as a Saint, has preached violently against those works. The rector, however, declaimed as warmly for them, and even said some very harsh things to the professor; but the theologicians took the side of the latter, and began by putting away the books in question. They have also, after the example of those of Louvain, published and stuck up pasquinades against their superiors. The consequence of this scholastic insurrection is impatiently expected.

July 4. This morning 13 malefactors were executed on a scaffold erected before Newgate.

James Feen, esquire, skinner, sheriff elect, entered into bond to take upon him the office on the 28th of September next: and William Farrington, esq. cordwainer, sheriff elect, with six other freemen, swore that he was not worth 15,000l. whereby he disqualified himself from serving the office, and a precept was ordered to issue immediately to the livery companies to attend to-morrow to elect another sheriff in his room.

Extract of a letter from Utrecht, June 17.

'The abode in this city becomes more and more

insupportable for the citizens who remain faithful to their oaths and to their duty.

'The event of yesterday has furnished a fresh proof of it. The Deacon de Vaal, whose virtue, knowledge and attachment to the ancient constitution have acquired him the esteem of every sensible person, but who, on the other hand, is the object of hatred and persecution of all those who are enemies to virtue and integrity, found himself obliged to repair to Amersfort on some particular business, but he was scarcely seated in the post chaise before he was attacked by a band of armed men, who drew him out of the chaise, wherein they likewise found Mr. Vroom, a citizen, whose father is a member of the council at Amersfort; they made him also descend, and thought proper to carry them both prisoners to the town house. At the same instant they carried under an escort of armed men two other burghers. The magistrates, however, thought proper to release Mr. Vroom, and the others were also set at liberty; but at the gate of the city Mr. Vroom was so ill treated by the populace, that if some cavalliers of Tuyl had not succoured him they would have killed him; but M. de Vaal remained in prison, without any one, not even his wife being permitted to see him. The true reasons for his imprisonment are not known: They say that a peasant came from the country from Mr. Pesters, lord of Wulperhorst, to de Vaal, to enquire what news there was; that de Vaal had sent a letter to this gentleman, informing him of some events which happened here, and were publicly known: they seized the peasant with the letter, which, altho' it was not signed, was the cause of the detention of the said de Vaal. What can be said of such treatment towards free citizens? Is it no longer then permitted a man to inform his friends of the least circumstance, though even every one knows it? What then is our destiny? Surely the Supreme Being will not long suffer this persecution to be exercised against our best citizens.'

AMERICA.

KINGSTON, July 14.

On the afternoon of Thursday last, a violent altercation having arose between the captain of a vessel from America, lying in Port Royal habour, and his mate, respecting some circumstances we are not acquainted with; the latter told the captain that it was in his power to do him an essential injury, and that for the abuse he had then received, he certainly would do it. The captain defied his menaces, and said he might do as he pleased: On which the mate came to this town the same evening, and lodged an information, that the above vessel was, during the last war, taken from the British, and condemned as a prize in a court of admiralty in America; which of course made her an *American bottom* and as such, she was on Thursday evening seized by one of the custom house officers.

NORFOLK, August 15.

Nature Reversed.

Most of our readers have heard of Wittington's cat: many have also heard of and probably seen Katterfelto's most wonderful cat, which the doctor titles the most wonderful wonder of wonders; some too have read of the Baron Munchausen's miraculous cat which suckled a patridge! These miracles to be sure no person devoid of credulity will presume to disbelieve—but the miracle of miracles, and most wonderful wonder of all wonders, may be seen at a store on Mr. Woodside's wharf—a respectable lady puss suckling a rat with her litter of kittens, without shewing that antipathy which dame nature has ever invincibly manifested in this domestic animal.

BALTIMORE, August 28.

Our ambassador, Mr. Adams, having made it necessary to be well born, in order to be qualified for the higher offices of government, it has brought the subject under the consideration of several writers, whose ideas seem to be very different from this artful and profound politician's. The witty Earl of Chesterfield long ago gave his sentiments on the matter as follows: "Great and illustrious birth is ascertained and authenticated by a pedigree carefully preserved in the family, which takes at least an hour's time to unroll, and when unrolled, discloses twenty intermarriages of valiant and puissant Geoffreys and Hildebrands, with as many chaste and pious Blaunches and Mauds, before the conquest, not without here and there a dash of the Plantagenets. But if unfortunately the insolent worms should have devoured the pedigree as well as the persons of the illustrious family, that defect may be supplied at the Herald's office, that inestimable repository of good sense and useful knowledge.

Noble Birth, implies only a peerage in the family; ancestors are by no means necessary for this kind of birth; the patent is the midwife of it, and the very first descent is noble. The family arms, however modern, are dignified by the coronet and mantle; but the Family Livery is sometimes, for very good reasons, laid aside.

Birth, singly, and without an epithet, extends, I cannot possibly say how far, but negatively it stops where useful arts and industry begin. Merchants, tradesmen, yeomen, farmers and ploughmen are not born, or at least in so mean a way, as not to deserve that name; and it is perhaps for that reason that their mothers are said to be delivered, rather than brought to bed of them. But baronets, knights and esquires, have the honour of being born.

I must confess, that before I got the key to this fashionable language, I was a good deal puzzled myself with the distinction of Birth and no Birth; and having no other guide than my own weak reason, I mistook the matter most grossly:—I foolishly imagined that Well Born meant born with a sound mind, in a sound body; a healthy strong constitution, joined to a good heart and a good understanding. But I never suspected that it could possibly mean the shrivelled, tasteless fruit of an old genealogical tree."

"What can ennoble slaves, and sots, and cowards,
"Alas! not all the blood of all the Howards."

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 1.

At the commencement of the arduous contest for our liberty and independence, we were excessive busy in framing resolutions for the establishing and promoting manufactures; the spinning wheels were in motion, and the newspapers rung with the exploits of our females——Long before the termination of the war, these resolutions vanished like the morning dew; and forgetful of ourselves and our native abilities, we profusely squandered away our money, and neglected our internal domestic labour and improvement. Reduced to poverty, the consequences of folly stare us in the face, and we are now once more forming associations for the encouragement of manufactures.

Great things are expected from the Federal Convention, to whom we would willingly consign the task of lessening our burthens, curing our vices, removing our grievances, and making us a happy people. There can be no doubt of the ardour of their exertions; but we must not impose the whole work upon them.——They may, and we are persuaded will inform us of the real situation of the American States, will point out to us the true road to national felicity; how we may extricate ourselves from our present difficulties, and conduct our governments in future, on the most œconomical republican principles. But it remains with us to be virtuous——This must be the exertion of every individual. Resolves on paper, or the best draughted schemes of legislation will be altogether ineffectual, unless we ourselves put our hands to the plough, and resolutely determine to practise the homely but necessary virtues of industry and frugality. We must work out our political salvation with fear and trembling.

The quantity of raw materials, in this country, necessary for manufactures, is acknowledged to be various and great: It was the exportation of these which formerly rendered the American colonies so valuable to the parent state; it employed their people, and the profits on their labour produced wealth and strength. The common proportion between the value of raw materials and wrought manufactures, is estimated as one to three; but there are instances which greatly exceed this, and some articles of manufacture will amount by labour to six times their original cost: Hence it is we may see a small diminutive territory, by the ingenuity and industry of its inhabitants, become more valuable and important than wide extended kingdoms. Many countries in Europe will shew us the happy effects that manufactures produce on the prosperity, industry and well-being of mankind. To illustrate this truth, we shall mention an instance from a late ingenious writer: "The manufactures (says he) of the single city of Norwich, in England, amount to near as much as the whole linen exports of Ireland, but very far is that from being the whole exported produce of a province. It is not that of a single county, for Norfolk, besides feeding that city, Yarmouth and Lynn, two of the greatest ports in England, and a variety of other towns, exports, I believe, more than any other county in the kingdom; and whoever is acquainted with the supply of the London markets knows, that there are thousands of black cattle fattened every year on Norfolk turnips, and sent to Smithfield. What a spectacle is this! The agriculture in the world the most productive of wealth by exportation around one of the greatest manufactures in Europe. It is thus that manufactures become the best friends to agriculture; that they animate the farmer's industry, by giving him ready markets, until he is able, not only to supply them fully, but pushes his exertions with such effect, that he finds a surplus in his hands to convert into gold in the national balance, by rendering foreigners tributary for their bread. Examine all the other fabrics in the kingdom, you see them prodigious markets for the surrounding lands; you see those lands doubling, trebling, quadrupling their rents, while the farmers of them increase daily in wealth. Thus you see manufactures rearing up agriculture, and agriculture supporting manufactures; you see a re-action which give a reciprocal animation to human industry; great national prosperity is the effect; wealth pours in from the fabrics, which spreading like a fertile stream over all the surrounding lands, renders them, comparatively speaking, so many gardens, the most pleasing spectacles of human industry."

Extract of a letter from his Excellency Governor Jefferson, minister plenipotentiary at Paris, a gentleman of the first eminence for literature, to the Reverend President Stiles, at New-Haven, dated Paris, Sept. 1, 1786.

"I return you my thanks for the communications relative to the western country. When we reflect how long we have inhabited those parts of America which lie between the Alleghany and the ocean, that no monument has ever been found in them, which indicated the use of iron among its aboriginal inhabitants, that they were as far advanced in arts, at least, as the inhabitants on the other side the Alleghany; a good degree of infidelity may be excused as to the new discoveries which suppose regular fortifications of brick work to have been in use among the Indians on the waters of the Ohio. Intrenchments of earth they might indeed make, but brick is more difficult. The art of making it may have preceded the use of iron, but it would suppose a greater degree of industry than men in the hunter state usually possess. I should like to know whether general Parsons himself saw actually bricks among the remains of the fortification. I suppose the settlement of our continent is of the most remote antiquity; the similitude between its inhabitants & those of the eastern parts of Asia, renders it probable that ours are descended from them, or they from ours The latter is my opinion, founded on this single fact. Among the red inhabitants of Asia there are but few languages radically different, but among our Indians the number of languages is infinite, which are so radically different as to exhibit at present no appearance of their having been derived from a common source. The time necessary for the generation of so many languages must be immense. A countryman of your's, a Mr. Lediard, who was with captain Cook on his last voyage, proposes either to go to Kamschatka, cross from thence to the western side of America, and penetrate through the continent to our side of it, or to go to Kentucky, and thence penetrate westwardly to the South Sea. He went from hence lately to London, where if he found a passage to Kamschatka, or the western coast of America he would avail himself of it; otherwise he proposed to return to our side of America to attempt that route. I think him well calculated for such an enterprise, and wish he may undertake it.—Another countryman of your's, Mr. Trumbull, has paid us a visit here, and brought with him two pictures, which are the admiration of connoisseurs. His natural talents for this art seem almost unparalleled. For this twelvemonth past little new and excellent has appeared either in literature or the arts. An Abbe Rochon has applied the metal called platina to the telescope, instead of the mixed metal of which the specula were formerly composed, it is insusceptible of rust as gold is, and he thinks its reflective power equal to that of the mixed metal. He has observed a very curious effect of the natural chrystals, and especially those of Iceland, which is, that lenses made of them have two distinct focusses, and present you the object distinctly at two different distances; this I have seen myself. A new method of copying has been invented here: I called on the inventor and he presented me with a plate of copper, a pen and ink. I wrote a note on the plate, and in about three quarters of an hour he brought me an hundred copies, as perfect as the imagination can conceive. Had I written my name he could have put it to so many bonds, so that I should have acknowledged the signature to have been my own. The copying of paintings in England is is very inconceivable, any number may be taken, which shall give you the true lineaments and colouring of the original, without injuring that. This is so like creation, that had I not seen it, I should have doubted it. The death of the king of Prussia, which happened on the 17th inst. will probably employ the pens, if not the swords of politicians. We had exchanged the ratifications of our treaty with him: the articles of this, which were intended to prevent or mitigate wars, by lessening their aliment, are so much applauded in Europe, that I think the example will be followed.

"I have the honor to be, with very sincere esteem, dear Sir,

Your most obedient humble servant,

THOMAS JEFFERSON."

SHIP NEWS.

The Success, Moulton, and Olive Branch, Lunt, from Martinico; Katy, Noyes, from Guadaloupe, and Friendship, Liddel, from Grenada, are arrived at Newbury Port.

The Dispatch, Cathcart, from l'Orient; Favorite, Kettelwel, from Liverpool; Union, Russel, from the Isle of Rhe; Auguste, Tileston, from Guadaloupe; Katy, Smith, from Martinico; Sally, Porter, from St. Croix; Fanny, Holland, from Hispaniola, and Mary, Sca..., from Halifax, are arrived at Boston.

The Betsey, Pearce, and Spy, Brown, from Virginia; Lydia, Watson, from New York, and Kitty, Thompson, from Boston, are arrived at Dover—Theresa, Papley, from Maryland at Lisbon——Richmond Packet, Braddick, from North Carolina at Hull—Polly, Lochead, from North Carolina at Clyde—Boston Packet, Davis, and Mary, Barnard, from Boston at Portsmouth—Hawke, Harrington, from Charleston, and Antelope, Pearson, from Virginia at Dublin—William, Hill, and Eleanor, Miller, from Charleston at Cowes—Helena, Crawford, from Virginia at Greenock—Betsey, Brown, from Virginia at Cork—Mary, Jamison, from Charleston at Lisbon—Britannia, Ball, from Charleston; Apollo, Tyrie, from North Carolina, and Neptune, Scot, from Boston at Gravesend.

The Thompson, Studley, for Virginia, and Favorite, Caldwell, for Boston, sailed from Gravesend July 3.

The Jade, Conyers, from Barbadoes; Ranger, Swift, from Guadaloupe; Little John, Watson, from Jamaica; St Peter, Wilson, from Demarara; Praragon, Cozens, from New York, and Sally, Rhodes, from Newport, are arrived at Baltimore.

The Polly, Townshend, from Teneriffe; l'Oiseau, Meno, from l'Orient; Mary, Rush, from Galway; Hero, Coffin, and Ruth, Yates, from St. Croix; Eagle, Wilson, from Montego Bay; Sally, Hayward, from Antigua; Elizabeth and Mary, Cob, from Turk's Island; Lewis, de Salis, from Aux Cayes; Betsey, Morgan, from St. Thomas; Peggy, Wallace, from St John; Sally, Lacy, from Shelburne, and Hope, Huntingdon, from Baltimore for Curracoa, (in distress) are arrived at New York.

Extract of a letter from New-York, August 30.

"Arrived here on Tuesday last, the schooner Eagle, captain Wilson, in 31 days from Montego-Bay, Jamaica: on his passage the 13th instant, in lat. 23. 51, spoke the ship Alfred, capt. Strupert, bound for London, in a very leaky condition, having struck on a rock the night before and unhung the rudder. Captain Wilson took her in tow, in order (if possible) to proceed with her for Charleston, S. Carolina. On the 14th in the morning, the wind blowing very hard, saw the Florida shores close under his lee, which obliged him to cut the Alfred's hawser and leave her; at the same time he found it impossible to weather the land himself, and was obliged to wear and run in between two reefs of rocks and come to anchor. The Alfred, nearly at the same time wore ship, in order to get within the reefs, but unfortunately struck on them and beat over; she immediately sunk in sixteen feet water. The ship is totally lost and most of her cargo.

"At the same place captain Wilson saw the ship Albion, captain Whitehead, bound from Jamaica to London, entirely lost—a small part of her cargo will be saved by the wreckers—he likewise saw there the ship Flora, of Bristol, also from Jamaica, on shore, tho' likely get off with little damage."

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A Genteel *House, Brew House,* and *Lot of Ground,* situate on the Delaware, in the city of Burlington, about 400 yards below the town wharf, commonly known and called by the name of *Green Bank,* commanding a most beautiful and agreeable prospect of the river Delaware and borough of Bristol. The *House* is well finished, two stories high, 50 feet front, two handsome parlours below, and three chambers, besides garrets with fire places for servants; each room hath a handsome tiled chimney place and marble hearths, an excellent kitchen, good cellar, a pump of good water in the yard, which is paved with brick, a very convenient milk house, smoke house, stable and carriage house (the loft of which will hold eight tons of hay) with other useful out buildings. The garden is stocked with a variety of plumb, pear, cherry English walnut, and other fruit trees, besides currants, rasberries, goosberries, strawberries, &c. The *Lot* is 50 feet front, 400 feet deep, and 73 feet back, and is now in good order. In the *Brew-House* (built only last summer) is a copper kettle which will hold upwards of 20 barrels, besides every necessary apparatus, entirely new, in compleat order and fit for immediate use. A view of the premises will give a proper idea of its value, and the most substantial recommendation that can be had. Apply to Colonel *Cox,* at Trenton, or Messrs. *Richard Wells* and *William Sykes,* Merchants, in *Philadelphia,* who have lived in the house — The terms of payment will be made easy, as the money is not immediately wanted.

JOSEPH BLOOMFIELD.

Burlington, August 30. 5t1aw

CAME to the Plantation of the subscriber, in Sadbury township, Chester county, on the ninth of June, 1787, two *stray Creatures;* the one a Bright Bay Horse about 14 hands high, a natural trotter; the other a Grey Mare about 13 hands high, trots and paces. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be sold to pay the same on the first of October next. Aug 31 3sf

THOMAS SCOTT.

Philip Boehm

At his *Store* between Arch and Race streets, nine Doors below Race street, has for Sale the following

GOODS,

At the most reasonable Prices for cash or short credit,

JAMAICA SPIRITS,
West-India and Philadelphia Rum
Lisbon, Mountain, Teneriffe, Fyal } WINES
Gin by the case
Tea, Coffee, Pepper and Sugar
Lamp Oil and Mackrel.

N. B. He hopes that his former customers will continue their favours. Aug 31

For Sale on Moderate Terms,
A Variety of Elegant
Mahogany Furniture,
AT
THOMAS BOWEN's
CABINET MANUFACTORY, No. 20.
In Spruce street near Second street;
Where every sort and fashion of Mahogany Goods are made with Care and Dispatch. Aug 31 3sf

For Alexandria,
(In Virginia)
The Sloop CHARMING POLLY,
JOHN ELLWOOD, junr. Master;

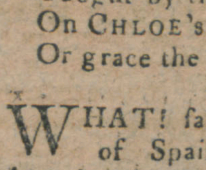
NOW lying at the lower side of Arch street wharf, will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the master on board. Aug 31 3eo

A few REAMS of excellent
HATTERS PAPER,
For Sale by the Printers hereof.

'TIS EDUCATION shews the way
Each latent beauty to display;
Each happy genius brings to light,
Conceal'd before in shades of night:
So diamonds from the gloomy mine,
Taught by the workman's hand to shine,
On CHLOE's ivory bosom blaze,
Or grace the crown with brilliant rays.

WHAT! said Francis the first, shall the kings of Spain and Portugal quietly divide all America between them, without suffering me to take share as their brother? I would fain see that article of Adam's will that bequeaths all that vast inheritance to them.

To be Let on Freight,
For any of the Windward Islands,



THE BRIG
BETSEY,
Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine vessel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to
Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS

WANTED immediately in a family in this town, a healty young WET NURSE with a good Breast of Milk. Enquire of the Printers. Sept. 1 3sp

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success,* from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed
Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,
All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4 4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, women's cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash,* at their Store in Front street.
Also, A quantity of Halifax BEAVER.
Philadelphia, *September* 1. dif

FIRST NOTICE.
In the Case of John Meyer,
A BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *John Meyer,* late of Hamburgh, in the county of Berks, merchant and dealer: and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Friday* the 14th day of September next; on *Monday* the 24th day of the same month, and on *Friday* the 12th day of October following, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees, and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.
Bankrupt Office, August 31, 1787. 1 20.8

Samuel Green

Begs leave to acpuaint the public in general and his friends in particular, that he has for sale at his Bottling Store, in Chesnut street, two doors above the Post Office,

FINE bottled porter, beer, cyder, claret, red port, and excellent wine bitters, in quart and pint bottles. He has likewise a fresh assortment of olives, capers, fine white wine and pickling vinegar, brandy, spirits and rum, by the barrel, gallon and quart; likewise a quantity of the best English corks; all of which articles he is determined to sell cheap.

Merchants and others, who have wines, beer, &c. to bottle, may depend upon having them done on the lowest terms, and at the shortest notice, as the subscriber not only keeps a sufficient number of hands, but always attends himself, and being regularly brought up to the business, flatters himself he can give every satisfaction.

A boy about 12 or 14 years of age wanted to the above business.

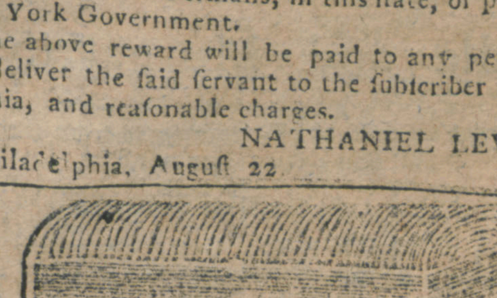
N. B. Empty bottles bought and sold. swf

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an Indented German *SERVANT,* named *John Christian Hubner,* a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.
Philadelphia, August 22 eptf



Sellers's American made Trunks
ARE SOLD BY
John & James Olden,
AND
WILLIAM ZANE,
In Second, between Market and Chesnut streets, and near Black-Horse alley,

WHERE, at all times, a capital assortment of the most elegant sealskin, hair, and black leather portmantua and other travelling trunks, of all dimensions, may be obtained for the complete accommodation of the Public—Possessing every advantage in procuring materials and conducting their factory, they flatter themselves with being able to vend the various preceding articles on terms more favourable than any other person in this country. eitf

FOR SALE AT
Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's
STORE,
In Third street, opposite Church alley——A fresh Assortment of

Muslins, Teas, Pepper and
TURKY COFFEE;
A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glass, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Calcavella and Western Island Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Coal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf.

Imported in the Brig Francisca,
Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,
FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also, LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eotf

Thomas & Joseph Potts
Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch street,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough share moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other castings
Jamaica spirit, West India and country rum } by the hogshead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will also deliver upon very reasonable terms, and on the shortest notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogshead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.
Philadelphia, August 4 3tawtf

George Meade
HAS FOR SALE,
At his Stores in Water street, just below Walnut street,

WEST-INDIA RUM
Old Coniac Brandy, Old Pemerara and Barbados Spirits } by the 20galls. or larger quantity
Sherry and Lisbon Wines of first quality in quartercasks
Rice in whole and half tierces
Molasses, Coffee
First quality Muscovado Sugars in hhds. and bbls.
Spirits of Turpentine
Varnish, Rosin
Burlington Pork
Irish (mess) and country Beef
A few pieces Embossed Serges, &c. &c. &c.
August 1 3sp.w&s4w

Just Imported and now selling by
Joseph Stansbury,
At his store in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, near the City Auction-Room,
A *General Assortment of*

China, Glass, and Earthen Wares,
Plain and Ornamental—Among which are, Teatable sets of enamelled china, rich Egyptian and cane ware, fine cut glass, and a few watch seals and chains. Orders from the country carefully attended to and executed, as usual, with fidelity and dispatch.

James C. & Samuel W. Fisher,
At their Store, the Corner of Arch and Front streets,
HAVE FOR SALE,

BRITISH window glass 10 by 8 and 9 by 7, sheet glass, glass ware in crates, red lead, tin No 1 and 2, nails, assorted ironmongery in casks, ditto copper ware in ditto, a variety of fashionable coat buttons, Turky oil stones, Burlington pork, porter in casks, raisins in kegs, almonds—And a few

Bales Black Pepper;

Besides a Variety of DRY GOODS, as usual: Also, a Quantity of White Oak Hogshead Staves and Heading, and Heart Inch Pine Boards.

N. B. They have to Rent A *LOT of GROUND and WHARF*, situate in Front street, near Pool's bridge, containing in front on Front street 87 feet, and extending thence, of the same breadth, 500 feet, into the river. There is depth of water for vessels of any burthen, and room enough for several to load at one time: this, and the quantity of ground renders it very commodious for the Lumber Business, for which it has been occupied these 20 years.

Wanted to Purchase, a Quantity of GINSANG.
August 13 tths.w&s3w

Rundle and Murgatroyd,
Water street, just above Market-street,
Have received for sale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and sheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d sterling per yard
Russia sheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool salt, and
Excellent London bottled porter
Also, an INVOICE, consisting of
Lustereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.
To be sold at a very low advance. mwf

FOR SALE BY
Levi Hollingsworth,
At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks, Senneca snake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Genuine Sterling
Madeira Wine,
In pipes and half pipes, fully ripe, and fit for immediate use; high proof Antigua Rum, Muscovado Sugars, Spermaceti Candles, Gin of an excellent quality in cases, New England Soal Leather, and 45 inch Scythes, Spirits of Turpentine and Varnish; and, as usual, Starch and Hair Powder—to be sold by

Pickering & Hodgdon,
At their stores on Mifflin's wharf, between Race and Vine-streets. mws3w

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High Proof RUM
In Puncheons,
Muscovado SUGAR in Hogsheads, and a few

Bags best Green Coffee,
Just arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by
Robert M'Clenachan,
At his Wet Good Store, in Third street, S. W. corner of Arch-street: where he has also for sale sundry other

Articles in the Grocery Line.

July 23. mwstf

William Compton,
In Third-street, between Race and Vine streets, has for sale on very low terms, for cash or short credit,

LONDON pewter, in casks, well assorted
English sail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A case of boys hats, of various colours
A small invoice of best London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, shalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.
ALSO,
Garden seeds of different kinds, rape and canary seeds, &c. mwstf

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Paul Beck, jun.
At his STORE on the south side of Market street Wharf, is now selling off his

STOCK OF GROCERIES
On hand, very low for Cash or Short Credit:
Consisting of the following Articles, viz.

CANE-JUICE spirits 7 years old
Jamaica ditto
West India and country rum
Geneva by the case or gallon
French brandy
A few pipes and quarter-casks of Madeira, Lisbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines
Claret in hogsheads
Taunton ale
White wine vinegar
A quantity of excellent loaf sugar
Muscovado ditto in hhds. and bbls.
Melasses
Bohea tea
Coffee, chocolate
Pepper, allspice, ginger
Mustard, cinnamon
Cassia, cloves, mace
Rice, indigo, allum
Copperas, madder
Ground and stick redwood
Best rifle and musket powder, Germantown manufacture
100, hundred thousand best oil and black flints
Shad in barrels
Best Boston mackrel
Picked pork
Common ditto
Butter, lard
Window glass 8 by 10
Rosin, turpentine
Glue
Raisins in kegs
Figgs in boxes, &c. &c.

ALL those indebted to him by Bond, Note or Book Debt, are requested to make speedy payment; and those who have demands against him will please to call on him for payment as they become due.
August 10 3taw3w

Isaac Hazlehurst & Co.
(In Water-street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets)
HAVE for SALE
The Following

GOODS;
Most of which have been imported in the latest vessels from the different and most advantageous ports of exportation for the respective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in cases of superior quality, Ditto 2d ditto, Ditto inferior do } all genuine and good of their kind.
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyson, Green, Souchong, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per sheet
Ditto fit for sheathing a vessel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and brass wire of different sizes
Brass kettles in nests, English and Dutch
Bristol window glass 8 by 10
A small assortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan House, at Halle in Saxony
German school books of different sorts
Ditto glass tumblers assort.
German looking glasses of various sizes
Turemberg toys for children
Best Dutch rappee & Weston's snuff
Table setts of china and china plates
Boxes of English glass ware assorted fit for country stores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German steel
German scythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetstones
Frying pans
Shovels and spades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and short
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glass pint cannisters with screws
English and French sail cloth
Pit saws of different sizes
A new copper still, head and neck, fit for a still of 8 or 900 gallons, will be sold cheap
A ship's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca snake-root
Womens London shoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general assortment of
EUROPEAN GOODS,
In their original packages, and opened as may best suit the purchasers; they are well adapted to the season, and will be sold on low terms for cash, or at the customary credit.

They have also for sale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to dispose of on the lowest terms for cash:
Nail rods of different sizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and sheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and spades
Phæton and chair tire

They have also on hand a quantity of large sap pine Scantling, which they will sell at a reasonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. August 18. f&w tf

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Madeira Wine,
OF A GOOD QUALITY,
In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks, for sale by
w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Sherry & Malaga Wine
FOR SALE BY
Barclay, Brown & Co.
July 10. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and
FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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Benjamin Mason
Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappée snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail-cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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Hewes & Anthony
Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses, New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,
That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

English Mould Candles
By the Box,
And Porter by the Dozen,
For SALE by
Le Telier & Co.
In Front-street, five doors above Market-street:
Likewise, a
General Assortment of Groceries,
Wholesale and Retail, on reasonable Terms.
Philadelphia, July 27. dtf

EXCELLENT
Bourdeaux Claret,
In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.
Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;
Copper Kettles——And a few
Tierces of Rice,
Just arrived, and for Sale by
Ross and Vaughan.
August 22. eotf

James Lockwood & Co.
Between Arch and Race, in Water-street,
HAVE FOR SALE
A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;
ALSO,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the first quality, in cases
Port wine
West India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron shovels, ditto
Pork
Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few casks of rice
Salmon
Lynn shoes
Boston iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Brass kettles
And a nnmber of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

James Vanuxem
Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, fans, fine and second cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.
Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratassia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Lacaze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same. August 30. 2awtf

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TO be sold at private sale, two well finished three story Brick Houses, situate in Spring Garden. One half the purchase money will be taken in either Pennsylvania or New-Jersey paper of the last emission, and the other half time will be given for payment. For further particulars enquire of *Nathan Field*, opposite the old ferry, or *Martin Thomas*, in Arch street, near Ninth street, Philadelphia.
Burlington, June 25. SAMUEL ROGERS.

Imported in the ship Success, John Cadenhead, master, from Liverpool, now discharging at Market street Ferry wharf,
AND TO BE SOLD BY
Stewart & Nesbitt,
Crates of Earthen-Ware well assorted
Sail Canvas No. 1 a 7
Fine white Salt. Aug. 30. d

Richard Adams
Is now *OPENING* for *SALE*, a General
Assortment of Merchandize,
Suitable for the approaching Season, in Third street, four Doors from the Corner of Market street:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and scarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimson coloured hose
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hose
Mens silk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worsted and cotton hose
Mens and womens silk gloves and mitts
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worsted and olive coloured sattinets
Yellow, red, crimson, scarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
6 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, stripes and British sheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons and chintzes
White, green and lead coloured sarsnets
Black ell-wide persians and paduasoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, seals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing silks and twist
Thread and wire shirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and stripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's spinning
Packet and pound pins
Muslinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and silk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple spectacles
Steel and plated spurs
Sherry wine by the quartercask
On the lowest terms for Cash or short Credit.

All persons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requested to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3tawim

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This Day is Published, and to be Sold by
WM. PRICHARD,
At his Book-Store, in Market street—The
UNIVERSALIST,
In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.
By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.
That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains shall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The seas shall waste, the skies in smoke decay,
Rocks fall to dust and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his saving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever lasts, thy own Messiah reigns.
Pope.

The subject of the above piece, having been much canvassed of late, both in Europe and America, the the curiosity of the Public, and especially of such gentlemen of the city who are pleased with the discovery of Truth, may be excited to the perusal of the sentiments and reasoning of a fellow citizen, upon so momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Also, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;
And the BUDDS OF BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Augustus Chatterton, esq.* mws4w

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Just PUBLISHED, *Sold by*
Thomas Dobson,
In Second street, between Chesnut and Market streets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne*'s FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, small pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handsomely bound and lettered, *Price* 3/9

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and sciences, vol. 1st, large 4to. with six copperplates *Price* 25/.
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N. B. A few copies of the third edition are still on hand, for the use of those schools where it is introduced.

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John M'Elwee,
PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the store lately occupied by Messrs. Bache & Shee, on the west side of Front, the 5th door south of Chesnut street, where he has for sale on the lowest terms——Window Glass of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25. f&wtf

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PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiſer.*

[Price Four-Pence.] MONDAY, September 3, 1787. [No. 2676.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 3d Sept., at 9 o'clock in the morning, at the
Northern Liberty Auction-Store,
Will commence the ſale of a large and general
Aſſortment of
MERCHANDISE.

THE Auctioneers beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that *Mondays* and *Fridays* are their ſtated days for ſelling Merchandize, and finding it inconvenient to hold ſales on Saturdays, they will for the future ſell Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture and other out-door Goods, on *Monday Mornings*, beginning preciſely at 8 o'clock. *Sept.* 3

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General
Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.
The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are
Tueſdays and *Thurſdays.*
Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 3

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the Southwark Auction-Store,
Will commence the ſale of a Large and Freſh
Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandiſe on commiſſion, diſpoſed of at private ſale. *Sept.* 3

Sales of Forfeited Eſtates

In PENNSYLVANIA.

WHEREAS the eſtate of Andrew Allen, late of the city of Philadelphia, hath been forfeited to this commonwealth by his attainder for high treaſon: I, the ſubſcriber, agent for the county of Luzerne, do hereby give *NOTICE*, that the following eſtate, late of the ſaid Andrew Allen, in the county aforeſaid, will be ſold by Public Vendue, at Wilkeſbarre, in the county aforeſaid, on the 2d day of Auguſt next; the ſales to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and continue till the whole be ſold, viz.

N°. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, being 9 tracts of good land, lying on the waters of Tunkhanock, containing in the whole 2949 acres and 50 perches, and allowance of 6 per cent. being ſurveyed and returned into Surveyor-general's office upon a warrant for 3000 acres, dated 20th Auguſt, 1774, granted to ſaid Andrew Allen, and the whole of the purchaſe money paid.

N°. 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, being 9 tracts of good land, lying on the waters aforeſaid, containing in all 2598 acres and 22 perches, and allowance of 6 per cent. for roads, &c. being part of a ſurvey of 3087 acres and 29 perches, returned into the Surveyor-general's office, on a warrant granted to ſaid Andrew Allen, Auguſt 20, 1774, and the whole of the purchaſe money paid.

The terms of ſale will be, according to law, as follows, viz. One fourth part of the purchaſe money to be paid within 10 days after ſale, and the remainder within 30 days after ſale, or the premiſes again to revert to the commonwealth, and the bidder to forfeit one-fourth part of the purchaſe money; and on a certificate being produced from the agent of the payment of the purchaſe money, a deed will be given as by law directed.

The purchaſe money will be payable in gold, ſilver, paper money of this ſtate of the laſt emiſſion, or depreciation certificates, funded or unfunded, with the intereſt.

And I, the agent, do alſo, purſuant to law, hereby notify all the claimants of the ſaid premiſes, and the creditors of the ſaid Andrew Allen, to exhibit their claims and demands to the juſtices of the ſupreme court within the time limited by law, or they will be forever debarred from recovery thereof.

MATTHIAS HOLLANBACK, Agent.

N. B. Draughts of the ſeveral tracts may be ſeen at the Old Coffee-houſe in the city of Philadelphia, and in Wilkeſbarre on the day of ſale. July 2, 1787 2aw

*** *The Sales of the above Lands are poſtponed until* Tueſday *the 4th day of* September, 1787, *when they will be held at the Place, and as abovementioned.*

This Day is Publiſhed, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market ſtreet—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to Amyntor.
By William Pitt Smith.
That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains ſhall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The ſeas ſhall waſte, the ſkies in ſmoke decay,
Rocks fall to duſt and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his ſaving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever laſts, thy own Meſſiah reigns.
Pope.

The ſubject of the above piece, having been much canvaſſed of late, both in Europe and America, the curioſity of the Public, and eſpecially of ſuch gentlemen of the city who are pleaſed with the diſcovery of Truth, may be excited to the peruſal of the ſentiments and reaſoning of a fellow citizen, upon ſo momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Alſo, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Connor*;
And the BUDDS of BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Auguſtus Chatterton, eſq.* mwf4w

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TO BE LET,

THAT commodious HOUSE in tenure of *William Bingham*, eſq; on the weſt ſide of Second ſtreet, at the corner of Lodge alley, together with the coach houſe, ſtable for ſix horſes, garden, &c. Poſſeſſion may be had in October next, Enquire of

August 30 6ſp CHARLES JERVIS.

WANTED TO CHARTER,
A VESSEL
From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co.
A little below the Drawbridge;
in Water-ſtreet—Who have for Sale,
A few Hogſheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30 ett

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FOR SALE,
The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For LONDON,
The Ship *MEDIATOR,*
William Brougham, Maſter;

A STOUT Britiſh ſhip, with a new Mediterranean paſs; has good accommodations for paſſengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to ſail September 25th. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Sims's wharf, near Cheſnut-ſtreet, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

Auguſt 24. dtf

To be Let on Freight,
For any of the Windward Iſlands,

THE BRIG
BETSEY,
Of London,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine veſſel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to

Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

Gentlemen,

MY warmeſt thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by chooſing me one of your Repreſentatives in the General Aſſembly theſe three years paſt; permit me now earneſtly to ſolicit the favour of your Votes and Intereſt at the enſuing Election, to place me on the Return with the preſent Sheriff, for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen,*

Your moſt obedient and moſt humble Servant
William Will.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 6, 1787

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

Gentlemen,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and ſolicit a Continuance thereof as the enſuing Election, for the *Coroner's* Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 25, 1787. eotf

TO BE LET,
A convenient three-ſtory Brick
HOUSE,
In UNION-STREET.

Alſo, a ſmall TENEMENT in Pine ſtreet. The preſent tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.

Auguſt 1. 2awtf

JAMES WITHY,
HATMAKER,

RETURNS his ſincere thanks to his Friends and Cuſtomers, and informs them, he has removed to Third-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, the fourth door from Church Alley, oppoſite Mr. John Dorſey's; where he continues to carry on the Hat Manufactory, as uſual, of beaver, caſtor, half caſtor and felt hats; and makes as great allowance as poſſible to thoſe who purchaſe to ſell again.

N. B. A very good Malt Houſe, Wharf, Stores, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in Marcus Hook, to be diſpoſed of for caſh, or bartered for goods, country produce or manufactories. 2aw7t

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John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop,* at the Sign of the *Roſe,* in Walnut, between Second and Third ſtreets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has juſt received a variety of high ſcented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will diſpoſe of on very reaſonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the preſent opportunity of returning thanks to thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who have been ſo good as to favour him with their cuſtom, and flatters himſelf his conduct will be ſuch as will merit a continnance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the firſt quality manufactured by Henry & Murduck, to be ſold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry's*, Cheſnut ſtreet, No. 19, between Second and Front ſtreets.

Auguſt 13 2awtf

John Martin,
TAYLOR,
Next Door to the Indian Queen, in Fourth ſtreet, Philadelphia,

BEGS leave to inform the Public in general, and his old Cuſtomers in particular, that he continues to carry on his Buſineſs, and executes his work with the utmoſt neatneſs, punctuality and diſpatch, on moderate terms for caſh or produce. For the accommodation of ſuch of his Friends as live in the country, and chuſe to have their Cloaths made in the city, and alſo to encourage (as far as in his power) the Home Manufactures, he will receive Flax, Hemp, or Linen, at Caſh *Price.*

Said *Martin* reſpectfully intreats thoſe who are indebted to him more than ſix months, to be ſpeedy in their payments. Auguſt 14 6t1aw

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NEW MUSIC.

Juſt Publiſhed, Price *Three Dollars,*
A ſelect Collection of the moſt Fovourite
Scots TUNES,

With VARIATIONS for the Piano Forte or Harpſichord. Compoſed by A. Reinagle. Printed for the Author; and Sold by *T. Dobſon & W. Young*, at their reſpective Book-Stores, Second ſtreet.

A fine CHAMBER ORGAN to be ſold. Enquire as above. Aug 28

FOR SALE BY
Levi Hollingſworth,
At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks. Senneca, ſnake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Rundle and Murgatroyd,
Water-ſtreet, juſt above Market-ſtreet,
Have received for ſale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and ſheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d ſterling per yard
Ruſſia ſheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glaſſes
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool ſalt, and
Excellent London bottled porter
Alſo, an INVOICE, conſiſting of
Luſtereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.
To be ſold at a very low advance. mwſ

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,
Capt. Power, from Lisbon, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF
Salt, Wine and Lemons,
FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,
PORT WINE,
In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,
LONDON PARTICULAR
Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of beſt
Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.

Auguſt 22. eptf

Genuine Sterling
Madeira Wine,

In pipes and half pipes, fully ripe, and fit for immediate uſe; high proof Antigua Rum, Muſcovado Sugars, Spermaceti Candles, Gin of an excellent quality in caſes, New England Soal Leather, and 45 inch Scythes, Spirits of Turpentine and Varniſh; and, as uſual, Starch and Hair Powder—to be ſold by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

At their ſtores on Mifflin's wharf, between Race and Vine-ſtreets. mwſ3w

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High Proof RUM
In Punſheons,
Muſcovado SUGAR in Hogſheads, and a few
Bags beſt Green Coffee,
Juſt arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by
Robert M'Clenachan,
At his Wet Good Store, in Third-ſtreet, S. W. corner of Arch-ſtreet; where he has alſo for ſale ſundry other
Articles in the Grocery Line.

July 23. mwſtf

William Compton,

In Third-ſtreet, between Race and Vine ſtreets, has for ſale on very low terms, for caſh or ſhort credit,

LONDON pewter, in caſks, well aſſorted
Engliſh ſail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A caſe of boys hats, of various colours
A ſmall invoice of beſt London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, ſhalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.
ALSO,
Garden ſeeds of different kinds, rape and canary ſeeds, &c. mwſtf

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Imported in the ſhip Succeſs, John Cadenhead, maſter, from Liverpool, now diſcharging at Market ſtreet Ferry wharf,
AND TO BE SOLD BY
Stewart & Neſbitt,
Crates of Earthen-Ware well aſſorted
Sail Canvas No. 1 a 7
Fine white Salt. Aug. 30. d

Sherry & Malaga Wine
FOR SALE BY
Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and
FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

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Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES,* the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

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Wanted to Purchaſe,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennſylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Higheſt Price will be given.

Country People and others may be ſupplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Depoſits, and negociated ſo as to accommodate People with the Kind that may beſt ſuit them—By applying to

Francis White,
eptf Cheſnut ſtreet, near the BANK.

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs,* from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed
Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,
All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh,* at their Store in Front ſtreet.
Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Benjamin Maſon

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-ſtreet,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſeal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail cloth
Alſo, mahogany fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,

New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermaceti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,
A very fine SLOOP,
That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Engliſh Mould Candles
By the Box,
And Porter by the Dozen,
For SALE by
Le Telier & Co.
In Front-ſtreet, five doors above Market-ſtreet:
Likewiſe, a
General Aſſortment of Groceries,
Wholeſale and Retail, on reaſonable Terms.

Philadelphia, July 27. dtf

EXCELLENT
Bourdeaux Claret,
In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogſheads.
Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;
Copper Kettles——And a few
Tierces of Rice,
Juſt arrived, and for Sale by
Roſs and Vaughan.

Auguſt 22. etf

To be Sold at Private Sale,
A ſmall and very General Aſſortment of Freſh
Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may have them on the moſt reaſonable terms, by applying to

N. DORSEY,

In Front, two doors below Walnut ſtreet. Aug. 23wtf

Mordecai Lewis & Co.
HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and ſouchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spaniſh brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spaniſh brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of ſaltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
Engliſh and Swediſh ſteel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware aſſorted in packages
Tin ware in hogſheads
Grindſtones
A parcel of gold and ſilver watches
Ruſſia matts and oacum
Ditto ſailcloth
Haircloth for malſters
A quantity of feathers
And a very large Aſſortment of DRY GOODS.

Auguſt 29 2aw6w

WANTED immediately in a family in this town, a healty young WET NURSE with a good Breaſt of Milk. Enquire of the Printers. *Sept.* 1 3ſp

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A few REAMS of excellent
HATTERS PAPER,
For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Foreign Intelligence.

HAGUE, June 7.

LAST Friday the council of state presented to their high mightinesses a plan of mediation, calculated to repress all hostilities between the troops of the province of Utrecht, those of the line of Holland and those of the province of Gueldres.

Divers papers were yesterday presented to the noble and great powers, viz. one from the city of Britle, signed by 360 burgesses; one from Oud, Beyesland and Hinewort, signed by 400 inhabitants; one from Soetermeer and Zegwanrs, signed by 149; one from Rhynzwaterwoade, Alphen, Boskoops, Wardwaarveen and Halzmeer, signed by 443; one from Scheveningon signed by 400; one from Pynacher, signed by upwards of 160; one from Benthuisden, signed by 39; one from Ter Heide, signed by 67; one from Loordainen, signed by 113; one from Monster and Poelayk, signed by 119; and one from Moer Cappel, signed by 56. The object of all the above requisitions is the re-establishment of his serene highness the prince stadtholder in all his dignities and appointments.

Saturday last was presented to the grand pensionary of Holland by the comte de Bentinck and three captains of the Burgesses of the Hague, a memorial addressed to the states of the provinces, in the name of 3162 Burgesses of that city, demanding the re-establishment of the prince of Orange in the exercise of the command of the garrison of the Hague, and urging measures to be pursued for maintaining the constitution. Demands of the same nature are also presented in the name of several thousands of the inhabitants of Amsterdam, Leyden, Delf, Gorcam, &c. These are the latest efforts resorted to by the Stadtholderian party, for counterbalancing the vigorous requisitions lately presented in the name of the General Assembly of the free corps of the provinces for the total suspension of his highness.

We learn from Amsterdam, that tranquility is perfectly re established there, through the exertions of the armed Burgesses, and the numerous patroles stationed in the quarter of Cateubourg. The houses plundered during the popular tumult in the above city were 28 of those of the adherents to the stadtholder, and nine belonging to the patriots.

June 17. His serene highness the prince of Orange and Nassau, &c. has written a letter to their high mightinesses the states general, dated Nimeguen, June 8. in which he says, that having received a letter from the states of Utrecht assembled at Amersfort (in answer to one written by him to them in May), in which they testify their satisfaction at his manner of thinking relative to the situation of the country, and request his highness to come into the province of Utrecht in person, in order to endeavour, in conjunction with them, to regulate matters in the best manner possible, for the re establishment of peace, and to ward off the disasters which seem to threaten this republic: that his highness purposed going as soon as possible to Amersfort, in order to arrange every thing for the above salutary purpose, but that he could not set out without giving notice of such his intentions to their high mightinesses, declaring, at the same time, that his appearance in that province had no other views than those set forth in his declaration of the 26th of last month, namely, to concur and co operate as much as is in his power towards the preservation of the country in general, and the city of Utrecht in particular.

PARIS, June 14.

The king has formed the new council of finance, which is to assemble monthly: it is to be composed of eight ministers, and four other persons of the king's council. The ministers are the marquis of Castries and de Segur, the baron de Breteuil, the comte de Montmorin, the archbishop of Toulouse, Messieurs de Fourqueux de Malesherbes, and the duke de Nivernois, besides the keeper of the great seal, the comptroller general d'Ormesson, the former comptroller general, and M. Lambert. The public are rejoiced that M. de Malesherbes appears again in the administration. His majesty has also appointed four intendants of the finances for the four departments.

The assembly of the notables being closed it is but just to give it that praise which is due; and without entering into the merits of any particular members, it will be sufficient to say, that from the above assembly the most perfect and pleasing ideas may be formed of the energy of the nation, and the progress of knowledge, for if compared with former assemblies of the same kind it will be found that those consisted of haughty and ignorant gentlemen, a clergy and magistrates full of prejudices, and an arbitrary minister, who alone had any knowledge of affairs; but in the late assembly were found a well informed nobility, faithful and courageous, enlightened bishops and magistrates, and ministers who did not suppose that the art of government was a secret, or that they ought to keep the whole knowledge of affairs to themselves.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 25.

News is received from the captain Pacha of a late engagement in Egypt, in which the Ottoman arms gained a decisive victory over the rebels, when several of the beys were slain. Murat and Ibrahim, after having lost all their followers and treasure, were forced to seek refuge among the mountains separating the Nile from the Red Sea, from whence, according to the opinion generally entertained in Egypt, no fugitive has yet been known to return, it being supposed that all persons going thither either perish through want of the common necessaries of life, or were massacred by the Arabs inhabiting some parts of that barren country. When the couriers set out with the above intelligence, the captain Pacha was preparing to embark: and according to all appearance he will soon arrive with the valuable treasures he has acquired.

FRANCKFORT, May 20.

We are assured that fresh troubles have broke out at Aix la Chapelle: that the ancient council have made a demand of troops from the elector of Cologne and the elector Palatine; and that 330 cavalry will be sent there from the garrisons of Dusseldorf and Juliers.

LONDON,

June 9. The Dutch patriots have adopted the most direct measure to provoke the vengeance of this country against their unwarrantable conduct to the prince stadtholder. To stop a national messenger and ransack his dispatches, is a circumstance rarely known in the annals of civilized states: yet a most wanton and flagrant breach of all that is held sacred in the law of nations, has been committed by the anti stadtholderian party in Holland, the official communications of sir James Harris, having been detained and pillaged of all their contents, the confidential papers only accepted, which the messenger happily contrived to conceal.

Upwards of a hundred Dutch families have come to England within the last three weeks, with a view of settling here, where their lives and property are secure; which was by no means the case in the distracted country which they have abandoned.

The English merchants at Amsterdam have very prudently declined giving any decided opinion which party they would espouse in case of a rupture, nor do they even deliver their sentiments on the dispute. For this reason it is that they remain unmolested, and are, perhaps, the only people in Holland who are not in bodily fear and danger.

June 12. By authentic accounts yesterday received from Holland, we have it to say, that such is the present unpopularity of the English name among the insurgent's, that at Amsterdam no Englishman's person is safe. Almost all our countrymen have left, or are leaving that capital: and this dislike has been confirmed, from what is there understood to be the prorogation of parliament.

It may be depended upon, that the prince of Orange's family are preparing to embark for England. The stadtholder himself is determined not to quit Holland, till the present ferment is brought to a conclusion.

June 13. Orders have been issued by government for the immediate equipment of a small squadron of observation, consisting of the Ganges and Edgar of 74 guns each, Ardent of 64, together with three others of 64 guns each, and several frigates; commodore Leveson Gower, who is appointed to the command, has orders to proceed to sea the moment the ships are ready. The destination of this fleet is not possibly known, though there is every reason to suppose the alarming state of the Dutch provinces renders this measure necessary.

The interview between the Empress and king of Poland took place at Kaniow on the 6th of May. The king went on board the yatch in which the empress was, and they dined together with the principal nobility in their suite; the empress sat on the king's right hand, and the emperor's ambassador on the left. After dinner the two crowned heads retired from the company, retired to an adjoining room, and had a conference for an hour, and parted next day after the exchange of mutual civilities.

The heir apparent to throne of Denmark, neglecting or despising the pleasures usually pursued with avidity by young men of his years, devotes the greatest part of his time to the study of those arts which may best qualify him to reign over a considerable kingdom, with credit to himself, and happiness to these who may one day be his subjects. His royal highness, wisely judging that it is easier to train up the rising generation in the pursuits most conducive to the comforts and happiness of civil life, than to reform the inveterate habits of mature age, has commissioned professor Sevel to travel over Germany and Switzerland, for the purpose of examining into various establishments in those countries for the education of youth. This learned gentleman is directed to correspond monthly with his royal highness, on his return the prince and he are to digest a new system of education for the use of all the schools, seminaries and colleges of Denmark and Norway.

His royal highness has acquired great popularity by declaring himself the patron and protector of the Danish peasantry. He saw with surprise that while the peasants of Norway were absolutely free, the peasants of Denmark, though subjects of the same sovereign, were the mere vassals of their lords, and kept in a state of indigence by feudal impositions. In the beginning of the present century, Frederick IV. by a solemn law declared the Danish peasants free, and thus released them from vassalage; but the provisions of so just and humane a law were defeated by subsequent regulations and explanations procured or extorted from the crown by the interest or power of the great. The prince royal, however, has lent a favorable ear to the petitions of the peasants; and under his influence a commission has passed the great seal, empowering nine persons therein named, to enquire into the state of the peasantry throughout the kingdom of Denmark, and make a report to his majesty in council with all convenient speed.

Extract of a letter from Petersburgh, May 16.

"A plan, which has been laid before the empress and ministry of Russia for rendering the Boristhenes more securely navigable, has been at length approved of, and orders have been given for putting it into immediate effect. The heads of the plan are these: As the Boristhenes has an immediate communication with the Caspian Sea, and as by that means a far easier navigation can be made from the Russian to the Turkish dominions, as it is deemed highly necessary to keep a check upon the Ottoman ports there, a number of galleys are to be built, which are to be strongly manned and fortified, and are to be constantly employed in or about the mouth of the river, in order to protect the trade which may be carried on through that channel, which it is clearly proved will be highly advantageous, as a means will thereby be established of maintaining a constant commerce with the Persian empire, and that entirely by water. In consequence of this determination, several gentlemen have set off under proper escorts, and with every convenience, to make surveys, particularly on the trace of the river, and the small islands at the mouth of it, where some fortifications are be erected, and stores deposited in case of accidents."

Extract of a letter from Amsterdam, June 2.

"The greatest confusion reigns at this place. The destruction and mischiefs committed here on the 29th are unprecedented. A number of persons had met at an inn to sign an act of qualification for the preservation of the ancient constitution. They were set upon by a lawless mob in the streets; one young man the mob threw into the water, but he was got out unhurt; next morning they threw another into the water, who was to be a friend to the stadtholder, but he found means to escape into the inn called Land Welwaaren.

"The same night, about nine o'clock the mob belonging to the patriotic party, began to pillage the inn, where they destroyed every thing; they then went to the house of one Arends, a lace merchant, where they also destroyed the premises; next to the bookseller Arends where they vented their greatest fury. The house of burgomaster Rondrop was next marked out, which they pulled to pieces, destroyed all the furniture and every thing they could find. They attempted the house of burgomaster Dedel, but it being full of armed burgesses, they desisted, and directed their fury to the house of burgomaster Beelt, where they totally destroyed the whole; two other houses shared the same fate; and by this time the morning appeared, and the whole burgesses were in motion."

July 2. We hear from Paris, that for some time past a printed paper has been industriously circulated, entitled, 'Reasons why France should assist the republic of Holland against the encroachments of the stadtholder.' The French ministry have taken the matter up very seriously, and offered a reward of two thousand livres for the discovery of the writer. Whoever reads it in company, or disperses copies of it, is threatened with heavy fine and imprisonment.

Letters from Revel say, that a great number of French ships are now there lading ship timber and naval stores for the use of the navy of that kingdom,

A letter from Copenhagen says, that a new council has been lately established there, by order of his Danish majesty, for regulating all affairs relating to the public trade and commerce of that kingdom, reserving an appeal to himself on all extraordinary occasions.

Accounts from Berlin say, that a new foundery for cannon and other implements of war has just been opened near that capital, under his Prussian majesty's immediate direction.

Accounts received from Hamburgh say, that a fire has just happened in the north quarter of that city, which has destroyed upwards of 200 houses, with warehouses and other out buildings to a considerable amount.

Upon further enquiry respecting the loss of the Greenland ships, which we gave an account of in our paper of Friday last, we are sorry to learn, that there does not remain a doubt but the whole of the crews of four ships, namely, the Mary, the Generous Friends and the Betsey, belonging to the port of London, and Mary, belonging to Hull, were totally destroyed.

The unfortunate men has but just time to leap on one of those mountains of ice which crushed their ships to atoms, before the place they had chosen for safety, by the motion of other floating islands of ice was overturned, and the miserable inhabitants instantaneously entombed in the boundless deep.

The fate of the other ten ships rests at present solely on assertion, and we have our hopes that so many did not perish as was at first supposed.

The Lords Lieutenants of the several counties have received orders to make a specific return of the present state of the regiments of militia, and of the stores necessary for their use in case of emergency.

We are informed that an edict has been published by the king of Prussia, during the late disturbances in Holland, entirely counteracting the policy of his predecessor. It gives entire and unrestrained liberty to all foreigners who may be disposed to setttle in his dominions, to leave Prussia whenever they shall think proper, provided the state has no pecuniary claims upon him unanswered. To this circumstanc the late monarch never would consent, always expecting those who had accumulated fortunes in Prussia to continue there for the remainder of their lives. The present sovereign very sagaciously endeavours to avail himself of the uneasiness and discontent now prevailing in the republic of Holland, and it seems the edict abovementioned has already operated to his wishes; many merchants, with several individuals of independent fortunes having already removed their wealth and families to a country in which the solemn word of a great and powerful monarch is pledged for their security.

Letters received by yesterday's mail from Sclavonia announce, that a body of Turkish troops, under the command of the pacha of Zwolnich, approaching the frontiers of Albania, had been attacked, and, after a severe conflict, totally routed by a numerous army of Arnauts, commanded by the rebel Pacha Mahmud; nor was there any prospect of the defeated general obtaining the least success in that country, the Montenegrins, at the time the last letters came away, being all in motion, for the purpose of espousing the cause of the mal contents.

Besides the petition from other towns in favour of the stadtholder, the petition from the Hague was signed by 3161 burgesses and inhabitants; that from Amsterdam by some thousands of burgesses and inhabitants: that ftom Leyden 1300; Gorinthem 300; Overschie 400; Rhoon and Pendrech 200; Rysurych 150: &c.

The merchants have received remittances by the two packet boats that arrived this week from the Leeward Islands to the amount of 500,000l.

Extract of a letter from Gibraltar, via Spain, May 25.

'A new scene is on the point of opening in Africa, no less than a war among the Barbary states, who have quarrelled with each other, are on the eve of commencing hostilities very serious. This is a most consequential business to the Europeans, who would find it well worth their interest to blow up the flame, that these Barbarians being employed in tearing one another to pieces, might have less leisure for committing depredations on the Europeans in the Mediterranean. The emperor of Morocco has eight or ten capital ships at Mogadore, and a number of gallies, &c. at Larrache and Tetuan, which are intended to go against Algiers, or at least to attack the dey's flag wherever they meet it. A Danish man of war, La Mossenden, of 32 guns, has just anchored here from Algiers, by whom we have the above intelligence.'

A foreign print mentions the discovery of a medicine which creates in him that takes it, an aversion to every kind of spiritous liquors. In a *moral* view, of what infinite importance would such a medicine be in this country. But in a *political* view, what would become of the British distillery?

July 3.

Extract of a letter from Bruges, June 27.

'Your papers have partly informed you of the actual state of this country. We are nearly in a state of anarchy, and as I fear on the eve of a civil war. Our town, has indeed been hitherto pretty quiet; but Ghent is in a very different state; and as to the people in Brabandt, thay are outrageous against the emperor and his innovations. How he will act in this matter time only can shew. Should he use violent measures, the people seem resolved to oppose force by force, and are daily making preparations for that purpose. Perhaps the flame may end in smoke; but for the present it burns with fury, nor do the Romish clergy neglect to feed it with proper combustibles. It is supposed the emperor must now be at Vienna, and news from thence is waited for with much impatience. The die will then be cast, on which the fate of these countries probably depends.'

July 5. The most authentic letters received on Monday from the continent, some of which were produced upon 'Change, mention that the Prussian troops in the dutchy of Cleves, which, by the most respectable accounts, amount to 22,000 men, were lying ready at Rheyndyck, Emmerick, Leinstedt, Ringdebourg, and Cleeves, to march forwards towards Holland, on the first notice. At Cleeves the cavalry amounts to 1500 men, belonging to the Curiassier, who had seen real service, and were put among the foremost on the list, when a quarrel had nearly happened a few years since, between the emperor and his late Prussian majesty.

The following is a List of the Houses that were plundered at Amsterdam the 29th and 30th of May last:—

The old Burgomaster Rendorp's upon the Cingel, opposite to the Swan Brewery.

The Governing Burgomaster Beels, upon the Keizersgragt.

Arends, a bookseller on the Cingel.

Arendse, a laceman, in Halvemaansteg, near the Amstel Church.

Visbeck, a public house, at the corner of the Haarlemntnerdyk

Tenkate, a public house in Oudebrugsteeg.

The Widow C. Plo[illegible]g, a linen shop, next door.

A cheesemonger's shop opposite.

A silversmith's, the corner of the Nieuwendyk, in the Nieustraat.

Another silversmith's in the same street.

Cyffers, a tavern in Rooze Straat.

Swart, a cornchandler on the Heylige Weg.

Piephof, a pastrycook in the same place.

A. Waynants, leatherseller near the Lombarsbrug.

Trop, bookseller on the Zeedyke.

Harms Braz, teadealer on the Boomsloot.

Var Harpen, broker in the Koning Straat.

John Eydem, on the Roozegragt.

Schreuder, a baker at Kattenburg.

John Englesman, in Great Kattensburgh Straat, belonging to the Admiralty yatch.

William Rodermond, coffee dealer in Dwar Straat

A hosier's shop in Kattenberg straat.

The Orange pot house near the same place.

Eysermen, a public house in Wittenburg Straat.

Pothart, ditto.

Hendrik de Waal on the Kattenburg.

Claas Booy, mastmaker on the Kadyke.

Coertse, bookseller in the Barnesteeg.

Jacob Girardyn, silversmith in the Hoog Straat.

Barend Jonker, tallowchandler in the Dirk van Husselsteeg.

The six following are Patriots houses:

Vos, a painter at Kattenburg.

Kukkules, a watchmaker at ditto.

Martinus Steffens, an apothecary at ditto.

Hoenebeck and Van Schuurman, in Wittenburgh Straat—and a stocking shop in the same.

LITERARY INTELLIGENCE.

Our great astronomer, Mr. Herschel, has lately discovered three volcanos in the moon. The principal one, which is now burning, ejects great quantities of smoak and lava. The other two seem either to have been lately extinguished, or to threaten an immediate eruption. That which is now burning appears somewhat like a red-hot coal, slightly covered with light ashes: its situation is near the north verge of the moon, and in a part of her disk, which at the time of observation was not illumined. Its diameter is twice that of Jupiter's third sattellite, which Mr. Herschel estimates at about three miles: its light was so considerable as to illumine the hills in its vicinity. The other two are more in the interior part of the moon's disk.

Mr. Herschel first discovered the principal volcano on the 19th of April last, and on the 20th it appeared still more luminous; but though in the last lunation he repeated his observations with the greatest attention, he saw nothing of it.

The celebrated astronomer Cassini observed a very luminous spot in the disk of the moon, and Don Ulloa describes an appearance of the same nature. Mr. Herschel explains these appearances. The telescope which he used on this occasion has no more than ten feet focus.

The Philosophical Society at Orleans, in France, which was erected into a Royal Academy of Sciences and Belles Lettres in October 1786, announce a prize of 400 livres for the year 1788, for the following questions: 'What hath been the state of arts and commerce in Orleans from the first times of the French monarchy to the reign of Henry IV? What have been the causes of their progress, or decline, from that period to the present time, and what are the means of carrying them to the greatest degree of extent and perfection of which they are capable?'

2d, 'Whether water be a compound substance or a simple element?'

3d, 'Whether the water obtained by the combustion of inflammable with vital air, be produced in the act of combustion, or whether it be only disengaged? That is, whether it be the real produce of a combination of vital air, or its basis, with inflammable air: or whether this vital air and all elastic fluids, are not themselves a modification of water, operated by its combination with the matter of fire, of life, and of heat?'

The prize for this question is 800 livres, and the conditions as usual.

AMERICA.

SHELBURNE, August 2.

Sunday last arrived the Aurora, Captain Tweed, from St. Kitt's. Capt. Tweed sailed from this in May last, with a cargo of lumber, which he found to answer exceedingly well; the people of St. Kitt's were very much pleased with the lumber, and highly approved of it. When Capt. Tweed left St. Kitt's all kinds of lumber and produce were exceedingly high, nor was there a probability of the prices falling. The late act, prohibiting the intercourse with the neutral islands for the produce of the states, must increase the price through all the islands.

By a gentleman from Annapolis Royal, we learn, that the ship Peggy, with General Arnold, his lady and family on board, had arrived at St. John's, from London.

Centrically situated as this harbour is, between the St. Lawrence and the Bay of Funday, the safety of approaching it from any quarter, and only wanting a signal to distinguish it, there could not perhaps be found so eligible a spot for a light house along the whole coast, as the one now chosen.—Indeed Nature, from its formation and height, seems to have designed this head of M'Nutt for the purpose; its immediately rising out of the ocean, and its perpendicular height from the level of it, accurately taken on Monday last, being nearly eighty feet. Add to this the height of the light house, the walls of which, exclusive of the lanthorn, are to be 64 feet, it certainly must be seen a great distance. It may not be unuseful here to remark, that it is not only to this port that this light house must prove beneficial. It must prove a useful beacon, or land mark for every vessel along the coast, or approaching it from any quarter whatever, and the Bay of Funday, and the whole western shore must be particularly benefited by it.———Our harbour, already hitherto the looked for asylum of every vessel in distress, within reach of our coast, or wanting a shelter from the impending gale, will as soon as this building is compleated, be easily distinguished by night or day; the anxious mariner will then know his situation and approach without danger; or if not bound in, take a certain departure, and make his own port with confidence.

NEW-YORK, August 28.

It is a fact as notorious as lamentable, that there is not at present a single vessel of any kind building in our ship yards. What must be the consequence? That our ship carpenters, our merchants, our seamen, our labourers, and a number of artists, must all be out of employ, and foreigners engross all our trade. This is a most serious and alarming circumstance, and shews the necessity and policy of our

adopting ſuch meaſures as will effectually revive this valuable branch of buſineſs.

Yeſterday William Stewart and James Wilſon were executed purſuant to their ſentence, for highway robbery.

A correſpondent who was preſent on the above occaſion remarks, that though he has often been a ſpectator of ſimilar ſcenes, yet he never before felt himſelf ſo forcibly affected. The criminals were accompanied by two clergymen, who prayed with them at the gallows, and joined with them in ſinging hymns, which they performed with much devotion. Their public exhortations to theſe two unhappy examples, were ſo exceedingly efficacious as to excite, not only in their breaſts, but in thoſe of every by-ſtander, the moſt fervent emotions: their expoſition of the miſerable effects of ſin, cloathed by unaffected eloquence, in the moſt hideous garb, forced conviction to the heart, while it created ſenſations of an awfully painful nature, which the occaſion of this aſſemblage contributed not a little to heighten: and the confidence with which they inſpired thoſe wretches, in the merciful forgiveneſs of a beneficent Creator, who never turns a deaf ear to the ſupplicating cries of ſincere repentance, was a remarkable inſtance of the powerful efficacy of true religion. Our correſpondent adds, that the ſolemnity of the ceremony—the ſilence and decorum of every individual of an immenſe multitude—the earneſtneſs with which their attention ſeemed to be arreſted—together with the penitence and contrition of the victims of offended juſtice, juſt on the verge of an unbounded and unknown eternity—were not only ſufficient to ſtrike with horror and remorſe the moſt unfeeling ſinner, but formed at once a moſt inſtructive, though tremendous leſſon!

Previous to the execution, two men and a woman were publicly whipped; and John Sherman ſtood in the pillory one hour for corrupt perjury.

On Friday laſt as a cartman was employed in a ſtore at Cruger's wharf, hoiſting a barrel of flour to the attic ſtory, the can-hooks ſlipped, and the barrel fell through the ſcuttles, ſtriking the poor man on the head and ſhoulders with ſuch violence, that his life was for ſome time deſpaired of; it is with pleaſure however, we learn, that he is in a fair way of recovery. Had the barrel fell directly on him, he muſt infallibly, from its accumulated weight, have been cruſhed to atoms; but fortunately touching the lower ſcuttle in its deſcent, it ſtruck him obliquely, by which means he providentially eſcaped inſtant death.

On Saturday evening a fine boy about ſeven years old, ſon of major Pendleton, fell into the Eaſt River, near Peck-ſlip, and was unfortunately drowned. His body was diſcovered and taken up on Sunday morning.

Same day two lads, the youngeſt not exceeding 17 years of age, were committed to the New Priſon, on a charge of picking pockets. One of them it is ſaid, had taken a letter caſe containing paper money, out of a gentleman's pocket in the Fly Market, which he ſlipped to his companion. The act was diſcovered by ſome of the ſpectators, and a commitment the conſequence.

By a perſon from Rocheſter, New Hampſhire, we are informed, that on Wedneſday the 15th inſt. the inhabitants were greatly alarmed by a tornado or hurricane which paſſed through the ſame, and on its way took a houſe with eight perſons in it, carried them to a conſiderable diſtance, when the houſe ſeparated and left them, two of whom were conſiderably bruiſed, the others eſcaped without injury; the ruins of the building were found the next day as much as three miles from the ſpot where it ſtood; a barn was taken and entirely carried off, which has not ſince been heard of, and the trees, fences, corn, &c. are laid entirely level with the ground for about 20 rods in width. We have not heard of any other damage being done—Who can ſtand the fury of him, who holds the wind in his fiſt, and the ſea as in the hollow of his hand?

August 29.

Extract of a letter from Norfolk, Aug. 20.

"A number of counterfeit half guineas, of the Engliſh coin, have been diſcovered in circulation here, and we have reaſon to ſuppoſe the perſon who paſſed them here is now in New-York, probable with a deſign to paſs off as many as poſſible. They are ſo exact a counterfeit in appearance, that they cannot eaſily be detected, but by the want of weight and cutting into them. They appear to be copper neatly plated with gold, and dated 1781."

On the 21ſt inſtant were received at the War-Office, the two braſs field pieces deſigned to be preſented to the heirs of the late Major General Greene, in conſequence of the reſolution paſſed in Congreſs, October 18, 1783:

'On the report of a committee,

'RESOLVED, That two pieces of the field ordnance taken from the Britiſh army, at the Cowpens, Auguſta, or Eutaw, be preſented by the commander in chief of the armies of the United States, to major general Greene, as a public teſtimonial of the wiſdom, fortitude, and military ſkill, which diſtinguiſhed the command in the ſouthern department: and of the eminent ſervices which, amidſt complicated difficulties and dangers, and againſt an enemy greatly ſuperior in number, he has ſucceſsfully performed for his country: and that a memorandum be engraved on the ſaid pieces of ordnance, expreſſive of the ſubſtance of this reſolution.'

Major Billings, of Poughkeepſie, executed in a maſterly ſtile, the following inſcription, decorated with the arms of the United States, and military trophies, encircled with a wreath of Ireland:

TAKEN
From the Britiſh Army
And preſented by order of
The United States in Congreſs aſſembled,
To MAJOR GENERAL GREENE,
As a MONUMENT of
Their high Senſe of
The Wiſdom, Fortitude, and Military Talents,
Which diſtinguiſhed his Command
In the Southern Department,
AND OF
The EMINENT SERVICES,
WHICH,
Amidſt complicated Dangers and Difficulties,
He performed for
HIS COUNTRY.
October 18th, 1783.

Auguſt 31. Saturday laſt being the day for the feaſt of St. Lewis; the ſame was celebrated by every public demonſtration of joy, by the ſquadron of his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty, now at Boſton.

The following toaſts were announced under the diſcharge of cannon from all the ſhips in the harbour:

1 His moſt Chriſtian Majeſty. 21 guns.
2 The United States. 13 do.
3 Governor and Commonwealth. 13 do.
4 Perpetual Alliance between France and America.
5 Fœderal Convention.
6 General Waſhington and the Society of Cincinnati.
7 The Navigation and Trade of America.
8 Peace and Unanimity throughout America.
9 The memory of thoſe who have fought and bled for their country.
10 The patriots who projected the American revolution.
11 The late Fœderal army—may America never want another as brave and diſintereſted to defend her freedom.
12 May the States be as happy in peace as their citizens have been virtuous and ſucceſsful in war.
13 The American Ladies—may the men be as brave as the women are fair.

The day was concluded by the diſcharge of 21 guns from each ſhip in the fleet.

KINGSTON, (Jamaica) July 14.

Laſt Tueſday evening a large Spaniſh ſchooner arrived at Port Royal, was ſeized the next morning by a certain cuſtom-houſe officer on moſt frivilous pretences. It ſeems her commander had ſhipped at Carthagena fifty tons of Nicaragua wood, and about 25,000 dollars, and proceeded to Hiſpaniola, where he laid out one half of the money in French claret, and liqueurs for the uſe of a certain truly dignified perſonage in the kingdom of Santa Fee, which, with the wood, and the remainder of the money he bro't here. Immediately after he came to an anchor, having learnt that a cuſtom houſe officer was at Port-Royal, he went on ſhore and gave the officer an unreſerved account of his cargo, obſerving at the ſame time that he had not the moſt diſtant intention to land any of the French goods, and offered to give any ſecurity that none of them ſhould be ſent aſhore, but only deſired to know if he might be permitted to lay out his money and ſell the Nicaragua wood, otherwiſe he declared his reſolution to leave the port next morning. The officer gave him an evaſive anſwer, and early next morning carried a party of ſoldiers on board who took poſſeſſion of the veſſel in the king's name. Such unhandſome ſeverities may be very exactly adapted to the gratification of individual avarice; what is to become of the trade of the iſland if they are ſuffered by the mercantile people without animadverſion.

NEWBURY-PORT, Aug. 22.

On the 3d inſtant died at Saliſbury, Mrs. Ruth Morrill, in the 88th year of her age. Her huſband, lieutenant Benjamin Morrill, is now living, in his 92d year. They lived together in a connubial relation 69 years. She has left near ſeventy great grand children—ſome grown up.

BOSTON, Auguſt 24.

The French ſhips now in our harbour, are in general very fine veſſels; La Patriote, the flag ſhip, is particularly ſo—this ſhip is the only one of the French royal navy, on board of which his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty ever was.

The following is a more full and juſt account of the diſtreſſing *HURRICANE*, on the 15th inſtant, than has yet been publiſhed.

A little paſt three, P. M. ſeveral clouds, running extraordinarily quick and low, were ſeen to meet over Northborough; a black fuliginous vapour inſtantly aſcended from the point of coaleſcence, much reſembling the quickeſt motion of fine ſmoke, diſgorged from the chimney of an air furnace. Every ſpectator, was for a moment at a loſs, which of the clouds would maintain its courſe;—ſuch a ſcene as thoſe contending parents of a hurricane, acted for a few ſeconds, muſt have moved the calmeſt philoſopher with admiration. Clouds of different appearances flew in almoſt every direction to that vortex, as a common centre, and were immediately wrapped in blackneſs. The whole hemiſphere was greatly agitated, and appeared ruſhing to that *war of Elements!* Every beholder was intereſted, and felt anxious for the reſult, 'till the clouds from the eaſtward gave way, and then ſuch a picture of devaſtation was drawn through ſeveral towns, as that part of Heaven had previouſly ſeemed to meditate.

The firſt effects of it were felt in the eaſterly part of Northborough, but its violence very much increaſed, as it moved eaſterly, near the line between Marlborough and Southborough, through Framingham, (to the eaſtward of that we have not heard particularly of it.) The vein of land which ſuffered by it, is not, in general, more than thirty or forty rods wide; and in ſome places much leſs. Where its force was collected within the ſmalleſt compaſs, its violence was almoſt incredible. A barn in Marlborough was hurled from its foundation; the timber thrown various ways, and much of its contents loſt, and more carried a great diſtance. Shingles, in which nails ſtuck, were fixed on the bodies of trees, as if driven with a hammer. The roof of a dwelling houſe was torn off, and much of the timber blown many rods. Pieces of boards, ſhingles, &c. were found ſcattered three quarters of a mile from the houſe. Several other buildings were much damaged. In Southborough, and in Framingham, a number of buildings were attacked with no leſs violence. In Framingham a dwelling houſe was entirely demoliſhed, and two women who were in it, unable to make their eſcape, were much bruiſed, but it is thought they will recover. Some of their houſhold furniture, ſuch as beds, bedding, &c. has not yet been found, and *it is ſaid*, (and generally believed) that *a pewter plate was blown half a mile.* It is a melancholy proſpect to ſee beautiful young orchards entirely deſtroyed. Many flouriſhing trees taken from them, and thrown promiſcuouſly, at the diſcretion of a hurricane, into other fields, meadows and highways. The thickeſt and moſt flouriſhing groves ſeemed rather to feed its rage than to check its violence! The tougheſt ſaplings—the cloſeſt *paſture* white oaks twiſted off, and woven into ſuch impaſſable thickets—their tops and ſeparated branches ſtripped and bruiſed like oſiers whipped on a rock, afford a traveller a moſt ungrateful proſpect.

Inſtead of enumerating many admirables (which the readers imagination will naturally ſuggeſt) we ſhall only mention two facts to prove that our atmoſphere, in the part referred to, was tortured and convulſed, in a manner which defies deſcription:

A ſound tree, called a grey oak, was partly from the root near the ſurface of the ground, toſſed in the air, and moved in a curvilineal direction,—it was ſeen by many aſtoniſhed ſpectators to riſe, fall and change its courſe like a ſporting eagle, at leaſt 100 rods, (as obſervers ſay); it was ſometimes ſuppoſed to be ten rods or more from the ground; but the hurricane, by ſome means, communicated ſuch a motion to the tree, that it ſhot from the eddy, and pitched into the earth about twenty rods from the path of the tornado This tree is upwards of eighteen inches in diameter; it now lays and may be ſeen by the curious, about a quarter of a mile from its ſtump.

Another fact very remarkable is the following:

In the paſture of Lieut. Fay of Southborough the ſward was broken, and much of it blown off, four or ſix inches deep, ſeveral yards in length, and two, three and four feet in breadth. Stones weighing ſeveral pounds, were moved from the place, a number of yards. There was no tree, buſh or common paſture brakes growing on this turf, to expoſe it to the gale. People of veracity, who ſaw the dreadful ruin carried through that encloſure ſay, that no tree paſſed the place, which could poſſibly break the ground——that there was no ſenſible diſcharge from the cloud, while it was near that lot, or any which was ſuppoſed to be in that direction, in the courſe of the day. At the time of its paſſing Mr. Fay's, a number of perſons were within a few rods of it, and obſerved a heavy undulatory ſound, like thunder at a great diſtance, which kept pace with the collection of black vapour, which roſe and fell almoſt inſtantaneouſly on the ſurface of the earth. Theſe facts may afford matter of ſpeculation to our philoſophical readers.

The inhabitants of this country, (whatever may be ſaid of others) have ſeldom been ſhocked with ſuch a proſpect as this hurricane opened to view; and it is impoſſible to paint it in ſuch a manner as to give the reader a juſt idea of the original.—Suffice it to ſay, it was dreadfully entertaining, to ſee parts of buildings, ſhingles, boards, timbers in different forms, houſhold furniture, limbs of trees, and indeed whole trees, ſporting in air, and darting a thouſand ways in clouds, which looked like the appointed ſervants of a HURRICANE!

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 3.

To-morrow the honorable the General Aſſembly of this commonwealth will meet at the State-Houſe in this city, purſuant to their adjournment.

Thurſday laſt arrived at New-York from Falmouth, after 52 days paſſage, the Britiſh Packet Daſhwood, captain Roberts. Advices by this veſſel are not later than thoſe received by the Succeſs from Liverpool.

We learn from Lancaſter, that the following ſingular affair is founded on facts, and confirmed by Doctor Huſton. On the evening of the 11th ult. a young man having obtained information of ſome young women, near Wright's ferry, having formed a reſolution of going in the evening to a corn field to get ſome roaſting ears of Indian corn, reſolved he would go with a white ſheet about him, to repreſent a ghoſt, and have ſome fun in ſcaring them; but fatal was the conſequence to him; whether he ſaw any thing which might be permitted to chaſtiſe him for his boldneſs, or what incident fell out to craze his imagination we cannot tell, but ſo it turned out, that after running through the fields for ſome hours, at laſt he reached a houſe in a manner frighted beyond deſcription; he was immediately ſeized with epileptic fits, and continued to have frequent returns of them till they put a period to his exiſtence the middle of laſt week. Doctor Huſton attended him, and ſays, when he was not in theſe fits, he was always ſcared, and imagined he ſaw ſomething terrible, and cried to be taken away from it.

This is an awful warning againſt all attempts to terrify women and children, from which no good conſequences will follow, but ſometimes thoſe that are very fatal.

At a meeting of a number of ſubſcribers towards erecting a bridge over Schuylkill, it was agreed to appoint a committee to receive ſuch propoſals and models as may be offered by perſons of profeſſional and mechanical knowledge, which, if accompanied with minute eſtimates of the materials and expence, will prove more acceptable; the following names were agreed to: Thomas Mifflin, David Rittenhouſe, George Clymer, Samuel Powell, David Evans, Richard Wells, Francis Bailey, Francis Hopkinſon, John Kaighn, John Sellers, Thomas Harriſon, Tench Coxe, Thomas Moore, John Chaloner, John Roſs, Stephen Paſchall.

A writer in a late Virginia Gazette obſerves, that "an abridgment of foreign commerce would be the beſt encouragement we could poſſibly give to our own manufactures, to the emigration of artiſans from abroad, to population, agriculture, navigation and ſhip-building; in ſhort, to every art, ſcience, or occupation; and would, moſt effectually, enable us to obtain, with facility, a reciprocally advantageous intercourſe with foreign nations. There can, he adds, be no encouragement for manufactures to be attempted, as long as a preference to the manufactures of other countries ſo infatuatedly prevails among us.

SHIP NEWS.

His Britannic Majeſty's Packet Grantham, commanded by James Bull, Eſq; will ſail with the mail from New-York for Falmouth, on Wedneſday the 5th inſt.

His Britannic Majeſty's Packet Daſhwood, Roberts, from Falmouth; John and Mary, Lowndes, from St. Croix; Delight, Smith, from Turks Iſland; George, Allen, from Rhode Iſland, and Betſey, Lawton, from Halifax, are arrived at New-York.

The Juno, Weeks, from Briſtol: Joſeph, Davis, from Gottenburg; Betſey, Winn, from St. Thomas: Two Brothers, Graves, and Sans Souci, Crozier, from Virginia; Sally and Polly, Sturgis, from Connecticut, and Agnes, Dennis, from St. John's, are arrived at Boſton.

, The City Troop of Horſe, commanded by Colonel Miles, will meet at the uſual Place of Parade this Afternoon at 3 o'Clock.

September 3

☞ *The Light Infantry attached to the 1ſt Battalion are requeſted to be punctual in their attendance at the uſual place of parade, at 2 o'clock this afternoon.*

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennſylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inſt. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the ſeveral Lodges under their juriſdiction are requeſted punctually to attend.

co ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

John Sparhawk,

On the north ſide of Market-ſtreet, ſecond door eaſt of Second-ſtreet,

HAS FOR SALE

ROYAL Bibles for churches, family bibles of various ſizes, ditto with cuts, Cooke's voyages round the world, particularly the laſt, with plates, Abbe Raynall's hiſtory of the Indies, 8 vols, Gibbon on the decline, &c. of the Roman empire, 6 vols, the hiſtory of modern Europe, Burgoyne's expedition from Canada in 1777, Guthrie's geography, Salmon's ditto, new edition, Martin's philoſophy, Rowning's ditto, Nicholſon's ditto, Cruden's concordance, Sherwin's tables, Stone's Euclid, Cunn's ditto, Simpſon's ditto, Hammond's algebra, Robertſon's navigation, Moore's ditto, annual regiſter, Spaniſh dictionaries and grammars, French ditto, Engliſh ditto, Ferguſon's aſtronomy and lectures, preceptor, Burn's juſtice, Blackſtone's commentaries, Gilbert's law of evidence, Crompton's practice, Van Swieten's commentaries, Cullen's works, Potts' ditto, the medical commentaries, Lewis's new diſpenſatory, Quincy's medical lexicon, Flemyng's phyſiology, Aſtrue, Chapman, Falck and Hunter on the venerial diſeaſe, Morgagni on diſeaſes, Hulm and White on child-bed women, ſchool books, &c. &c.—Caſes of ſhaving equipage, the beſt razors, nine inch globes, twelve inch ditto, mathematical inſtruments, two-pole chains, carpenters menſuration rules, gauging rules, thermometers, ivory hydrometers for proving ſpirits, the beſt ſpectacles in ſteel and ſilver, concave ditto for near ſights, reading glaſſes, pocket teleſcopes and microſcopes, gold leaf, miniature picture caſes, ſurgeons pocket inſtruments.—A general aſſortment of drugs and medicines, green and white phials ſorted, or the ſmall ſizes may be had ſeparate, ſpecie bottles, from one to ſix quarts, receivers, from three to five gallons, glaſs globes, cylinders and tubes for electricity.

N. B. Fine caſtor oil in bottles.

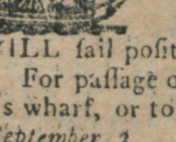
TO BE RENTED,

A large commodious Houſe in Second-ſtreet, above Arch-ſtreet, the corner of Elfrith's Alley.

WASTE ſandy vallies, once perplex'd with thorn,
The ſpiry fir and ſhapely box adorn:
The leafleſs ſhrubs the flowery palms ſucceed,
The odorous myrtle to the noiſome weed.
The gathering flocks on unknown hills are fed;
O'er dreary wilds the yellow harveſt ſpread;
The foreſts wonder at the unuſual grain,
And ſecret tranſport fires the conſcious ſwain.

ANECDOTE.

UPON the death of archbiſhop Matthews in 1628, the king had ſo many applications that he was exceedingly perplexed how to diſpoſe of this high preferment, ſo as not to give offence to ſeveral noblemen, who had much preſſed him for the appointment: in this diſagreeable ſuſpence he applied one day at court to Dr. Mountain, who is reported to have been of low extraction, but then biſhop of Durham, for his advice, I faith, ſays the king, I am diſtreſſed beyond meaſure to ſtear clear of the ſhoals of eccleſiaſtical applicants that ſurround me. If your majeſty hadſt faith as a grain of muſtard ſeed, replied the ſagacious divine, thou mighteſt ſay to this Mountain, pointing to himſelf, be thou removed into the See, and it would obey thee.



For CORK,

The Ship PATSEY RUTLEDGE,
William Bell, Maſter;

WILL ſail poſitively on Thurſday the 6th inſtant. For paſſage only apply to the Captain at Huddle's wharf, or to ROSS & VAUGHAN.

September 3 4ſp

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan,
John Barclay, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.
John Miller,

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

Auguſt Magazine.

THIS DAY IS PUBLISHED,
(Price a Quarter Dollar)
THE
Columbian Magazine,
For AUGUST, 1787.
EMBELLISHED WITH
A VIEW of GRAY'S FERRY on the Schuylkill.
CONTAINING,

1 THE Foreſters: an hiſtorical tale (continued)
2 Reflections on the different humours of mankind
3 The priſoner: a ſentimental novel
4 A treatiſe on religion (continued)
5 Extract from Mr. Jefferſon's notes on Virginia, with additional remarks by Mr. Charles Thomſon
6 And eſſay on friendſhip
7 The benefits of charity: a dream
8 On the nature and origin of peat or turf, and the propriety of cultivating it in America
9 Experiments and obſervations on the evaporation of water—By S. Latham Mitchel, M. D.
10 An eſſay on flattery
11 The trifler
—— Concordia's letter on the ſimilitude of manners requiſite for matrimonial happineſs
—— B's reaſon for declining to give his name to a friend's child
12 The dog of the tombs
13 Fretana's complaint againſt a ſtudious huſband
14 Account of paternal authority ſtill ſubſiſting in Egypt
15 Hiſtory of Amelia, or malevolence defeated: a novel

Hiſtorical Scraps.

16 The rank which negroes hold in the Spaniſh colonies
17 The riſe and progreſs of colonization in America, and early opinions upon the ſubject
18 The character of Zenobia

Anecdote.

19 Of a rational parrot, cited from a learned author—By the celebrated Mr Locke

The Columbian Parnaſſiad.

20 Verſes upon Gray's ferry
21 On humanity
22 Part of the oſciad verſified
23 Part of the ſame
24 On a walk in the ſtate-houſe yard
25 Verſes on the death of a child; addreſſed by a friend
26 Ænigma
27 A Rebus
28 Foreign intelligence
29 Domeſtic intelligence
30 Bankrupts
31 Marriages
32 Deaths

To which is prefixed a Meteorological Table for the Month of July, 1787.

Philadelphia: Printed for Meſſrs. Seddon, Spotſwood, Ciſt, and Trenchard; and ſold by the principal bookſellers in Pennſylvania; at Boſton by Meſſrs. Larkin and Hall, bookſellers; at New-York by Meſſ. Berry and Rogers, and Samuel and John Loudon; at Baltimore by Meſſrs. Spotſwood and Clakre, bookſellers; at Annapolis by Mr. Green, Printer; at Richmond and Williamſburg by Meſſrs. Hunt and Adams; at Charleſton, South-Carolina, by Meſſrs. Wright & Co. at Savannah by Mr. Philip Hearne, bookſeller.

‡ The preſent Magazine cloſing the year, it is thought proper, by the proprietors, to inform the Public, that the renewal of the ſubſcriptions will not be ſolicited till the firſt of January next; when, including the price of the intermediate numbers for September, October, November and December, the ſum to be paid will be ſixteen ſhillings and eight-pence. With the Appendix, in December, will be delivered an Index and Frontiſpiece, to compleat the firſt vol. of the Columbian Magazine.

Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the laſt importation from the Eaſt-Indies,
To be Sold by Charles Wharton,
At his Store near the Drawbridge,
Who has alſo for ſale, a large aſſortment of
Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Liſbon Wine in quarter caſks, Weſt-India Rum, Muſcovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c. 2awſw

FOR SALE BY

Frederick W. Starman,

In Fifth street, near the corner of Market-street,

PORK and beef in barrels
Dutch soal leather
Fine post paper in quarto
Medium ditto in folio
Haerlem long lawns
Ditto laces
A few boxes of calicoes and chintzes
Coffee mills
German straw knives
And sundry other Articles of DRY GOODS and IRONMONGERY, which he intends to sell very low for cash or produce.

Aug. 15. 6t2aw

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,

At their store on Mease's wharf, the second below the Drawbridge,

Pennsylvania refined Barr Iron,
Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughshare moulds with and without bars
English, German, and American steel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate } STOVES
Small ditto }
Franklin and }
Rittenhouse }
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other castings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, sugar, coffee, &c. August 29. eo1m

Duncan Ingraham, junr.

HAS FOR SALE,

LOW-PRICED German calicoes
Table linen of all sizes
Napkin diapers
Clouting ditto
Corduroys
Table knives and forks
Hammers
Cutteaus
Desk and drawer locks
HL hinges
A variety of blank books
Window glass 7 by 9 and 8 by 10
Sheathing and drawing nails
Scupper ditto
6d sharps ditto
2s flat point ditto
3, 3 1-4, 3 1-2, and 3 3-4 inch cordage
White and tarred spunyarn
Marline and housline
Holland geneva of a superior quality in cases
Genuine Madeira wine of London particular and London market qualities, in butts, pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks
Musquets
Roll brimstone in casks
Rotten stone in ditto
Lisbon salt, &c. &c. August 27 eodtf

FOR SALE BY

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

A parcel of

First and second quality *SUGARS*,

And a few Hogsheads

Well-flavoured *RUM*,

Lately landed from on board the Minerva, from St. Croix; also,

CORK Canvas, ratassia in cases, liquers and lavender water in ditto, &c. &c. To be rented, that commodious stack of stores and wharf in front, now in the tenure of Messieurs Robert Lewis and Sons: possession will be given the 1st November next. Also, for sale, and a credit given for the purchase money, a House and Lot of Ground, about four acres, situate in Bowman's lane, about half a mile from Germantown. Apply to W. and J. Sims. Aug. 28. 2awtf

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James Newport,

At his Distillery Store, in Front-street (west side) six Doors above Arch-street,

Has by Wholesale and Retail, of very best Quality, at the lowest Rates,

MADEIRA } Wines
Lisbon }
Teneriffe }
Jamaica Spirits
West India Rum
Philadelphia & New England Rum
Plain Brandy
Rasberry ditto
Cherry ditto
Gin in casks and cases
Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Cinnamon Water
Anniseed ditto
Clove ditto
Orange ditto
Pepper-mint ditto
All-Fours
Spirits of Wine

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.

N. B. Good Allowance is made to those who buy to sell again. Aug. 18. 2awtf

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TO BE SOLD BY

John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,

The Cargo of the Brig St. John

Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal: Consisting of

Port and Faval Wines,

Four years old, in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks:

ALSO,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins }
Silk serges }
Slain and striped lutestrings } of various colours
Seclongs }
Saduasoys and spotted silks }
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New-England Rum 2aw

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ALL persons indebted to the estate of *Richard Tarbet*, late of this city, merchant, deceased, are requested to make payment of their balances as soon as possible; and those who have demands upon said estate, are requested to produce them to

Isabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguson, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for sale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet's* Importation, in part consisting of striped and plain kentings of sundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts; a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be sold wholesale at prime cost, for cash.

Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

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Lecture on Heads,

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PART III.

Physical Wig——Dissertation on Sneezing and Snuff taking——Life of a Blood——Woman of the Town——Tea-table Critic——Learned Critic——City Politician homourously described——Gambler's three Faces——Gambler's Funeral and Monument—Life and Death of a Wit——Head of a well known Methodist Parson, with a Tabernacle Harangue.

BOOKS BY AUCTION

On Tuesday and Friday Evenings. Aug 20

Steemer, Albright & Lahn,

HAVING established a *Weekly* GERMAN NEWSPAPER, at Lancaster, which circulates through almost every part of Pennsylvania and Maryland (particularly through the interior parts of Pennsylvania) inform those who wish to communicate intelligence respecting the sale of houses, lands, and other property, or any other kind of information, to the *Germans*; that Advertisements are inserted in the said Paper, on the same terms as in the Philadelphia Papers—the translation *gratis*. Application may be made to Mr. CHARLES CIST, Printer, in Race street, a few doors below Second street, Philadelphia, who will forward instructions for the above purpose.

They likewise perform all kinds of Printing Work in the English and German language, on moderate terms, with care and expedition: and constantly have for sale, an assortment of English, German, French, Latin and other School-Books; Books of Entertainment; Blank-Books, and all kinds of Stationary.

N. B. They also keep a valuable *German* CIRCULATING LIBRARY. Aug. 24. 1awtf

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EDUCATION.

THE subscriber takes the liberty of informing his Friends, that he has just opened, in a large, cool Room, a *SCHOOL for BOYS*, in Walnut street, nealy opposite to the Friends' Alms house, where he proposes teaching Reading, Writing, Grammar, Arithmetic, the Mathematics, Geography, the Use of the Globes, &c. His school to consist of about 36 or 40 scholars, for which number he intends having 30s each per quarter.

He also continues to take *GIRLS* from half past 11 to half past One,

Aug 28 *JOSEPH SHARPLESS.*

THE Partnership of *Cummings & Kean*, by mutual consent being dissolved: All persons indebted to the said Copartnership are desired to come and settle off their accounts; and those that have any demands against the said Copartnership are requested to furnish them with their accounts on or before the 15th day of September next.

Philadelphia, August 16, 1787

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *George Redpath*, late of this city, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands against said estate, are requested to bring them in, *legally attested*, for settlement, to *PETER JANUARY*, Administrator

August 28.

WE, the subscribers, being appointed Auditors by the court of common pleas of Philadelphia county, to audit the accounts and adjust the demands of all the creditors of *Peter Smallwood*, late of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, shoemaker, and to make sale and dispose of the Estate and Effects lately seized upon a domestic attachment, wherein *Thomas Towne* is plaintiff, and the said *Peter Smallwood* defendant, do hereby give Notice, that we shall meet at the house of *Nathan Boys*, in Front street, opposite Union street, on *Monday* the 10th of day of September next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the business aforesaid, where the respective creditors are desired to attend with their demands legally proved.

MARK WILLCOX,
WILLIAM PRICE,
JOHN DAVIS.

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787

THE subscriber respectfully informs the Public in general, and his Friends in particular, that he has taken that large and commodious *INN* opposite to John Lukens, esq's. surveyor general, in Market street, near the corner of Seventh street, at the sign of the White-Horse, where all Gentlemen Travellers and others who please to favour him with their custom, may depend upon meeting with good Entertainment and kind Treatment on the most reasonable terms.

By the Public's humble Servant,
ROBERT ERWIN.

Philadelphia, August 22.

THE Subscribers having been duly chosen Assignees of the Estate and Effects of *Mathias Slough*, of the borough of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, according to an Act of Assembly of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the Regulation of Bankruptcy:" Therefore all persons indebted to the said *Mathias Slough*, by Bond, Note, Book Debt, or otherwise, are required to make payment unto *Joseph Hubley*, of the borough of Lancaster, or to *Richard Footman*, Philadelphia, before the first day of November next, or they will be proceeded against as the law directs.

Richard Footman, }
Caleb Foulke, }
James Abercrombie, }
Owen Jones, junr. } Assignees.
Robert Coleman, }
Joseph Hubley, }
Sebastian Graff, }
Alexander Lowry, }

Lancaster, August 16, 1787. 1aw10w

To be Sold very Cheap,

An Elegant

Marble Chimney Piece,

Inlaid with Egyptian Green Marble: also, several

Setts of Obelisks and Vases,

Made of Derbyshire spar, for ornaments on mantle pieces——To be seen at

William Stiles, Stone-Cutter,

No. 645 Third-street, near Spruce street, Philadelphia.

Ten Dollars Reward.

Last night was stolen from the store of the subscribers

21 Cases Holland Gin,

Marked F C M. numbers of the cases unknown. Any person that will apprehend the thief or thieves, so that the property may be recovered, and they brought to justice, shall receive the above reward, and all reasonable charges paid by Aug 29

dtf Pickering & Hodgdon

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HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

TO BE SOLD,

THE Time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has to serve about one year and a half. She is a strong hearty working girl, and would suit best in the country. She is sold for no fault, but for impertinence to her mistress. Apply to

JESSE CROSLEY, Keeper.

Philadelphia Work House, August 10. 2awtf

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3m JOSIAH HEWES.

A Lad Wanted.

Wanted in a Compting-House, a Lad about 14 years of age, of good character, he must write a fair hand, understand figures, and be well acquainted in the city. Enquire of the Printers. 2awtf

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To be Sold at Private Sale.

THAT valuable PLANTATION formerly the property of Wilson Hunt, Esquire, in the township of Maidenhead and county of Hunterdon, New Jersey, lying on the post road between New York and Philadelphia, eight miles from Trenton, and four from Princeton, containing upwards of four hundred and twenty acres of excellent land, one hundred and fifty of which is good English meadow, which will produce one hundred and seventy tons of hay annually; the upland is rich and fine for any kind of grain, and very natural to grass; forty-five acres of fine thrifty timber, of the best kind, a large bearing orchard of the best grafted fruit, two good barns, and a new hovel, that will contain upon the upper story ten tons of hay; a well of good water near the dwelling-house, and about the middle of the plantation is a delightful eminence, that commands at one view the whole farm. For terms apply to William Neilson, Esquire, New-York, Abraham Hunt, Trenton, Archibald Mercer, Millstone, or the Subscriber on the premises.

May 22. 1awtf JOHN P. SCHENK.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Christian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, August 22. eptf

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the subscriber, living in Worcester township, Montgomery county, on *Tuesday* night last, a Mulatto *WENCH*, named *CHLOE*; took with her a blue and white striped long gown, one calico ditto, two calico and one white short gown, a good black silk bonnet, a red calimanco skirt, aprons and handkerchiefs, &c. She is a stout, well featured Wench, nearly 22 years of age, a countenance rather resembling an Indian than a Negro, has a remarkable spot or scar under one of her eyes, black curly hair, generally frized up to imitate a cushion; she has been taught to read, and is a plausible, cunning husly; when she smiles or laughs an extravagant degree of pleasure diffuses itself over her face; she has been registered according to law: it is suspected she has come to this city, and that some of the Negroes in the suburbs will endeavour to secret her. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry her off at their peril. Any person apprehending the said Wench, and securing her so that her master may get her again, by giving information to *David Rittenhouse*, esquire, or the subscriber, shall receive the above Reward, paid by

Aug. 16. 12sp *BENJAMIN RITTENHOUSE*.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

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TO BE SOLD.

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL who has two years and 4 months to serve: she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

August 30 eotf

TO BE SOLD.

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist-Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill, in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. eptf

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LOST,

The following

Loan-Office Certificates:

No.		£.	s.	d.
4909	*John Reedle*, for	375	0	0
4894	ditto	15	0	0
4901	ditto	122	10	7
4902	ditto	5	13	2
4895	ditto	1	17	6
4896	ditto	3	15	0
4903	ditto	24	10	6
4904	ditto	36	5	0
4897	ditto	10	6	3
4898	ditto	14	1	3
4907	ditto	150	0	0
4908	ditto	112	10	0
4899	ditto	25	14	7
4900	ditto	78	3	1
4905	ditto	91	9	0
4906	ditto	104	17	9

Two years interest paid on them all.

A Reward of *THIRTY DOLLARS* is offered to any person or persons who will deliver the abovesaid Certificates to the subscriber, or for any of them in proportion. Care has been taken in the proper office to stop the payment of them; and all persons are earnestly requested to stop the abovesaid several Certificates, or either or any of them, if offered for sale or negociation, and give notice thereof to the subscriber, living on the south side of Arch, between Second and Front streets, the corner of Chancery-lane, in the city of Philadelphia. *JOHN REEDLE.*

July 16 2awtf

Taunton Iron-Works

FOR SALE:

CONSISTING of a Furnace, and Forge adjoining, in exceeding good order; Part of a Saw Mill; 3000 Cords of Wood already cut, and every Article necessary for carrying on said Works, with the Tract of Woodland which the Works are upon, and a very large Body of good Ore; the Castings and Bar Iron are well known to be equal to any at market.

The above Works are situate in Burlington county, West-Jersey, distant 17 miles from Philadelphia and 8 miles from a navigable creek leading to the same.

Bar or Pig Iron will be received in payment for a considerable part of the purchase. For further particulars please apply at said Works, to

Taunton, May 29. 1awtl. GEORGE HASTINGS.

Naamans Creek, August 1, 1787.

TO BE LET,

THE MILLS situated on the head of the tide water at Naamans creek, and belonging to the estate of Abraham Robinson, deceased: they consist of a Grist-Mill compleatly fitted for merchant and country work, with two pair of best burrs, and an Oil-Mill, both in good repair; the whole within 20 miles of Philadelphia, where the great road to Wilmington passes the creek, in a populous neighbourhood, within one mile of Marcus-Hook, having water carriage to the mill-tail. With the above mill will be rented, a Stone Dwelling House, a Brick Bake House, and Cooper's Shop, and a few acres of Land, with Stables, &c. The whole will be Let on Lease for three or more years, and may be entered on as soon as the agreement is compleated.

Any persons having any demands against the said estate, are requested to bring in their accounts for settlement; and those indebted either on bond, note or book account, are desired to make immediate payment.

SARAH ROBINSON, Executrix.
THOMAS ROBINSON, Executor.

To be Sold by the above Executors—A SHALLOP that will carry 1100 bushels of wheat: she is almost as good as new, and has sails and rigging, &c. in good order; the whole or half of her is to be disposed of, as may best suit the purchaser. Any person wishing to purchase, may see the shallop and know the terms by applying to *THOMAS ROBINSON*, at Naamans creek. eop1m

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STOLEN on the night of the 15th instant, out of the pasture of the subscriber, in East Caln township, Chester county, a SORREL HORSE with a bald face, the white turns a little to the near side, 14 hands high, about 8 years old, has no brand or ear mark that is remembered, a natural trotter, has lately had the fistula, shod all round, the fore shoes steeled; the thief was a school master in the neighbourhood, who went by the name of *James Armstrong*, a small sized man: had on a half worn castor hat, a light coloured cloth coat, buckskin breeches and new shoes; he has two jackets with him, one of which is silk, and too large for him. The same night there was stolen from one of the neighbours, a snaffle bridle and an old fashioned hunting saddle which has been new seated with harness leather. The above person was seen riding the aforesaid horse near Philadelphia next day after he was stolen. Any person securing the Horse and Thief shall have *EIGHT DOLLARS REWARD*, to be paid on conviction, or for the Horse only, *FOUR DOLLARS* and reasonable charges paid, by

August 17 ISAAC LEWIS, junr.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;

On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiſer.*

[Price Four-Pence.] TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1787. [No. 2677.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays.*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 4 PETER WIOFF, Auctione r.

On Friday Next,

The 7th Sept., at 9 o'clock in the morning. at the

Northern Liberty Auction-Store,

Will commence the ſale of a large and general Aſſortment of

MERCHANDISE.

THE Auctioneers beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that *Mondays* and *Fridays* are their ſtated days for ſelling Merchandize, and finding it inconvenient to hold ſales on Saturdays, they will for the future ſell Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture and other out-door Goods, on *Monday Mornings*, beginning preciſely at 8 o'clock. *Sept.* 3

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of *venditioni exponas* to me directed, will be expoſed to *Public Sale*, at the *Old Coffee-Houſe*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Tueſday* the 4th day of September next, at 7 o'clock in the Evening, a certain Piece of Meadow or Paſture Land, ſituate, lying and being in Paſſyunk townſhip, in Philadelphia county, adjoining land of John Cadwallader on the eaſt, of Henry Liſle and Joſeph Ruſſell on the ſouth, of John Bleakley on the weſt, and by South (or Cedar) ſtreet on the north, containing by eſtimation 4 acres, be the ſame more or leſs, with the appurtenances; taken in execution as part of the eſtate of James Meaſe, late deceaſed, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 20, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of Levari Facias, to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by Public Vendue, at the Old Coffee-Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, on Tueſday the 4th day of September next, at ſeven o'clock in the evening, a certain well-finiſhed three ſtory brick houſe, a three ſtory brick kitchen, and a three ſtory brick dwelling houſe fronting on an alley, with the lot of ground thereunto belonging, ſituate, lying and being on the weſt ſide of Second-ſtreet from the river Delaware, and between Vine and Saſſafras or Race ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia; containing in breadth on ſaid ſtreet 16 feet, and in length 100 feet to a 4 feet wide alley, leading out of Saſſafras-ſtreet northward into a 12 feet wide alley, extending to the ſaid Second-ſtreet; bounded weſtward with the ſaid 4 feet wide alley, northward by a lot belonging to the repreſentatives of Sarah Dilwyn, deceaſed, ſouthward by a lot now of Daniel Mackinet, and eaſtward by Second-ſtreet aforeſaid, with the free uſe and privilege of ſaid 4 feet alley, with the appurtenances. Taken in execution as late the eſtate of David Dominick, deceaſed, and Mary his widow, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Eſtate.

At the *Old Coffee-Houſe*, on *Tueſday* the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening,

Will be Sold to the Higheſt Bidder,

The Life Eſtate of Joſhua Puſey,

A Bankrupt, in the following Property:

A WELL finiſhed two ſtory brick houſe and two ſtory brick kitchen, on the north ſide of Pine ſtreet, between Second and Front ſtreet, now in the tenure of Mrs. York, and rents at 50l. and the taxes per annum; the houſe is 20 feet front by 32 feet deep, and built over an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide, of which it has a privilege. The lot is 80 feet deep, and ſubject to a ground rent of 40*ſ.* ſterling per annum.

A well finiſhed two ſtory brick houſe and two ſtory brick kitchen, ſituate on the ſouth ſide of Queen ſtreet, in the Southern-liberties of this city, between Front ſtreet continued and Swanſon ſtreet, now in the tenure of Mr. Frederick Bird, and rents at 35l. per annum: the houſe is 22 feet front by about 30 feet deep, with the privilege of an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide. The lot is 90 feet deep, and ſubject to a ground rent of ——— per annum.

A lot or Stamper's lane, in the townſhip of Moyamenſing, and about two miles from the city, containing two and a half acres of good meadow ground, is now leaſed to Mr. William Bronger, for the term of 5 years from the 1ſt day of March, 1784, at the rent of 15l. ſpecie per annum. Any perſon deſirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Aſſignee of the eſtate of Joſhua Puſey, a Bankrupt.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid bankrupt, are required to make payment to the ſubſcriber, on or before the 1ſt day of October next. Thoſe who neglect to comply with this requeſt will be proceeded againſt as the law directs. R. R.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29, 1787 th&tu.tf

Public ſale of Bankrupt's real Eſtate.

At the Old Coffee-Houſe,

On TUESDAY the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, a Valuable

Tract of Land,

SITUATE in Wheatfield townſhip, in the valley of Ligonier, and county of Weſtmoreland, containing 405 acres and 5 8ths, with allowance. This land was warranted and ſurveyed in the year 1786, for Claudius Paul Raguet, and is now ſold as property belonging to his eſtate. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered to the purchaſer free from any expence. Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

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All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid bankrupt, are deſired to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, who will be under the neceſſity of commencing ſuits, in a ſhort time, againſt all delinquents.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 30, 1787. R. R.

THIS DAY,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

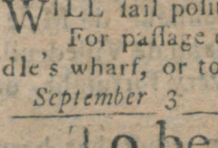
At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the ſale of a Large and Freſh

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandiſe on commiſſion, diſpoſed of at private ſale. *Sept.* 4.



For CORK,

The Ship PATSEY RUTLEDGE, William Bell, Maſter;

WILL ſail poſitively on Thurſday the 6th inſtant. For paſſage only apply to the Captain at Huddle's wharf, or to ROSS & VAUGHAN.

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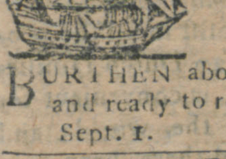
To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Iſlands,



THE BRIG

BETSEY,

Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine veſſel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to

Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS.

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR, William Brougham, Maſter;*

A STOUT Britiſh ſhip, with a new Mediterranean paſs; has good accommodations for paſſengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to ſail September 25th. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Sims's wharf, near Cheſnut-ſtreet, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

Auguſt 24. dtf

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

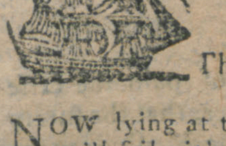
A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-ſtreet—Who have for Sale, A few Hogſheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ctt



For Alexandria,

(In Virginia)

The Sloop CHARMING POLLY, JOHN ELLWOOD, junr. Maſter;

NOW lying at the lower ſide of Arch ſtreet wharf, will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to the maſter on board. Aug 31 3eo

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dtf Pickering & Hodgdon

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HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

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Aug 18. 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

TO BE LET,

THAT commodious HOUSE in tenure of *William Bingham*, eſq; on the weſt ſide of Second ſtreet, at the corner of Lodge alley, together with the coach houſe, ſtable for ſix horſes, garden, &c. Poſſeſſion may be had in October next, Enquire of

Auguſt 30 6ſp CHARLES JERVIS.

TO BE SOLD, A

Handſome Grey Horſe

5 years old, about 15 hands and a half high, fit for a carriage or ſaddle: Alſo, a new CHAISE made of the beſt materials. They may be ſeen at ISRAEL ISRAEL's ſtable, in Cheſnut ſtreet. Aug. 9. 3tw4w

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is repreſented to this board that there are many of the line of this ſtate intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themſelves, or ſent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a reſolution of this Board, of the 31ſt day of Auguſt, 1786, they will be precluded, unleſs the time is prolonged ſo as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Reſolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1ſt day of October next, and that this reſolution be publiſhed, ſo that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,

JAMES TRIMBLE,

2awtO For John Armſtrong, jun. Secretary.

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw-Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan, John Barclay, John Miller, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

A LADY's MAID is wanted: one who perfectly underſtands Hair-Dreſſing, & can produce a good recommendation, may hear of a place by applying to the Printers. Aug. 22.

FOR the information of the Citizens of Pennſylvania, who are creditors of the United States, Notice is hereby given, that agreeably to an act of General Aſſembly, paſſed the firſt day of March, 1786, the loan thereby opened, where certificates of debts of the United States may be funded by this ſtate, will be cloſed with the laſt day of February next. JOHN NICHOLSON.

Comptroller General's Office, Philadelphia, Auguſt 30, 1787.

The different printers of newſpapers in Pennſylvania are requeſted to inſert the above in their papers once a month until the ſaid loan be cloſed.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 13, 1787.

NOTICE is hereby given to the MILITIA of the city of Philadelphia, the Northern Liberties of ſaid city, and the Diſtrict of Southwark, the Townſhips of Moyamenſing and Saſſyunk, that They are to mee and exerciſe under their reſpective officers on the following days, viz.

In Companies on The 3d and 10th of September
The Artillery, and
Firſt Battalion on the 17th of September
Second Battalion on the 18th of September
Third Battalion on the 19th of September
Fourth Battalion on the 20th of September
Fifth Battalion on the 21ſt of September
Sixth Battalion on the 24th of September
Seventh Battalion on the 25th of September

WILLIAM HENRY, Lieut. Of the City and Liberties of Philadelphia.

WANTED immediately in a family in this town, a healthy young WET NURSE with a good Breaſt of Milk. Enquire of the Printers. *Sept.* 1 3ſp

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *Houſe, Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water ſtreet between Arch and Race ſtreets. Enquire of John Thompſon, merchant, in Front ſtreet. 3taw3w

THE Creditors to the eſtate of Lewis Taylor, are requeſted to call on ARTHUR COLLINS, the ſecond week in September, to receive their third dividend. Auguſt 27. eo6t

To be Sold for Funded Certificates,

A SQUARE

In the City of Philadelphia, bounded by Broad ſtreet, and divided into 44 lots.

The Plan and terms will be made known by

Mathew M'Connell,

At the *Exchange-Office* in Second ſtreet.

Aug. 27 eo4t

To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a houſe in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Cheſnut ſtreets, or for a good veſſel,

Two new well-finiſhed Brick Houſes;

Situate on Eleventh and Locuſt ſtreets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingſton.

eo1m Auguſt 17

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, ſurviving Partner of *Meaſe & Caldwell*, has made an aſſignment of his own, as well as all the eſtates, both real and perſonal, of the ſaid Parnerſhip, to *Robert Millegan*, eſq; attorney at law, and the ſubſcriber, for the uſe of their creditors.——All perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are deſired to ſettle their reſpective balances on or before the 1ſt of October next, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced againſt them without further notice: alſo, thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Partnerſhip, are requeſted to furniſh their accounts to the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Aſſignee to *Meaſe & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787. 3taw1ſtO

A QUANTITY OF

Well aſſorted SHOT,

TO BE SOLD BY

Leonard Dorſey,

At the corner of Third and Arch ſtreets.

Auguſt 29, 3ſp1aw2w.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Moſt reſpectfully acquaints the Public, that he has commenced the Buſineſs of a

Notary Public, Conveyancer & Broker,

And has alſo opened an *Office* for the purchaſe and ſale of *Real Eſtates.* He flatters himſelf, that the utility of uniting thoſe ſeveral branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours uſeful.

As the buſineſs of a *Broker* has in a great meaſure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchaſing and ſelling of *Stock*, the ſubſcriber has ſeen the inconveniencies which both citizens and ſtrangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a conſiderable part of his preſent plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himſelf he ſhall prove a uſeful inſtrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to ſuch foreigners and ſtrangers as may have occaſion for his ſervices. He has therefore prepared himſelf for the receiving, buying and ſelling every kind of *Merchandize* on commiſſion, for procuring freight for veſſels, and hiring veſſels on charter. He will alſo purchaſe and ſell, on commiſſion, bills of exchange, bank ſtock, and all kinds of public ſecurities; in which ſeveral tranſactions his employers may implicitly rely on his beſt endeavours for their intereſts, on the moſt inviolable ſecrecy, and every poſſible diſpatch.

Third-ſtreet, below Market-ſtreet, June 2 } EDWARD FOX. tu&fmtf

Edward Fox,

NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER & BROKER,

Weſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, the firſt Houſe below Market-ſtreet,

BUYS and SELLS on Commiſſion, every Kind of

Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,

Public Securities, Bank Stock,

And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States.

He procures Freight for Veſſels,

And hires Veſſels on Charter:

Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan:

Diſcounts Bills and Notes:

Purchaſes and Sells REAL ESTATES:

Draws all Kinds of Deeds, Proteſts, Charter Parties, and other Inſtruments of Writing.

By a punctual attendance on the ſeveral duties which he undertakes, and a ſcrupulous regard to the intereſts of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of thoſe gentlemen who may from time to time have occaſion for his ſervices, in any or all of the above branches.

☞ Excellent Stores are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market ſtreets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on depoſits or ſatisfactory ſecurity.

LIKEWISE,

Buys and Sells on Commiſſion,

Bank Stock, Nicholſon's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Stelle's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper iſſued by Pennſylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,

A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, ſuitable for a country ſeat, or a perſon wiſhing to attend the market—Likewiſe, a *LOT* in Market ſtreet, a good ſtand for buſineſs

Wanted to Purchaſe,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennſylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Higheſt Price will be given.

Country People and others may be ſupplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Depoſits, and negociated ſo as to accommodate People with the Kind that may beſt ſuit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Cheſnut ſtreet, near the BANK.

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, conſiſting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling houſe 50 feet front, with a ſtone ſpring houſe, coach houſe, ſtables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the eſtate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, eſq; deceaſed, known by the name of *Clermont.* Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST, Broker*, in Market ſtreet, near Fourth ſtreet, who will at any time ſhew the premiſes, and alſo give a more particular deſcription of them. July 30 eotf

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for ſometime paſt kept the Inn in Black Horſe Alley; is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third ſtreet. He begs leave to ſolicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and aſſures thoſe gentlemen who formerly frequented that houſe and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themſelves and horſes, ſhall be furniſhed in the beſt and moſt careful manner, and on the moſt reaſonable terms.

Philad. May 16. 3tawtf

Six Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber laſt night, an indented Iriſh ſervant MAN, named Charles Newell, about 19 years of age, a ſtout, clumſy fellow, five feet ſeven or eight inches high, ſwarthy complexion, ſhort dark brown hair; had on a blue coat and veſt, with white metal buttons, olive coloured fuſtian breeches, knit brown thread ſtockings, and a pair of new ſhoes and braſs buckles. He carried off with him four ſhirts, two of which were new, of ſtrong country made linen, one ſpotted velveret veſt with linen backs, two pair trowſers, one old the other new, of ſtriped blue and white cotton. He arrived in the ſhip William and George, Capt. Strawbridge, from Londonderry, about 4 weeks ago. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervant, and delivers him to me, ſhall have the above reward, and reaſonable charges.

CHARLES RISK.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 12. 3ſpeotf

Foreign Intelligence.

NAPLES, May 5.

AFTER a rigorous winter, we have a wet spring, and colder weather than is usual in this climate.

We have received news of two of our merchants and a large felucca being taken by some Barbarians.

The king has ordered a man of war of 80 guns to be built at Castellamare, where two corvettes are now constructing.

May 19. Orders are issued for equipping a frigate, 2 galliots, and 2 xebecs. We shall very soon have 15 ships of war at sea.

The eruptions of Mount Vesuvius continue in a very irregular manner, This volcano frequently discharges stones to a very great height from its upper aperture, and the lava runs in several small torrents.

MADRID, May 25.

The treaty concluded between the court of Naples and the dey of Algiers is to continue in force only two month, instead of four, as was formerly mentioned.

LEYDEN, June 6.

The council of the town of Leyden have passed a resolution to charge the deputies to the states of Holland to vote for the absolute suspension of William V. from his offices, of which he had proved himself so unworthy; to retain all his appointments, and not to contribute any finance whatever to the generality. The other towns, which form the majority of the states of Holland, have already passed, or are just about to pass similar resolutions, so that we may soon expect to see Holland obliged to dissolve the union, and form an independent Republic if William persists in destroying the civil liberty.

The following is the compleat news since our last. On the 12th, the states of Holland met to consider the proposition made by Amsterdam, for appointing a secret committee to reside at the Cordon, to execute such measures without delay, as they, the committee, might judge necessary for the defence of that province; which the plurality agreed to, and immediately appointed Messrs. Carnerling, Blok, de Witt, Toulon, and Van Foreest, counsellors of the towns of Haerlem, Leyden, Amsterdam, Gouda, and Alkmaer, to be the said committee; the establishment of which proves how little a reconciliation may be hoped for; especially as at the moment the commissaries of the states had proposed to the council of the state to open a negociation; whilst on the other hand, the states general, at the request of Zealand, have taken a resolution against the consent of Holland, Overyssel, and Groningen, to order the troops which Holland pays, and which are on its own territory to quit it, and disobey the orders of their proper sovereign. In conformity to the spirit of this last resolution, one ensign Balneavis, a Scotchman, of Stuart's regiment, whom their noble and great mightinesses had dismissed for disobedience, having entered Oudewater in disguise, seduced a part of the third battalion of Walloons who were refractory, and after having surprized colonel Van Citters in his bed, carried off the mutineer's soldiers to Gueldres. The states of Holland have offered 2000 ducats to any person who will deliver this Scotch traitor into the hands of a provincial justice.

The regency of this town took the resolution yesterday, to propose to the states of Holland, the sending a deputation to the states general, to insist upon their revoking, within 24 hours, all the violent resolutions which they have taken within the three last weeks to the prejudice of the province of Holland, and in case of refusal, to declare solemnly the union broke with the three provinces, who are working the ruin of the state.' And we can say with confidence, that by the beginning of next week, the inhabitants of the province of Holland will present a general address for the same purpose.

HAGUE, June 7.

Tuesday last the council of the states presented to their high mightinesses a plan of mediation, the purport of which was to put a stop to all hostilities, to march back the troops of both parties from Utrecht, the one towards Holland, and the other towards the province of Guelderland. Several petitions or addresses were presented to the states, the purport of all which was to restore his highness the Stadtholder to his dignities, power and privileges.

June 13. The assembly of the states of Holland lasted yesterday until 7 o'clock in the evening. The proposal of the city of Amsterdam, relative to the establishment of a commission of defence is concluded upon, and the commissioners appointed, who are immediately to proceed to the frontiers. The first object of their care will be to put a stop to desertion among the troops of the line, which is got to so great a height that numbers go off daily.

June 15. The affairs of this country are much in the same situation that they have been in for some time past. Each party are using their utmost to gain the upper hand, and particularly a majority in the assembly of the states general; however, it is to be hoped matters will be settled ere long, and without bloodshed.

June 27.

The states of Utrecht assembled at Amersfort have sent a letter to the states general, dated June 5, in answer to one from their high mightinesses, relative to the ill usage received by a courier from Hanover, on the road in their province, by a detachment of hussars, of which the Hanoverian minister had made complaint and demanded satisfaction. The states of Utrecht confess, that they learnt, with much regret, the illicit treatment which the messenger received, both on the road and in the city of Utrecht; that they would readily enquire into the matter, punish the guilty, and make every possible satisfaction to his Britannic majesty, as elector of Hanover, if the present critical situation of affairs in the province did not put it out of their power; and they therefore desire their high mightinesses to use such means as they think fit upon the occasion.

Within these few days it has been discovered, that the Rhinegrave of Salm has privately removed his furniture out of the house he had taken here, which gives rise to many conjectures.

UTRECHT, June 13

Notwithstanding the high manner in which party affects to carry off matters, yet the situation of private families in this unhappy city is very distressing in every respect, and in none more so than in the burthensome company of the military and auxiliaries, between whom and the burghers many would insinuate that the most perfect harmony subsisted, while just the contrary is the case. The inhabitants have been, by the greatest violence, obliged to find quarters for the soldiers; and so far from any harmony subsisting between the military and auxiliaries, they entertain the greatest jealousy of each other.— In short, this once flourishing city, in which it was a pleasure to reside, is become the most wretched place to live in that can be imagined.

June 14 The grand point is at last gained; the states of Utrecht, lawfully convened and assembled in this city last Monday, have continued their meetings since, and have come to several resolutions for the interior administration of the province; placarts have been published, by which all the inhabitants are enjoined to acknowledge in the above assembly, their lawful sovereign, and they will soon appoint deputies to represent the states at the Hague. Thus as we have no doubt of the favourable dispositions of several of the provinces, we hope now to have a majority in the assembly of the states general.

VIENNA, May 23.

Since the late arrival of a courier it is reported that several messengers have been sent by the chancellor of state, with orders for the marching of several regiments towards the frontiers of Hungary, and for others to hold themselves in readiness to march; private conferences are also said to have been held between our generals. Whether there is any foundation or not for these reports, they certainly form matter of conjecture for our politicians, who are, however, in general, of opinion, that some matters of importance are really on the tapis.

May 27. We are assured that the emperor has already left Cherson, directing his road towards Lemberg, where his majesty will arrive about the 28th. There will be no camp in Gallica this year, neither will our monarch assist at that of Styria.— We are in hopes the emperor will be in this capital again by the beginning of next month.

The 10th inst. a fire broke out in the town of Hommenau, which consumed two churches, upwards of 50 houses, and a great number of shops. The fair being held that day, several foreign traders sustained considerable loss.

We learn from Zinkeredorf, in Hungary, that a countryman, while digging a well in that neighbourhood, found fifteen pounds weight of ancient coin, which he conveyed to the chamber of finance at Ædenbourg.

NIMEGUEN, June 9.

His serene highness the prince stadtholder, captain and admiral general of the union, is set out with a small retinue for Amersfort, to inspect the encampment of the troops assembled in the neighbourhood of that town, and to assist at the assembly of the states of Utrecht; her royal highness the princess accompanied her consort to a little distance from hence, and then returned. To morrow morning the princes their children will set out from hence to be present at the review of the Prussian troops, and will return on Wednesday next.

BERLIN, May 28.

We learn that in the arsenal of Vienna there are 4000 air muskets, which discharge ten times successively, after being charged only once. The invention is due to a native of Tyrol.

TURKY, May 13.

A corps of 4000 Ottoman troops is arrived in the neighbourhood of Ismael, and another of the same force at the mouth of the Danube. These troops are destined for the defence of Bessarabia in case of an unexpected attack.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 30.

After several extraordinary councils held upon the state of affairs, the Porte has declared, that to prove her sincere desire of preserving peace with the empress of Russia, she was disposed to submit the points in dispute to two powers, unanimously elected among the sovereigns of Europe. The Russian minister answered to this, that his sovereign, convinced of the justice of her claims, could not submit them to arbitration. The Janissaries threaten to depose the grand signior, if the Porte subscribes to the demands of the court of Petersburgh. The divan endeavours to appease the people by promises to declare war, or obtain an honorable peace. This conduct of the Porte demonstrates clearly, that after the answers given to the demands of the empress, the whole affair as has already frequently happened, will pass over in silence.

CHERSON, May 28.

The empress arrived here with her suite on Wednesday last the 23d instant. The emperor had reached this place so long ago as the 15th inst. but finding that the empress was not expected to arrive for some days, his Imperial Majesty set out to meet her; of which the empress having a few hours previous notice, her Imperial Majesty went on shore to receive the emperor, and their first interview took place a little above Ekaterinoslaw, where the empress's whole suite disembarked, and proceeded hither by land.

And this morning their Imperial Majesties set out for the Crimea.

LONDON, April 23.

The Americans from the great influx of East India goods, in consequence of their trade to China and India direct in their own ships, are now running those luxuries into different countries of Europe: even to Holland they are sending tea, and by some recent seizures, both in England and in Ireland, it appears some of the merchants of the United States have been dealing illicitly in muslins, silks and nankeens, to a very large amount.

Since the decision of the council in the case of Lingo against lord Rodney, which subjects the captors of St. Eustatius to refund all the private property seized on that island, the conversation of the town has turned much upon the impropriety of giving up the St. Eustatia seized papers from the secretary of state's office, the loss of which to the captors appeared manifest upon the trial. It appeared, that these papers had been obtained out of the secretary of state's office in some unaccountable manner by a Mr. Diggs, who acted as a comissary or agent for America in England during the war, and the whole transaction will be brought to light in a short time, lord Rodney being determined to appeal, and bring the matter before the lords.

The very first business of parliament after disposing of Mr. Hastings's impeachment, will be to investigate the loss of the St. Eustatia papers, so obtained by the American agent Mr. Diggs; a parliamentary summons will be issued for his appearance at the bar of the house of lords, and much heat and animosity have already passed between lord Rodney and lord Shelburne on the subject.

June 11. Letters from Amsterdam inform us, that to preserve the public peace, several companies of burghers mount guard day and night. The admiralty magazine, at Cattembourg is put under their charge; as in the late riot on the 30th ult. the mutineers fired from its windows.

June 19. The principal alterations in the department of the French finances took place on Tuesday se'nnight, and consist of the following:

1st. The suppression of the old council of finance.

2d. That of the committee in which M. le Noir presided.

3d. That of the council of commerce and the intendant belonging to it.

And lastly, an abolition of the four masters.

A retreat, or pension of 8000 livres, about 400l. sterling, is granted to all the counsellors of state who are displaced by this new arrangement.

His Majesty has at the same time established a new council of finance, which will be composed of all the ministers of state, the keeper of the seals, and Messrs. d'Ormesson and Lambert, counsellors of state. The duke of Nivernois and M. de la Malesherbes have been formally introduced into this council in their qualities of ministers, and the choice has given universal satisfaction. They have already so well established their reputation for talents and wisdom, that the happiest consequences are expected from their administration.

The council is to assemble at least once a month; but a committee consisting of the archbishop of Toulouse, the duke de Nivernois, Monsieur de Malesherbes, d'Ormesson, de Lambert, and de Villedeuil, comptroller general, will meet every fortnight, or oftener if necessary.

Advices from Paris say, that an edict has been just published there for the sale of all the crown lands, most part of the produce to be applied to the reduction of the revenue debts.

Extract of a letter from Ostend, June 11.

'The troubles that at present subsist in all the provinces of Holland have induced 20 Dutch families to take houses here, as this port is convenient for carrying on trade to all parts of the world; and more would have taken houses had there been any to let; it has raised the rents here considerably; however we look upon it as a lucky circumstance, as it will be the means of bringing a great deal of trade hither. A piece of ground is marked out as near the harbour as possible, to erect several capital houses and also warehouses.'

The count de Belgioiosa, who was formerly ambassador at our court from the emperor, and from his brother the grand duke of Tuscany, and who was recalled from England for the purpose of being appointed to the honorable station of prime minister of the Austrian Netherlands under the government of her imperial and royal highness the archduchess Christiana, has become the object of the resentment of the states of Brabant, who suppose his excellency to have been the adviser of the new system which the emperor wanted to introduce into the Netherlands, but which the general discontent of the country has made his majesty abandon. When the archduchess lately encouraged the states to deliver in a list of the names of the persons against whom they wished to prefer complaints, she found it necessary to shield count Belgioioso, by assuring the states that his excellency had done nothing in the whole business, but by the special order of the emperor.

June 22.

Translation of a letter from the Danish Consul at Algiers, to the Danish Consul in London, dated 28th April.

'Sir,

'I have read with a great deal of pain the false advertisements in a Dutch newspaper, that the surety of the Danish flag is menaced in the Mediterranean by the Algerines, which continues to alarm the freighters of our vessels in the ports of Spain.

'To calm the minds, and prevent prejudices which news of this nature might cause to the Danish navigation, especially being captured, I have the honor to confirm by the present, that there has been the most perfect understanding between our court and the dey, that it has never been attempted during my stay in Algiers, and that no nation whatever enjoys at present in this country a credit more solid than ours. It was in the month of August last that I had a serious conference with the principal officers of the marine, about an affair that has been in debate these forty years. The envious, jealous of our credit, and the confidence with which the dey honors me in particular, having suggested that we furnished the Hamburghers and other trading towns in the Baltick with Turkish passports, I have contradicted it in the clearest manner, the absurdity of such an insinuation, and answered in the severest terms, the assertions of the corsairs, who are always animated by the love of plunder. Having made at court the necessary reports of this affair, my steps have been approved of in the most gracious manner.'

AMERICA.

BOSTON, August 27.

On Thursday last, agreeably to the orders of colonel May, the regiment of this town, including captain Johnson's artillery, captain Turner's fusiliers, and captain Green's light infantry, all in uniform, appeared under arms, and at ten o'clock, A. M. marched on to the field, as did the corps of light infantry, commanded by captain Otis, where the whole formed a line, and performed various manœuvres and firings in a manner that drew from their spectable spectators the most flattering applauses—At two o'clock the whole marched into State-street, again formed the line, and were dismissed by companies,

The Boston fusiliers, after the regiment was dismissed, marched to Charlestown, where they partook of a frugal, but decent entertainment, provided for them at Warren Hall—at which they were honored with the company of the adjutant-general of the state, and the field officers of the regiment; a federal compliment of toasts, in which the *amor patriæ* of this corps was eminently conspicuous concluded the repast; after which they returned to State-street, and performed a number of firings with an exactness that could not be excelled.

NEWPORT, August 23.

The hon. gen. assembly of this state were to have convened agreeable to their adjournment, at Bristol on Monday last: but neither of the members of the Upper house attending on Monday to adjourn that house, a question on Wednesday arose in the Lower House whether the assembly could be formed so as legally to proceed to business; it passed in the negative, and the members retired without doing any business; it was however proposed by the gentlemen of the minority to hear the public letters; and to advise his excellency the governor respecting the propriety of specially convening the assembly before October sessions: a message was accordingly sent to the governor requesting the letters, but before they could be obtained so many of the members retired that the letters were not read and no advice was given.

A correspondent observes that the stated periods for the meeting of the honorable the legislature the last summer were not sufficient for doing the immense business that was carved out for the 'Relief of the distressed.'——Several sessions extraordinary were had for the very laudable purpose of depriving the citizens of trial by jury, framing and enforcing penal acts, tests, &c. to force people to take money——to force them to take money!!——what a metamorphosis; the citizens of Rhode-Island were formerly fond of money, but now force will not oblige them to take it; and what a metamorphosis in the ligislature too; so much business was done last year that there is none to do this, even at the times specified by law for legislating.

It is shrewdly suspected that either fear or conscience has got hold of some peeple; and the jockeys who led them into the scrape are afraid to trust them upon the public theatre, lest their antifederal and diabolical system should not be able to hold the plaudit of a majority of 23.——Why were not the public letters suffered to be read? The reason is obvious——there is a French proverb: Il n'y a que la verite qui offense——That is, Truth alone is offensive to the guilty.

PORTSMOUTH, August 18.

On Wednesday last arrived here the sloop Dolphin, captain Coffin, from St. Bartholomew.—Captain Coffin was informed by a number of English captains who were there purchasing lumber, &c. out of the American vessels, that the British government had contracted with several merchants, for upwards of 15,000 tons of shipping, to be employed in voyages to the several parts of this continent, in order to procure supplies for their West India islands.—However some may rejoice at the above intelligence (which may be relied upon as a fact) the American merchant, seaman and mechanick, must deprecate it as a measure calculated to take the children's bread and give it to the dogs. Step dame Britain still considers us as her rebellious children, and seem disposed to whip us into obedience. "You saucy rogues, (says she) I'll teach you to rebel against so righteous, so mild a parent. Independence, you wanted. Well, with my consent, you have it—but it shall prove a curse, for, by the Genius of my island, so long as I have authority to curb the waves of Neptune, you shall not have the least advantage in point of commerce. I'll teach you better—I will, you rogues—I have a rod in pickle for you in every quarter of the globe. See, you unruly boys, I only 'cry'd havock, and let loose the dogs of war' upon you, my beloved and adopted children, the Algerines. And furthermore, as a reward for your insolence, you shall have none of my excellent Jamaica spirits—no, you rogues, nor a grain of my excellent sugar and coffee—No, no, you rogues—you shall have none of my dainties, but starve upon bread and milk, butter, lamb, mutton, veal, excellent beef, poultry of every kind, and the greatest variety of vegetables—grow lean upon these—but not an article of mine shall you have to grow fat upon, until you are convinced that black is white, and by the same hypothesis, that you cannot exist without a dependence upon Great Britain, who is, and ever ought to be——the mistress of the world."

ALBANY, August 23.

Last week was taken up in this city, Lt. Col. J. Farrington—This is the person charged by a number of gentlemen in the town of Boston, of having forged their names as acceptors and indorsers to sundry promissory notes, which he had presented to the Massachusetts bank for discount; and for whose apprehension, a reward of 400 dollars was offered by the president and directors of the said bank, by their advertisement of the 7th current. Said Farrington delivered up effects to some gentlemen in this city, to the amount of between 5 and 600 dollars; and as his conduct was not fully known, he was permitted to return to Boston, under the guard of a single gentleman only.

NEW-YORK, August 29.

Such is the depravity and hardened disposition of the lower order of people, that, notwithstanding the solemn and exemplary scene exhibited at the gallows on Monday, a young man was detected in picking the pocket of a gentleman during the execution.

August 30. Last Saturday evening a fine boy, about seven years old, son of Mr. Pendleton, fell into the East River, near Peck slip, and was unfortunately drowned. His body was discovered and taken up on Sunday morning.

Yesterday morning, near Peck slip, as a baker's horse and cart were standing, in the absence of the baker who was serving his bread, an unfortunate man passed by, inconscious of danger, when the horse started and drove himself and cart, full speed, over him, which so fractured his skull, and otherwise wounded him, that the loss of his life will doubtless be the fatal consequence.

AUGUSTA, (Georgia) August 11.

IN COUNCIL, August 8, 1787.

Ordered,

THAT the Talk received from the Fat King, and the answer thereto, be published in the State Gazette.

Extract from the Minutes,

JAMES MERIWETHER, S. E. C.

In a Meeting of the Lower Creeks held in the Cussitahs, 27th July, 1787.

Talk of the Fat King to his Honor Governor Mathews and the Council, &c.

Friends and Brothers,

THE Talk you sent us in answer to ours by your commissary Mr. Barnard, we have seen this day: and as that talk is not deemed satisfactory by our people, we have agreed upon to send you this one more.

Friends,

'Tis not we that have forgot the talks at Shoulder Bone, but you. Among other things it was proposed by you, and agreed to by us, that no hasty revenges should be taken in future by either side, and in the late affair 'tis you that have been rash, for when the injury was done to you, you did not wait but for a little while and look around you, to find out from whence the blow came, but directly fell upon our people, your real friends, who were daily among your houses, and whose persons you well knew, and some that were taken declared themselves and town to you, which you disregarded; it might have been from people of another nation for what you knew at the time,

Friends,

You ought not to think of making us accountable for any measures of the Upper Towns, our brothers, they had two men killed last summer, and they can answer for themselves; and they went against you unknown to M'Gillivray or us, and he did not mean to break the promise he made to Mr. White, as he had declared to the whole nation, and a talk from him is still expected by us.

Friends,

You must give us immediate and ample satisfaction—life for life——an equal number for 12 of our people destroyed by you. The leader of those mad people that did the mischief, and so many of his people should fall for satisfaction ('tis our custom so to give it). Then the tears of the relations of the dead will be dried up, and our hearts not continue hot against you. For 'tis in vain that you call us friends and brothers, and don't consider and treat us as such; and as you wish the chain of friendship to be kept bright between us, we expect that you will not fail to give us the desired satisfaction, as we should have given to you, had we been in fault.

When you do this you will then send a gentleman into our land to renew friendship, as we have often gone into yours for such purposes.

By ALEXANDER M'GILLIVRAY.

In twenty days from the day that Mr. Galphin sets out, we shall expect the return of Mr. Galphin.

To the Fat King, and other Head Men of the Lower Creek Nation

WHEN we received your talk by Mr. Barnard, our commissary, we considered you as friends and brothers. In the one you now send us, there appears to be much reason to suspect you of deceit, and that you were then, as well as now, secretly our enemies. Whether this change has been owing to the duplicity of your beloved man, Mr. M'Gillivray, or whether you assume this conduct it matters not. On what principle can you demand satisfaction? Your warriors were killed for the murder of our innocent inhabitants, committed by your nation in direct violation of the most solemn treaties entered into with us. We wished, and still do wish we could forget the many and repeated injuries you have done us, during and since the late war with Great Britain. It is in vain to talk of satisfaction. Did you not last summer kill six of our peaceable frontier inhabitants? And did you not at Shoulder Bone engage to have an equal number of your men put to death for them? Have you done this! No. Did you not, just before we received your last talk, murder two of our people on Oconee? And did you not also, at the time Mr. Barnard was down from you, kill two white men? Have you complied with a single article of the treaties of Augusta, Galpinton, or Shoulder Bone? No. Instead of complying with your several engagements you have repeatedly murdered our innocent people, burnt their houses, and carried off their property. All these outrages we have submitted to, rather than enter into a war with you. Your conduct towards us would long since have authorised our putting flames to your towns, and indiscriminately killing your people; but a wish to be at peace with you, and to spare the effusion of the human blood have prevented this. *Now*, open your ears *wide*, and hear what we tell you: Should any acts of hostility or depredations be committed on our people by your nation, be perfectly assured we will not hesitate to do ourselves ample justice by carrying war into your country, burning your towns, and staining your land with blood. You will then be compelled to fly for refuge to some other country.

It now rests with you whether we engage in a war or not; if we do, remember yourselves are answerable for the consequences. The hatchet once lifted is not to be easily buried.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4.

The honourable George Mathews, governor of Georgia, has issued a proclamation, dated Augusta the 9th ult. setting forth, that, "as there is just reason to apprehend by dispatches received from the Creek nation, hostilities will very shortly commence on the part of the Indians:"—he has thought fit, by advice of the council, to call a meeting of the assembly of that state, to be held on Thursday the 20th inst. [See Augusta head.]

The following particulars, from a late English paper, shew to what extent manufactures may be carried by the industry and ingenuity of different artists, and what astonishing difference there may be in value between the primum and production, when those talents are skilfully exercised on some of the cheapest materials.

"One hundred pounds laid out in wool, and that wool manufactured into goods for the Turkey market, and raw silk brought home and manufactured in England, will increase that 100l. to 1000l. This quantity of silk manufactured sent to New-Spain, would return 10,000l. Though the Turkey market be in a great measure shut against the English manufacturer, his goods have found a vent in many other foreign markets, equally profitable. These profits become in a few years dispersed among all orders and degrees of persons, so that they not only enrich individuals, but become a public good.

"The same may be said of a parcel of iron stone, which when originally digged from its natural bed, is not worth more than 5s. but when manufactured into iron and steel, and thence moulded into all the various articles of iron ware, is capable of producing a sum not less than ten thousand pounds.

"Steel may be made near three hundred times dearer than standard gold, weight for weight; for six of the steel wire springs for watch pendulums shall weigh but one grain, and when appreciated by our greatest artists, they shall each be worth 7s. 6d. or 2l. 5s the six; whereas, a single grain of gold is worth no more than 2d.

"Twenty acres of fine flax manufactured into the dearest and most proper goods for foreign markets, may on return produce ten thousand pounds; one ounce of the finest Flanders thread has been sold in London for 4l. and such an ounce made in Flanders into the finest lace, may be sold for 40l which is about ten times the price of standard gold, weight for weight.

"That fine thread is spun by children, whose feeling is nicer than that of grown people, by which they are capable of spinning an exquisite thread, even smaller than the finest hair;—and one ounce of that thread is said to reach in length 16,000 yards."

Though the vices of the lower class of people may be contracted in the streets, in public houses, &c. yet they are never brought to such perfection as in prisons, where the finished villain and the half sinner associate, and the latter profits by the example of the former. There is no part of the benevolent Howard's plans so devoutly to be wished, as to make prisons places of solitude, and that petty offenders should be confined to hard labour, and segregated from the notorious villains.

The concussion of the atmosphere, occasioned by the explosion at the powder-mills at Clondalkin, in Ireland, was undoubtedly very great, but should we compare the shock to those frequently experienced in consequence of the eruptions of mount Hecla, Ætna, or Vesuvius, it may be considered as merely trivial, and not comparatively dangerous. The Elder Pliny fell a sacrifice to his curiosity in the year of Christ 81, and was driven to the distance of eleven miles, where his limbs were found in a condition that was shocking to human reflection. The cities of Herculaneum and Pompeii were buried under the ruins occasioned by the convulsion, and several thousand people destroyed by the sudden falling of an amphitheatre, in which they had been amusing themselves at the representation of some public sports and games. During the reign of the Emperor Dioclesian, there was another dreadful shock, and the writers of the age asserted, that the ashes driven from the cavity in the top of Vesuvius reached to the extremities of the European quarter of the globe. *Omnem fere Europam cineribus attigerat.*

Copy of a circular letter, addressed by a meeting of the merchants and traders of the city of Burlington to the merchants and traders of said county.

AT a meeting of the merchants and traders, citizens of Burlington, held on the 21st day of August, 1787, it was unanimously determined to request your attendance at a general meeting of the merchants and traders of the county of Burlington, at the house of Colonel Hoagland, in said city, on the first day of September next, at two o'clock, to determine upon the most eligible method of obtaining a repeal of an act passed by the General Assembly of New-Jersey, on the 4th day of June, 1787, commonly called the excise act.

Which we conceive to be not only impolitic at this time, but pregnant with the following evils, viz.

1st. As a majority of the people appear to be against it, great commotions and disturbances may arise, which will naturally tend to weaken the hands of government.

2d, Because we have ever held it as one of our greatest privileges, to have the chusing of officers ourselves, or have them appointed by those whom we have chosen to represent us; but this law denies us either; on the other hand, it puts it in the power of the most abandoned to preside in office over us, a thing which we suppose to be unconstitutional, and without precedent among a free people.

3d. It creates a new set of officers, therefore new accounts must be opened, and consequently a new source of expences, without any considerable prospect of advantage to the community.

4th. Because the duty is laid upon some articles which are chiefly consumed by the poor, while the rich are more favoured; for instance, loaf sugar of American manufacture may be used by the rich without paying any duty to the state, but the poor are obliged to pay for every pound of brown they consume.

5th. Because of the great embarrassments already upon trade in this state.

6th. Because we are subject to be examined from time to time, by an officer, whom we have no voice in chusing, nor any authority to call to account for malpractices he may be guilty of.

7th. Because it is required by this act, that an oath or affirmation must be taken, at the discretion of the excise officer, or his deputy, of the most minute articles, which we do not think it possible for a conscientious person to comply with.

Signed, on behalf of ourselves and others, Traders of this city.

Sterling & Norcross,
Thomas Cummings,
George Mitchell,
William Smith,
Andrew Craig,
William Cooper,
Richard R. Smith.

Mess. DUNLAP and CLAYPOOLE,

ONE of your correspondents supposes it a "laughable" matter, that the distresses of America should be redressed by a new federal government. "It is taken for granted," says he, "by the generality, that something is accidentally wrong in our political machine, which a little skill and contrivance may at once put to rights, by the magic of a few resolves upon paper, not considering that the evils and confusions we experience have originated in a great measure with the *people themselves*, and by them *only* can be eventually rectified."

Now I beg leave to ask, whether any thing the *people only* can do for *themselves* will relieve the merchant, the ship carpenter, and the numerous classes of mechanics, who have been ruined by the navigation laws of Great Britain? Whether œconomy in house-keeping in Philadelphia will keep our farmers from flying from a *heavy land tax* to the new states? And whether the widow—the orphan—and the citizen who is too old to labour, and who all anticipate poverty and misery in the extreme, from the deficiencies of the funding system of this state, afford a laughable scene, when they all with united voices cry out for a vigorous, efficient, protecting and paying federal government.

It may be a laughable matter to an officer of government, who can live under any kind of confederation, but it is not so to

A distressed original public Creditor.

From the NORFOLK and PORTSMOUTH JOURNAL.

Mr. PRINTER,

The following cures for that fatal disorder the FLUX, so rife in and about this borough, is offered to the public through the channel of your useful paper, in hopes their effacacious effects may be as fully experienced by those of my fellow citizens labouring under that complaint, as have been to my knowledge by numbers in the northern states.

Recipe 1st. Take about three quarters of an ounce of the rind of the oldest cheese that can be got, scrape it very fine in a pint (or less) of new milk, which let be thickened with the best superfine flour to the consistence of what is generally termed mush, which let be the patients constant diet till they find the flux inclining to stop, then work it off with any gentle purge; should they desist taking the medicine too soon, and find the disorder returning, have recourse to it again, and it will assuredly cure.

Recipe 2d. Take the inner bark of a white oak saplin or tree, of which make tea sweetened with the best double refined loaf sugar, which let be the patient's constant drink; if it proves unpalatable, dry the bark before a slow fire, and reduce it to a fine powder; a small tea spoon full of which may be taken in a glass of good port wine, warmed, in the morning fasting, and in the evening, observing to work it off as in the first recipe. This medicine is fully as effacacious as the other, and best suits those who, through a depraved appetite, cannot take the first medicine.

A CITIZEN.

Norfolk, July 23, 1787.

A Sketch of a good Senator.

A SENATOR is a character of great dignity and power. The lives, the liberties, and the properties of his fellow subjects, are connected with his senatorial conduct. He is one of the sacred trustees of the people, and if he is a wise and honest man, he will do the duty annexed to his elevated station in the most correct, conscientious, constitutional manner. Such a man will carefully and constantly attend the service of the public in the house, because he knows that he who, when he is chosen, does not attend, deserts his post of honour, and is almost as censurable—I was going to say as criminal, as he who absents himself, under the immediate operation of his hopes and his fears, in consequence of his wishes for preferment. A good senator is never a neutral member; being sensible that a person who is charged with the representative trust, and observes a timid, perhaps shameful neutrality, may be compared to the dastardly soldier who hides his head in the day of battle, covered with confusion, and sinking under the horrors of dismay. A good senator is always in his place, and always upon his legs, ready to defend the rights of the people, whenever he thinks them in danger; as he is never to be seduced by the smiles, neither is he ever to be terrified with the frowns of a great man. He never gives a vote towards the passing of any law, or resolution, which is not, he believes, in the sincerity of his heart, calculated to promote the benefit of the community at large. Never dazzled by false colours, never deluded by flattering friendships, he speaks with firmness what he really thinks, and while he keeps his understanding open to conviction, suffers not the arts of sophistry to mislead him.

S H I P   N E W S.

His Most Christian Majesty's Packet No. 9, Robert de Rougemont, Esq; commander, will sail with the mail from New-York for Havre the 10th inst.

The Hanover, Cook, from Bourdeaux; Kitty, Hourston, from Liverpool; Eliza, Craig, from Antigua; Dispatch, Tatem, from Martinique; ——, Livingston, from Port-au-Prince; Polly, Morris, from Montserrat; ——, Bunbury, from Charleston; Sally, Davidson, from Philadelphia; Charles, White, and Peace and Plenty, Ritter, from New-York, are arrived at Norfolk.

Vessels advertised in a Liverpool paper, June 21.

For Charleston,—The brig Susannah, Matthews, to sail the 28th June.——Ship Mercy, M'Dowell, early in July

For Norfolk and James River,—The Friends Adventure, 1st July.——Brig Atlantic, Hutchinson, early in July.

For Rappahannock River, Mary, Dawson, 1st July.

For Baltimore, William, Borradiale, 30th June.

For Philadelphia, John, Huxley, 24th June.

For New-York, ship Ann and Susannah, Quill, 30th June.——Ship Wilson, Thompson, 15th July.

From Lindsay's Norfolk Intelligencer, Aug. 19.

We are informed by Capt. Hewston, that on the 8th inst, he spoke a schooner in lat. 36. 0. N. and long. 70. 30. W. from Baltimore, bound to St. Thomas, out six days; and that on the 12th, saw a brig with a jury foremast and fore-topmast; it being calm, he could not speak her.

†,† A meeting of the members of *The Pennsylvania Society for the Encouragement of Manufactures and the Useful Arts*, is to be held at the University, This day at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for electing (by ballot) the officers of the society.—Every person, coming to vote, is to produce a receipt or certificate of his having paid his subscription to the general fund, or of having subscribed to the manufacturing fund; and the committees appointed to receive subscriptions, are requested to bring in the subscription books of the manufacturing fund. *Sept.* 4.

, A stated Meeting of the College of Physicians will be held this Afternoon at the University, at Five o'Clock. JAMES HUTCHINSON, Secretary.

To-Morrow, the 5th Inst.

At 12 o'clock at Noon—Will positively be sold,

At the City Auction Store,

About 40 Cases of

Bourdeaux Claret

Of the first Quality. Said Claret cost in Bourdeaux 18 livres per dozen; the Cases contain two dozen and a half each.

At same time will be sold a handsome IRON CHEST.

September 4

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

On Friday Next,

The 7th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,

Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are—A Quantity of

Damaged Woolens,

To be sold on account of the Underwriters.

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept* 3.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

For Charter,

The Ship A L E X A N D E R,

GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

LAST night the house of the subscriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A silver coffee pot, a silver tea pot, a silver cream pot marked E K. in a cyher, 5 table spoons, a soup spoon and 7 teaspoons, all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table spoon marked P. R. K. three teaspoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of sugar tongs, a large silver waiter, a small siver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a silver pint Can, a silver porringer, three silver tops taken from castors, a silver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by

REBECCA KEARNY.

Philadelphia, *September* 2   2w3taw

To be SOLD *by Public Vendue,*

At the Old Coffee-House, on the 12th day of September next, being the 4th day of the week, at 7 o'clock in the Evening, the following

Lots and Messuages,

Being Part of the Estate of Joseph Marriott, deceased,

V I Z.

A LOT in Moyamensing Township, containing 2 and a half acres, whereon is a frame dwelling house, garden, &c. adjoining land of Thomas Walling, Esq; Thomas Shoemaker, and the estate of George Emlen, deceased.

One other Lot in said township, on the Passyunk road, containing 4 acres, with a two story brick kitchen, &c. thereon, adjoining lands of Thomas Willing, Esq; estate of George Emlen, deceased, and the tavern formerly known by the sign of the Horse and Dray.

Likewise, sundry Lots in Southwark, and a Lot of 5 acres and 60 perches on the Germantown road, near Fair Hill, adjoining lands of John Dickinson, Esq; There are on the premises a good two story stone dwelling house and two other stone buildings, a tanyard out of repair, an orchard, a piece of meadow, and a good stone quarry.

Attendance will be given, and terms and other particulars made known at the time and place of sale, by

THOMAS MARRIOTT, *Executor.*

August 11.

A few R E A M S of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

T H E   P I D G E O N,

An admired new S O N G.

I.

WHY tarries my love?
Ah! where does he rove?
My love is long absent from me—
Come hither, my dove,
I'll write to my love,
And send him a letter by thee.

II.

To find him swift fly,
The letter I'll tye
Secure to thy leg with a string:
Ah! not to my leg,
Fair lady I beg,
But fasten it under my wing.

III.

Her dove she did deck,
She drew o'er his neck
A bell and a collar so gay;
She ty'd to his wing
The scroll with a string,
Then kiss'd him and sent him away.

IV.

It blew and it rain'd,
The pidgeon disdain'd
To seek shelter, undaunted he flew;
'Till wet was his wing,
And painful the string,
So heavy the letter it grew.

V.

He flew all around,
'Till Colin he found,
Then perch'd on his hand with the prize;
Whose heart while he reads,
With tenderness bleeds
For the pidgeon that flutters and dies.

Particulars respecting EULER, *the celebrated Geometrician.*

THIS celebrated scholar, who was born at Basil the 13th of August, 1707, died the 7th of September, 1783. On that day, after having amused himself in calculating the ascensional motion of the aerostatic machines, he dined with M. Lexelle and his family, spoke of Herschell's planet, and of the calculations that determine its orbit, with his usual intelligence and strength of mind; and then sent for his little grandson, drank tea with him, and smoaked his pipe. On a sudden, the pipe fell from his hand—his innocent play with the child—his calculations and his life were at an end. His death, which was not attended with a groan, was as easy as his life had been inoffensive and useful. This great man was a member of the academies at Petersbourg, Berlin, London, Paris, Turin, Lisbon and Brazil. The academy of Petersbourg, by whom his death was considered as a public loss, went into deep mourning for him, and are now about to place an elegant marble bust to his honour in their assembly-room.

Now Landing

From the BETSEY, laying back of the Subscriber's S T O R E,

Coffee, Sugar and Limes,

And for S A L E by

Kearny Wharton.

Sept. 4.   dtf

Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the best chosen

G R O C E R I E S:

As sago, oatmeal, barley, spices, Malmsey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, soy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup anchovies, capres, sallad oil, &c.

F O R   S A L E   B Y

John Dorsey.

Sept 4   3w3taw

New Paper Hanging

M A N U F A C T O R Y,

B Y

H. Ryves, J. Ashmead & W. Poyntell,

WHO respectfully inform the Public, that no attention or expence will be spared to render the Variety respectable, the Workmanship good, and the Prices low: and to enable them to prosecute it with that spirit they wish, they hope to share the favours of all who are pleased to Patronise the American Arts.

May be had, in any Quantity, at said *Poyntell's* Store, in Second street, the corner of Black-Horse alley—Who has on hand, the largest Assortment ever offered for sale in these States.

May also be had at *Ryves & Ashmead's*, the corner of Third and Spruce streets.

Orders from Merchants in any of the neighbouring States, will be executed on such terms as to ensure a continuance of their favours.

Philadelphia, June 25, 1787.   1awtf

Fifteen Dollars Reward.

ABSENTED himself from the service of the subscriber, a Black Servant MAN, named *Pompey*, on or about the 20th ult. He is of a middle size, of the age of 35 or 40; formerly he lived in Monmouth county, in New-Jersey; he is lame in one of his hips, and limps much when he walks; he has much to say for himself; brought up a house servant, and is a good plain cook: had on when he went away, either a red or a blue coat, under cloaths not known. He went from New-York in company with an Irishman, a taylor, in the Amboy Stage-Boat, and it is supposed that he is either gone to Pennsylvania or is still in New-Jersey. Whoever will secure the aforesaid Fellow that the proprietor may get him again, shall receive the above Reward, by informing him where he is secured, or by bringing the Servant to Mr. *John Ratoone*, Ratoone, South-Amboy, or to Mr. *Andrew Clow*, Merchant, Chesnut street, in Philadelphia.

JOHN C. DONOON.

Staten-Island, August 17.   3taw2w

Robert Lesslie,

Clock and Watch Maker,

Has removed from Front street to the North-East Corner of Second and Market streets, where he continues to carry on said Business in all its various Branches; and has for Sale

Gold, Silver, Tortoise Shell & Gilt

W A T C H E S:

He makes CLOCKS and TIME-PIECES on a new and improved Plan, one of which may be seen at his Shop, not subject to any visible variation from the different changes of the weather. Such persons as have Clocks or Time-Pieces of any kind, going with either Weight, Spring, Pendulum or Balance, may have the above additional Improvement annexed to them at a small expence, by applying to said LESSLIE.   August 6   4t

Juſt arrived, and now landing from

on board the ſloop Apollo, Wm. Place, maſter, from St. Vincent's and Grenada, now lying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf,

A parcel of excellent Rum,

And a few hogſheads and barrels of

Muſcovado Sugar,

Which will be diſpoſed of on reaſonable terms, by

Conyngham, Neſbitt & Co.

Auguſt 25

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his ſtore in Water-ſtreet, below Market-ſtreet,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, ſilks and ſilk ſtockings, fans, fine and ſecond cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an aſſortement of looking glaſſes framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Laſt Importation from Marſeilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old ſherry wine in quarter caſks, muſcat wine of a ſuperior quality in hogſheads, ſoft and hard ſhell almonds, ratafia in boxes, ſugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniſeed, liquorice ball, an aſſortment of grind ſtones. Likewiſe, Eſſences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of Lacaze and Mallet are deſired to make payment to ſaid James Vanuxem; who is empowered by the aſſignees of ſaid houſe to ſue for the ſame. Auguſt 30. 2awtf

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James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-ſtreet,

HAVE FOR SALE

A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;

ALSO,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the firſt quality, in caſes
Port wine
Weſt India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron ſhovels, ditto
Pork
Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few caſks of rice
Salmon
Lynn ſhoes
Boſton iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Braſs kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

STORE,

In Third ſtreet, oppoſite Church alley——A freſh Aſſortment of

Muſlins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glaſs, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Liſbon, Port, Calcavella and Weſtern Iſland Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Coal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf.

Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-ſhare moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate / Small ditto / Franklin and Rittenhouſe } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings
Jamaica ſpirit / Weſt-India and country rum } by the hogſhead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, / Hogſhead and / Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 4 3tawtf

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks, Senneca ſnake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool, A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Benjamin Maſon

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-ſtreet,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſoal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail-cloth
Alſo, mahogany, fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes, New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Engliſh Mould Candles

By the Box,

And Porter by the Dozen,

For SALE by

Le Telier & Co.

In Front-ſtreet, five doors above Market-ſtreet: Likewiſe, a

General Aſſortment of Groceries,

Wholeſale and Retail, on reaſonable Terms.

Philadelphia, July 27. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.

Ditto in Hogſheads,

Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;

Copper Kettles——And a few

Tierces of Rice,

Juſt arrived, and for Sale by

Roſs and Vaughan.

Auguſt 22. etf

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon dtf

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Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Imported in the ſhip Succeſs, John

Cadenhead, maſter, from Liverpool, now diſcharging at Market ſtreet Ferry wharf,

AND TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart & Neſbitt,

Crates of Earthen-Ware well aſſorted
Sail Canvas No. 1 *a* 7
Fine white Salt. Aug. 30 d

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of beſt

Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.

Auguſt 22. eptf

TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw-mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. eptf

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WHEREAS PETER de CAMP, an Apprentice to the ſubſcriber, having three different times eloped from the ſervice of his maſter, and being apprehended, the ſubſcriber, in compaſſion to his aged mother, gave him the ſaid Peter liberty for ten days only, to ſeek another maſter: But the ſaid ten days being long ſince elapſed, and no account or tidings of the ſaid apprentice, the ſubſcriber hereby forbids all perſons from harbouring or entertaining his ſaid apprentice Peter de Camp, who is by trade a ſhoemaker, between 19 and 20 years of age. Had on when he went away, a half worn felt hat, a new fuſtian coatee, ſtampt linen waiſtcoat, oznabrigs trowzers, white thread ſtockings, and other cloathing. Whoever takes up and returns ſaid apprentice to the ſubſcriber at Philadelphia, ſhall have One Shilling and Sixpence reward (but no charges) paid by

LAWRENCE SCHWOPE.

Aug. 29. 2t

Philadelphia, June 6, 1787.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

WAS STOLEN or LOST, either on the Common or in this City, on Monday Afternoon, the 4th inſtant—A *Parchment POCKET-BOOK*, containing the following Paper Money and Certificates—
Seven pounds paper money, *new* emiſſion,
Fifteen dollars, dollar money, of the ſtate of Maryland,
And the following Certificates, ſigned by *Joſeph Nourſe*,
One for 1967 dollars, dated March 11, 1785, in favour of *Samuel Young*,
One for 181 66 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 65 45 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 36 48 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 1000 dollars, dated June 27, 1786, favour of *Simon Fiſhbaugh*; Alſo,
One loan-office, certificate, for 1000 dollars, of the ſtate of South Carolina,
One loan-office ditto for 500 dollars, ſtate of Virginia,
One loan-office dit. for 300 dol. ſtate of Pennſylvania,
And 1580 dollars in Virginia money.;
Together with ſome other money not yet aſcertained, and ſundry papers of no uſe but to the owner. Whoever has found the ſame, and will deliver them to the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive the above Reward, or in proportion for any part thereof. The different Offices are requeſted to ſtop them, ſhould they be offered for ſale. *SAMUEL YOUNG.* 1awtf.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Front ſtreet, above Pool's bridge, on Saturday evening the 25th inſtant, two Apprentice BOYS, bound to the Blackſmith's buſineſs; one is this country born, named *Jacob Enot*, about 5 feet 8 inches high, has ſhort black hair and a ſore leg; had on and took with him, two pair of linen trowſers, two ſhirts, a fuſtian coat, jacket and breeches, a green cloth coat and caſtor hat. The other is a French Boy, born in Lyons, named *Antony Margelean*, about 5 feet 4 inches high, well ſet, has a dark complexion, ſhort black hair, ſpeaks broken Engliſh; had on and took with him, two ſhirts, two pair of linen trowſers, a new dark jean coat, jacket and breeches, a round hat bound with tape. Whoever takes up and ſecures them ſo that their maſter may have them again, ſhall have the above reward, and if brought home all reaſonable charges, or FIVE DOLLARS for either, paid by

Auguſt 27 eo3t SAMUEL LEHMAN.

Four Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, Cutler and Surgeons' Inſtrument-Maker, on the weſt ſide of Third ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, an Apprentice LAD, named *Frederick Painter*, between 19 and 20 years of age, about 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, dark complexion, wears a falſe tail; had on when he went away, a round hat, a coarſe ſhirt, a round, blue, cloth jacket and fuſtian trowſers, and ſhoes almoſt new. Whoever will ſecure him in any Work-Houſe, ſo that his maſter may get him again, ſhall receive the above Reward and reaſonable charges paid, by HENRY SCHIVELY.

N. B. All perſons are forbid harbouring him.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 20

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22 eptf

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Worceſter townſhip, Montgomery county, on *Tueſday* night laſt, a Mulatto *WENCH*, named *CHLOE*; took with her a blue and white ſtriped long gown, one calico ditto, two calico and one white ſhort gown, a good black ſilk bonnet, a red calimanco ſkirt, aprons and handkerchiefs, &c. She is a ſtout, well featured Wench, nearly 22 years of age, a countenance rather reſembling an Indian than a Negro, has a remarkable ſpot or ſcar under one of her eyes, black curly hair, generally frized up to imitate a cuſhion; ſhe has been taught to read, and is a plauſible, cunning huſſy; when ſhe ſmiles or laughs an extravagant degree of pleaſure diffuſes itſelf over her face; ſhe has been regiſtered according to law: it is ſuſpected ſhe has come to this city, and that ſome of the Negroes in the ſuburbs will endeavour to ſecret her. All maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry her off at their peril. Any perſon apprehending the ſaid Wench, and ſecuring her ſo that her maſter may get her again, by giving information to *David Rittenhouſe*, eſquire, or the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive the above Reward, paid by

Aug. 16. 12ſp *BENJAMIN RITTENHOUSE.*

Six Pounds Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt night from the ſubſcriber, living in the borough of Lancaſter, a German Servant MAN, named *George Miller*: he is about 28 years of age, five feet 8 or 9 inches high, well made, has a good countenance, dark complexion and dark eyes, with ſhort black hair, ſpeaks the Engliſh language well enough to be underſtood, but with much of the German accent: had on and took with him when he went away, a large round fine hat bound with velvet, a light coloured broadcloth coat with white metal buttons, one pair of corded dimity breeches and jacket, one pair of olive coloured jean breeches with ſtrings at the knees, two new ſhirts of home made linen, and three old ones, one pair of clouded blue and white cotton ſtockings, one pair of thread ditto, one pair of good boots with the tops turned down and ſewed faſt to the legs of the boots, one pair of good calfſkin ſhoes, one pair of ſmall ſquare braſs buckles, and one pair of large ſquare ditto plated on copper; it is moſt probable he will wear his boots for the convenience of carrying his ſhoes. Whoever will ſecure the ſaid Runaway, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive the above Reward and reaſonable charges, from *STEPHEN CHAMBERS.*

Lancaſter, Auguſt 11. 6t

Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING* for *SALE*, a General

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitts
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow, red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
6 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons and chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3tawIm

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TO BE SOLD,

A Two ſtory Brick Houſe and

Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Front ſtreet, Southwark, now in the tenure of Alexander Dowe, ſhoemaker. The lot is 16 feet front and 90 feet in depth, ſubject to a ground rent of 6l. per annum.

Alſo, for Sale—Sundry *Tracts of Land* in Northumberland and Bedford counties, Pennſylvania, which are of an excellent quality and abound with beaver dams, ſo as to render them valuable for grazing. Likewiſe ſeveral other *Tracts of Back Lands*, the whole being the property of *Hubley & Graff*, and by them aſſigned over for the diſcharge of their debts: wherefore, any perſon inclining to purchaſe any part of the aforeſaid property, are deſired to apply to *Benjamin Fuller*, *John Donnaldſon*, or *Benjamin Swett*, who earneſtly deſire all perſons indebted to the aforeſaid *Hubley & Graff*, or either of them, to diſcharge their reſpective debts to prevent further trouble. 1aw2m

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TO BE SOLD,

FIFTY-SIX acres of good marſh meadow on the iſland of Tinicum, in two different lots, one of which is about 44 acres, divided into four diviſions, chiefly by good drains, lying on the main road leading through the townſhip of Tinicum, and is chiefly in clover, blue graſs and timothy. The bank belonging to theſe meadows is in good order, and eaſy to be maintained. The other lot is upwards of 12 acres, bounded on the river Delaware, and near the other lot. It is encloſed all round with good ditches, and in excellent mowing order, and produces large crops.

Or if more agreeable to a purchaſer, the ſubſcriber would ſell the plantation whereon he now dwells, being about ſix miles from Philadelphia, on the main road from thence to the lower counties. This place contains about eighty five acres, upwards of ten acres of orchard of the beſt of grafted fruit, nearly in its prime; a large proportion of it is in clover, and the remainder ſuitable for gardening or any kind of grain. There is on this place about twenty acres of woodland, moſtly encloſed for a paſture. The houſe is large and well ſituate, having an extenſive view of the rivers Delaware and Schuylkill, &c. The barn is large, and there is ſtabling for upwards of forty creatures; with moſt other neceſſary out-buildings. The purchaſer may have any reaſonable time for payment of a conſiderable part of the purchaſe money, for either the meadow or plantation. For further particulars enquire of the ſubſcriber, PHILIP PRICE.

Kingſeſs, 5th mo. 19, 1787. 1awtf

TO BE SOLD FOR

Negroes, Merchandize, or Caſh,

THAT valuable tract of land at North Eaſt, Cæcil county, Maryland, whereon the ſubſcriber now lives, containing 200 acres: on which are erected, a good dwelling houſe, barn, ſtables and every other offices neceſſary for a farmer, tavern, or ſtorekeeper; there is alſo on ſaid tract 10 or 11 acres of excellent upland meadow of timothy and clover, and a very valuable fiſhery, that can be attended with very little expence, being cloſe to the dwelling houſe, a good bearing orchard, and 100 grafted trees planted laſt year; the place now in excellent repair and under good fence: the ſituation of this place is ſo well known that it needs no comment, being only 3 miles from Charles-Nown and 7 from the Head of Elk, where there is always a ſure market for every kind of produce, and immediately ſeated on the head of tide water of the Cheſapeak bay, and on the great road between Baltimore and Philadelphia: there is alſo a griſt and ſaw mill within a few hundred yards of the dwelling houſe (though diſtant from the waters of their dams) and within a quarter of a mile of an epiſcopal church. The beauty and pleaſantneſs of the ſituation is not exceeded (I may ſay) by any country place on the continent. Alſo, a healthy young life in a tract of land containing 232½ acres, one mile diſtant from the above, laying on North Eaſt river, whereon is a ſmall dwelling houſe and two barracks for hay: there alſo belongs to this place an excellent fiſhery for ſhad and herring, and 22 acres of mowable meadow, timothy and marſh graſs, and has a very conſiderable quantity of excellent timber. Alſo, a piece of woodland laying between the two tracts, the quantity not yet aſcertained: all which will be ſold for the property abovementioned, and poſſeſſion given when demanded. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may apply to the ſubſcriber, who will ſhew the premiſes. *May* 23 r

J. HARFORD MONTGOMERY.

SPRUCE BEER,

TO BE SOLD BY

George Geddes.

Orders ſent to his houſe in Vine, by Front ſtreet, will be attended to. r

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PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiſer.

[Price Four-Pence.] WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1787. [No. 2678.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,
At 12 o'clock at Noon—Will poſitively be ſold,
At the City Auction Store,
About 40 Caſes of

Bourdeaux Claret

Of the firſt Quality. Said Claret coſt in Bourdeaux 18 livres per dozen; the Caſes contain two dozen and a half each.
At ſame time will be ſold a handſome IRON CHEST.
September 5
Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

TO-MORROW,
Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General
Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.
The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays.*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 5 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

On Friday Next,
The 7th Inſtant—At the
Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,
Preciſely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of an
Aſſortment of Merchandize:
Among which are—A Quantity of
Damaged Woolens,
To be ſold on account of the Underwriters.
The ſtated days of ſale are *Mondays* and *Fridays.*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture,
and other out door Goods, will be received and ſold every *Monday Morning,* and no other time. *Sept. 5.*
C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Eſtate.
At the Old Coffee-Houſe,
On Tueſday, the 25th of Sept.
At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be ſold to the higheſt Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the eſtate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, ſurveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunſwick townſhip, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and ſome ſmall ſtreams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A conſiderable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are ſeveral mill ſeats.

No 2. 421 5 8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, ſurveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Chriſtian Deſhong, being in the ſame townſhip, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract alſo; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well ſettled country, this and the foregoing tract muſt be very valuable.

No. 3. 553 acres of patented Land ſurveyed in purſuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, ſituate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the eaſt ſide of a path leading from Little Juniata to Suſquehanna, having an excellent mill ſeat and ſome ſmall improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock townſhip, Berks county, 58 miles diſtant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the laſt mentioned place to Lancaſter, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow; two orchards of the beſt fruit trees, and a cider preſs, a good log houſe, large barn, ſpring houſe, and other out houſes thereon. Under and ſubject to the payment of the firſt purchaſe money, &c.

Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Aſſignee of the eſtate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, or ſuits will be commenced for the recovery of the ſame. R. R.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 29, 1787. w&tf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia,*

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your ſuffrages at the laſt Election, in placing me on the return with the preſent Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the enſuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by
Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,
James Aſh.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 7, 1787. w&tf

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *Richard Tarbet,* late of this city, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted to make payment of their balances as ſoon as poſſible; and thoſe who have demands upon ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to produce them

Iſabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguſon, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for ſale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet's* Importation, in part conſiſting of ſtriped and plain kentings of ſundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be ſold wholeſale, at prime coſt, for caſh.

Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

For LONDON,
The Ship *MEDIATOR,*
William Brougham, Maſter;

A STOUT Britiſh ſhip, with a new Mediterranean paſs; has good accommodations for paſſengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to ſail September 25th. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Sims's wharf, near Cheſnut-ſtreet, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDI.*

Auguſt 24. dtf

For CORK,
The Ship PATSEY RUTLEDGE,
William Bell, Maſter;

WILL ſail poſitively on Thurſday the 6th inſtant. For paſſage only apply to the Captain at Huddle's wharf, or to ROSS & VAUGHAN.

September 3 4ſp

To be Let on Freight,
For any of the Windward Iſlands,
THE BRIG
BETSEY,
Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine veſſel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to T. FITZSIMONS.

Sept. 1.

FOR SALE,
The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to BENJAMIN MASON.

July 23. dtf

WANTED TO CHARTER,
A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-ſtreet—Who have for Sale, A few Hogſheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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For Charter,
The Ship ALEXANDER,
GEORGE ROACH, Maſter;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to HAYNES & CRAWFORD, Who are landing out of ſaid ſhip, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will ſell on reaſonable terms.

To be Sold at Private Sale,
A ſmall and very General Aſſortment of Freſh

Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may have them on the moſt reaſonable terms, by applying to

N. DORSEY,

In Front, two doors below Walnut ſtreet. Aug 23wtf

William Compton,

In Third-ſtreet, between Race and Vine ſtreets, has for ſale on very low terms, for caſh or ſhort credit.

LONDON pewter, in caſks, well aſſorted
English ſail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A caſe of boys hats, of various colours
A ſmall invoice of beſt London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, ſhalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.

A L S O,

Garden ſeeds of different kinds, rape and canary ſeeds, &c. mwſtf

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High Proof RUM
In Punſheons,
Muſcovado SUGAR in Hogſheads, and a few
Bags beſt Green Coffee,
Juſt arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by
Robert M'Clenachan,
At his Wet Good Store, in Third-ſtreet, S. W. corner of Arch-ſtreet; where he has alſo for ſale ſundry other
Articles in the Grocery Line.
July 23. mwſtf

Rundle and Murgatroyd,

Water-ſtreet, juſt above Market-ſtreet,
Have received for ſale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and ſheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d ſterling per yard
Ruſſia ſheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glaſſes
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool ſalt, and
Excellent London bottled porter
Alſo, an INVOICE, conſiſting of
Luſtereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.
To be ſold at a very low advance. mwſ

Samuel & David Rutter
HAVE FOR SALE,
At their ſtore on Meaſe's wharf, the ſecond below the Drawbridge,

Pennſylvania refined Barr Iron,
Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughſhare moulds with and without bars
Engliſh, German, and American ſteel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate }
Small ditto }
Franklin and } STOVES
Rittenhouſe }
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other caſtings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, ſugar, coffee, &c. Auguſt 29. co1m

Madeira Wine,
OF A GOOD QUALITY,
In Pipes, Hogſheads and Quarter Caſks, for ſale by
w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Duncan Ingraham, junr.
HAS FOR SALE,

LOW-PRICED German calicoes
Table linen of all ſizes
Napkin diapers
Clouting ditto
Corduroys
Table knives and forks
Hammers
Cutteaus
Deſk and drawer locks
HL hinges
A variety of blank books
Window glaſs 7 by 9 and 8 by 10
Sheathing and drawing nails
Scupper ditto
6d ſharps ditto
2s flat point ditto
3, 3 1 4, 3 1-2, and 3 3-4 inch cordage
White and tarred ſpunyarn
Marline and houſline
Holland geneva of a ſuperior quality in caſes
Genuine Madeira wine of London particular and London market qualities, in butts, pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks
Muſquets
Soll brimſtone in caſks
Rotten ſtone in ditto
Liſbon ſalt, &c. &c. Auguſt 27 eodtf

James C. & Samuel W. Fiſher,
At their Store, the Corner of Arch and Front ſtreets,
HAVE FOR SALE,

BRITISH window glaſs 10 by 8 and 9 by 7, ſheet glaſs, glaſs ware in crates, red lead, tin No 1 and 2, nails, aſſorted ironmongery in caſks, ditto copper ware in ditto, a variety of faſhionable coat buttons, Turky oil ſtones, Burlington pork, porter in caſks, raiſins in kegs, almonds—And a few

Bales Black Pepper;

Beſides a Variety of DRY GOODS, as uſual: Alſo, a Quantity of White Oak Hogſhead Staves and Heading, and Heart Inch Pine Boards.

N. B. They have to Rent *A LOT of GROUND and WHARF,* ſituate in Front ſtreet, near Pool's bridge, containing in front on Front ſtreet 87 feet, and extending thence, of the ſame breadth, 500 feet, into the river. There is depth of water for veſſels of any burthen, and room enough for ſeveral to load at one time; this, and the quantity of ground renders it very commodious for the Lumber Buſineſs, for which it has been occupied theſe 20 years.

Wanted to Purchaſe, a Quantity of GINSANG.
Auguſt 13 tthſ w&ſ3w

Juſt Imported and now ſelling by
Joſeph Stanſbury,
At his ſtore in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, near the City Auction-Room,
A General Aſſortment of
China, Glaſs, and Earthen Wares,
Plain and Ornamental—Among which are, Teatable ſets of enamelled china, rich Egyptian and cane ware, fine cut glaſs, and a few watch ſeals and chains. Orders from the country carefully attended to and executed, as uſual, with fidelity and diſpatch.

Now Landing
From the BETSEY, laying back of the Subſcriber's STORE,
Coffee, Sugar and Limes,
And for SALE by
Kearny Wharton.
Sept. 4. dtf

Hewes & Anthony
Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes, New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,
A very fine SLOOP,
That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Engliſh Mould Candles
By the Box,
And Porter by the Dozen,
For SALE by
Le Telier & Co.
In Front-ſtreet, five doors above Market-ſtreet:
Likewiſe, a
General Aſſortment of Groceries,
Wholeſale and Retail, on reaſonable Terms.
Philadelphia, July 27. dtf

EXCELLENT
Bourdeaux Claret,
In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogſheads,
Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;
Copper Kettles——And a few
Tierces of Rice,
Juſt arrived, and for Sale by
Roſs and Vaughan.
Auguſt 22. etf

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,
Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF
Salt, Wine and Lemons,
FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,
PORT WINE,
In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,
LONDON PARTICULAR
Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of beſt
Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.
Auguſt 22, eptf

Sherry & Malaga Wine
FOR SALE BY
Barclay, Brown & Co.
July 10. dtf

Imported in the ſhip Succeſs, John Cadenhead, maſter, from Liverpool, now diſcharging at Market ſtreet Ferry wharf,
AND TO BE SOLD BY
Stewart & Neſbitt,
Crates of Earthen-Ware well aſſorted
Sail Canvas No. 1 a 7
Fine white Salt. Aug 30 d

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and
FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

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FOR SALE BY
Levi Hollingſworth,
At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks. Senneca, ſnake root in hhds. &c &c.

Knox & Henderſon
Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs,* from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed
Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,
All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4 4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c which they will *ſell low for Caſh,* at their Store in Front ſtreet.
Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.
Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Benjamin Maſon
Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market ſtreet.

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſoal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail cloth
Alſo, mahogany, fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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Iſaac Hazlehurſt & Co.
(In Water-ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets)
HAVE for SALE
The Following
G O O D S;

Moſt of which have been imported in the lateſt veſſels from the different and moſt advantageous ports of exportation for the reſpective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in caſes of ſuperior quality } all genuine and good of their kind.
Ditto 2d ditto }
Ditto inferior do }
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyſon }
Green }
Souchong } TEAS
Bloom }
Binglo }
Bohea }
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per ſheet
Ditto fit for ſheathing a veſſel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and braſs wire of different ſizes
Braſs kettles in neſts, Engliſh and Dutch
Briſtol window glaſs 8 by 10
A ſmall aſſortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan Houſe, at Halle in Saxony
German ſchool books of different ſorts
Ditto glaſs tumblers aſſort,
German looking glaſſes of various ſizes
Nuremberg toys for children
Beſt Dutch rappee & Weſton's ſnuff
Table ſetts of china and china plates
Boxes of Engliſh glaſs ware aſſorted fit for country ſtores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German ſteel
German ſcythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetſtones
Frying pans
Shovels and ſpades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and ſhort
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glaſs pint canniſters with ſcrews
Engliſh and French ſail cloth
Pit ſaws of different ſizes
A new copper ſtill, head and neck, fit for a ſtill of 8 or 900 gallons, will be ſold cheap
A ſhip's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca ſnake root
Womens London ſhoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general aſſortment of
EUROPEAN GOODS,
In their original packages, and opened as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers; they are well adapted to the ſeaſon, and will be ſold on low terms for caſh, or at the cuſtomary credit.

They have alſo for ſale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to diſpoſe of on the loweſt terms for caſh:
Nail rods of different ſizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and ſheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and ſpades
Phæton and chair tire

They have alſo on hand a quantity of large ſap pine Scantling, which they will ſell at a reaſonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. Auguſt 18. ſ&w tf

Foreign Intelligence.

VIENNA, June 14.

IN the numerous and brilliant suite of the empress at Cherson, M. Le Comte de Cobenzel, ambassador from the Imperial and royal court; the princes of Potemkin, of Ligne and of Nassau; M. Le Comte de Segur, minister from France; Mr. Fitzherbert, minister from England; the Marquis of Gallo; the Sicilian Minister to the Imperial and Royal Court; Mr. Bulgakow, Minister to the Empress, and M. Le Baron de Herbert, Internuncio from the Imperial and Royal Court to the Porte, were particularly distinguished.

HAGUE, June 6.

The well meaning part of the inhabitants of this country are in hopes that Prussia and other foreign courts are using their utmost efforts to bring about an accommodation between the contending parties of the republic, which, we fear, will not now be a very easy task, when we consider the unhappy length matters already gone; however, it is to be hoped that the dreadful sample which we have of the calamities of a civil war in some part of these provinces, may act forcibly upon the minds of people of all ranks, and induce them heartily to unite in putting a stop to the further progress of so severe a scourge. The prince sets a fair example to the country, by shewing himself ready to join with the states in endeavouring to restore this republic to its former state of tranquility and good order, and of course to its ancient splendor and commercial consequence.

June 21.

Some days since a courier arrived here from Versailles, whose dispatches contain, as they assure us, an exhortation from the said court to the states of Holland, to make up matters with his royal highness the prince stadtholder, as the best method of putting a stop to the troubles, of which that court seriously wishes to see an end.

June 23. All hopes of a reconciliation in the United Provinces are vanished: Gueldres, Zealand and Friesland persist in refusing to acknowledge the deputies from Utrecht; and the province of Groningen have not explained themselves, so that the voice of Amersfort preponderates at present.

This new check serves only to give fresh vigour to the patriots in Holland. The states of this province have taken every step in their power to get the better of the stadtholder's party. They have issued money for raising ten thousand men, on whose fidelity they can depend. The general rendezvous is at Woerden, where the secret commissioners hold their assembly. It has been expected for some days, that the stadtholder would come armed to this place ——but we think the council of Amersfort have not courage enough for such an enterprize.

The military force is between 5 and 6 thousand men; but about one quarter are suspected. In the province they have sixty thousand armed burgesses, out of which a corps of twenty thousand are to be immediately selected to join the troops on the Cordon. We have no doubt that England assists the stadtholder, as sir James Harris has frequent conferences with those members who are known to be of his party; but especially by the great sums of money a *certain* banker of Amsterdam has sent to Amersfort, though we believe this supply is for *a lost* account.

The town of Amsterdam is taking the most vigorous measures to act on the defensive: and they have displaced the two reigning burgomasters, messrs. Dedels and Beels, who they thought were friends to the stadtholder, or at least wavering in their conduct.

June 24.

Yesterday in the sitting of the states of Holland and West Friesland, the deputies of the city of Amsterdam made the proposition to charge the depuites of the province, at the assembly of the states general 'to invite the respective provinces to demand the mediation of his most Christian majesty, in the differences that have arisen among them.'—Nevertheless that proposition was made only under the reserve, that they would not depart the least from the measures taken, or to be taken for the defence of the province.

The city of Alkmaer immediately conformed to the proposition: those of Dordrecht, Hearlem, Leyden, Goude, Rotterdam, Schiedan, Shoonhovan, Moninkendam, and Pormerend agreed 'To declare themselves as soon as the proposition should be entered on the register.' The majority of the Equestrian order, and the cities that follow their party, have taken it ad referendum. It appears that the court of Berlin desires an arrangment; and we look upon as a favourable omen for the cessation of hostilities, the arrival of the princess of Orange at Amersfort, where she arrived the 22d of this month to join the prince. If the representations which friends of the stadtholderian house may yet make to him at this crisis, miscarry this last time of two things, one will come to pass, either that house will be ruined forever, and deprived of its hereditary dignities, at least in our province; or the prince of Orange will make his way to absolute power.

NAPLES, June 5.

D. Emanuel Diviril, governor of the island of Capri, while seated at a table and writing, was a short time since wounded in the cheek by a ball from a pistol, the trigger of which was drawn by an officer, who did not know it to be charged. This instance proves with what caution fire arms should be handled.

UTRECHT, June 4.

Whilst matters remain in their present unsettled state, the quiet part of the inhabitants of this city are in a very disagreeable situation; the Hussars of Salm and the auxiliaries live upon them without ceremony. They have taken possession of the houses of the members of the state who have quitted the town, and of the deposed regents, where they spoil and abuse every thing, and never forget to break open the doors of the cellars; in short, every thinking person wishes to see things again upon such a footing, that we may get rid of such disagreeable guests as we are now obliged to entertain.

June 22.

We learn that the commanding officers of Waldeck, Suljard and Salm, who have deserted out of Gorinchem and Gertruydenburg, are broken, and rendered incapable of serving in the province of Holland any more: the regiments themselves are no longer reckoned in pay, and the chiefs, namely, the Rhinegraaf of Salm and Suljard, have been ordered to name other captains, who are immediately to be compleating the companies.

BRUSSELS, June 14.

The 30th of May will be an ever memorable æra in the annals of the Austrian Netherlands. It can only be equalled by the moment when the emperor will deign to confirm the concessions made by their governors respecting the national vow. On the morning of the 31st of May, the states of Brabandt returned their thanks in the following greatful terms:

'Madam and my Lord, Fathers and Saviours of our Country.

'Deign to accept the just homage of your people! Condescend ye kind patrons, to proceed in finishing a work so dear, so universally interesting to humanity. Hasten the approach of that ravishing moment when the approbation of an enlightened and upright monarch will infuse peace and happiness into the breasts of three millions of mankind, and transmit the memory of it to every age and nation.'

Since this, peace has been re-established, all ferment has subsided, and the liveliest transports of joy succeeded.

LONDON.

June 22. The late proclamation for the better observation of the Sabbath, was first suggested by, and issued out at the express desire of his Majesty, for the particular purpose of checking the growing rage for play, particularly the game of Faro, which we are sorry to add, is become the fashionable game on Sundays in the first families in the kingdom.

The receipts at the custom house have been very considerable within these two last months, much more so than is usual at this season of the year; but this will not be thought extraordinary, when it is known that between 30 and 40 sail of West Indiamen have arrived in the river since the 6th of last month; these however form but a very small portion of the fleets that are on their way to England from our sugar islands.

A few days ago a commission of lunacy was taken out against a gentleman of large fortune in the county of Northumberland. This gentleman's ancestors have for many generations been distinguished in the country as a remain of the old feudal homage, by the title of Chief of Beaufront, which is the name of the seat; and this distinction has been continued to the present possessor, which seems so to have affected his imagination, that he fancied himself entitled to a dukedom; and on his arrival in town this spring, assumed the title of duke of Hexham: in which name he made visits, subscribed to the clubs, wrote letters, and also placed it on his door. He also wrote to his Majesty, requiring a confirmation of his title, and to the herald office, desiring it might be registered. These circumstances, added to some letters of an extraordinary nature to the first lady in the kingdom, occasioned such an alarm, that his family were induced to enter upon this harsh measure.

Extract of a letter from Litchfield.

'Lately in taking up the pavement of the south aisle of the choir of our cathedral, a stone coffin was discovered; upon opening it the bones appeared almost mouldered away. Upon the legs were a pair of half boots, laced upon the fore parts with a thong; the toe nails and hair were also undecayed; the latter is of a reddish colour. In a small recess, on the right side of the head, stood a pewter chalice, with its cover, upon which lay a napkin of a dirty purple colour, folded up and exceedingly tender. The following part of the inscription is very plain:—A:——. . . An FORDIA QVONDAM: PRECENTOR: ISTIUS: ECCLESIÆ.——by which it appears to have covered the remains of Adam de Stanford, who succeeded Thomas de Wymonodham in the precentorship, in the year 1277, and died the year following. The obliterated spaces correspond exactly with the four letters which are wanting. There is also the form of a large calvary cross. The chalice and napkin are carefully preserved in the Litchfield Museum for the inspection of the curious.'

The following humourous circumstance may be depended upon as a fact:—A waterman, whose name is Holmes, and who has acquired some property, to shew his disgust against our rulers, and the accumulation of taxes, has hit upon a singular expedient. He has disposed of a small freehold which he possessed in the vicinity of the Thames, and purchased a west country barge, in which, with his wife, and a large family of children, he resides in the most comfortable manner. He thus prides himself on eluding all the taxes, and changes his situation as the weather or other circumstances makes this or that situation more agreeable. He at present is moored off York Buildings, where the neatness of his floating habitation, the respectable appearance of his wife and children, and the facetious character of the man himself, attracts no small number of curious visitors.

June 30. This morning a general sweep was made from London Bridge to Lime House, by some officers seizing upon all long boats and other boats belonging to shipping in the river, on account of not having the ship's name they respectively belonged to painted on the outside and inside of their sterns. Some say seventy, some eighty, and some above an hundred boats have been seized and towed down to the condemned hole at Deptfort. It is said to be done by virtue of a new regulation scarce yet known by the parties affected by it.

On Wednesday morning, as Stephen Powers, a shepherd, and clerk of the parish of Cottesbrook, in this county, was going through a close in that lordship, in which was a vicious bull, the creature ran at him, and gored and bruised him in such a terrible manner, that he died this morning. It seems Powers and another man had the evening before been baiting and endeavouring to master the bull, which they effected: but the creature remembering the treatment he had received, took the first opportunity of shewing his resentment, which proved most fatal to Powers.

July 3. They write from Friesland, that the deputies to the states of that province, have disapproved the conduct of their deputies at the assembly of the states general, in admitting the deputies of Utrecht to that assembly; and that they have declared they acknowledge the states sitting at Amersfort, as the only legal states of the province of Utrecht.

Extract of a letter from Brussels, June 26.

'Their royal highnesses received early this morning a messenger from Vienna, with the ratification of the count of Kaunitz, first minister of the foreign departments, signed in the name of the emperor, of all that was agreed and signed between our states and governors the 30th of May last. A few minutes after his arrival, their royal highnesses came into the balcony of their palace, and waved their handkerchiefs, to demonstrate their joy to the people, and to announce to them this good news, which was answered with loud applauses. This sudden change may perhaps make this country one of the most flourishing in Europe for the future. All corruptions in church and state will be corrected, and proper measures taken for the extension of our commerce and happiness; we shall be governed by our ancient laws, statutes and privileges. Count Belgiogoso, our present minister, is to depart directly, and we think and hope count Kagineck, the present ambassador at the court of Spain, will succeed him in this high department.'

It is not unworthy of remark, that several of the monarchs of this country have been secretly in league with, and sometimes in the pay of the enemies of their kingdoms. There is no instance of a stadtholder's ever having receded in the smallest degree from their political engagements with their country. The stadtholder's by their large patrimonial revenues, lands, and sovereign principalities in Germany, Burgundy, and Flanders, have frequently in the moment of exigence saved their country from ruin. William the first of Orange twice raised at his own individual expence, a strong and numerous army for the protection of the United Provinces. The stadtholders have frequently had seducing offers to themselves and their families to enter into the interests of other countries. Such offers have always been rejected with disdain; they have ever consistently been the authors and maintainers of the liberty of their republic, first against the tyranny of Spain, and lastly against a much more formidable enemy, who had opened himself a passage into the heart of their dominions.

From the mails which arrived yesterday from Holland we can only discover, amidst their contradictory and jarring representations, that the state of affairs in that distracted republic, is at present in the utmost confusion, the deputies from the several provinces have received orders and counter orders to vote in a manner unknown in that assembly. In some of the provinces, assemblies have been called, who elect deputies to the states general, in opposition to those already elected. Mean time the city of Amsterdam, the mart of their commerce, partakes of all the miseries resulting from civil dissentions. The most opulent merchants are under the necessity of having guards to protect their property, not knowing how soon they may be devoted to the fury of a misguided populace. Some of the states are for calling in the assistance of the king of France as a mediator only; and it is certain that the English, French, and Prussian ambassadors, hold frequent and long conferences together, acting from the private instructions of their respective courts.—Such is the present situation of Holland.

Couriers between the courts of London and Versailles, in consequence of the troubles in Holland, are almost incessantly passing and repassing. No less than six French messengers were together in town last week: their uniform is scarlet, trimmed with gold lace, with three fleur de lis embroidered in the place of our greyhound.

By Monday's French mail we learn that the isles of France and Bourbon have suffered considerably by a hurricane, and that 25 vessels are lost there.—Moreover that no fleet is yet sailed from Brest; but that 12 ships, from 50 guns and upwards, are ready to put to sea, some of them for the West India islands, and the other for the East Indies, where they are to relieve the men of war that are to come back to Europe.

The bishop of London's sudden relapse, indicates a speedy dissolution. Dr. Wilson, Canon of Windsor, will certainly succeed to lawn sleeves on this event; but the Metropolitan Mitre will be suspended for some time between the contending interests of Henchliffe and Porteus.

BIRMINGHAM, June 18.

On Thursday last the horse of Mr. Kempson having set off upon a gallop up Temple-street, at length ran away with him, and Mr. Kempson being unable to turn him, when he reached the top of the street, either to the right or to the left, the animal attempted to leap over the gates of St. Phillip's church yard, upon the spikes of which he was for some time suspended, and Mr. Kempson being from thence unhappily thrown off, was so terribly bruised and internally injured, that though every medical aid was afforded, he died, after languishing until Saturday morning.

OXFORD, June 18.

One of the greatest efforts in walking that has been known, was this day performed by a lawyer of this place in Port Meadow; he walked 50 miles in nine hours and an half. At eight in the morning he started, walked till one, when he dined, and at half after five won his wager. He was allowed ten hours to do it in, but went over his ground with ease in nine hours and an half, and was so little fatigued with his expedition, that he refused a carriage, and walked into town two miles from the field, amidst the acclamations of numbers who occasionally accompanied him in the course of the day.

CAMBRIDGE, June 29.

Last week was married at Downham, in Norfolk, one Wade, a young man of about 20 years of age, to the notorious Mary Saunders, widow of John Saunders, who was lately murdered near Wisbech, by Solomon Tuck, with whom, it appeared on the trial, the above woman cohabited. During the time the ceremony was performing, some persons put up an effigy in the church porch, representing Solomon Tuck hanging, with a paper of his last dying speech and confession pinned to his breast. On their return from church the bell tolled them all the way home, with the same doleful knell as usually accompanies people to the place of execution; and the ears of the new married couple were greeted in the street with boys crying the last dying speech and confession before them, to the place of their habitation.

READING, June 30.

A few days ago was married, Mr. John Clark, of Workingham, aged upwards of 70, to Miss Ann Willis, of the same place, aged 21. On the intended morning of the marriage, some unforeseen accident relative to pecuniary matters delaying the ceremony, the bride became almost frantic; but her distress exciting the compassion of humane spectator, the difficulty was removed, and the lady happily united to the object of her wishes.

SHREWSBURY, June 22.

On Monday last the following melancholy accident happened near Harley. As a waggoner belonging to Nicholas Smyth, esquire, was returning home with a load of lime, in going down the bank near the Gravil Pit, the two first horses not moving on quite so fast as the hinder ones, the waggoner gave them a slight touch with the whip, in doing which he slipped down, and the wheels going over his body killed him on the spot. He has left a wife and ten children. The waggon was overset, but fortunately the horses were not materially hurt.

LEWES, June 25.

Last Friday general Elliott's stud passed through this town on their way to Portsmouth (where they landed from Gibraltar) to Bayly Park, the seat of his son-in-law, John Trayton Fuller, esquire. The stud consists of three fine stallions of the Arabian breed, the general's charger, which he took with him to Gibraltar, now near twenty years old, and three Spanish jackasses. The horses are in high condition, and when caparisoned and mounted, must make a very noble and warlike appearance.

AMERICA.

BERMUDA, July 21.

It is said, that letters are received from London, which mention that a colonel Hamilton is appointed lieutenant governor of Bermuda, in the room of George Bruere, esquire, deceased.

By a gentleman from the Cape, we learn, that within about four months, twelve American vessels had been seized there for taking on board sugar and coffee, and it was thought by the information of those that sold the articles to them; among last seized were the ship St. Thomas, captain Johnson, of Norfolk, and the schooner Edward, capt. Edding, of New England, the captain and crew of the latter were thrown into prison.

The sloop Little Sally, Coit, from New London, laden with cattle, bound to Guadaloupe, put in here in distress last week for water, and sailed again on Monday.

NASSAU, (N. P.) August 4.

The bill for establishing Free Ports in Jamaica, Grenada, Dominica, and this island, received the royal assent the 28th of May.—It enacts, 'That, from and after the first day of September, 1787, wool, cotton-wool, indigo, cochineal, drugs of all sorts, coca, logwood, fustic and all sorts of wood for dyers use, hides, skins and tallow, beaver and all sorts of furs, tortoise-shell, hard wood or mill timber, mahogany and all other woods for cabinet ware, horses, asses, mules and cattle, being the growth or production of any of the colonies or plantations in America, belonging to or under the dominion of any foreign European sovereign or state; and all coin or bullion, diamonds or precious stones, may be imported from any of the said colonies or plantations into the several ports of Kingston, Savannah-la-Mar, Montego Bay and Santa Lucea in the island of Jamaica; the port of Saint George in the island of Grenada; the port of Roseau in the island of Dominica; and the port of Nassau in the island of New Providence, one of the Bahama islands, in any foreign sloop, schooner or other vessel whatever, not having more than one deck, and not exceeding the burthen of seventy tons, and being owned and navigated by the subjects of any foreign European sovereign or state; any law, custom or usage, to the contrary notwithstanding.'

Lord Dunmore was expected to sail for this place about the middle of last month.

The ship Mary, Daniel Wilcox, master, arrived the 14th ult. at Maxwell, in Abaco, where she landed seventy passengers, lately inhabitants of the Musquito-shore, and intending to settle in these islands. We are informed that transports with 500 more settlers may be daily expected from the same quarter.

ST. PIERRE, (Martinique) July 5.

The day before yesterday an ordinance of this government was published, concerning the hurricane months; by virtue of which, from the 13th of July next, all vessels coming from France, at an anchor in the road of St. Pierre, and those which may arrive after this period, are to retire into the bason of Port Royal, and no where else; and that they shall be obliged to remain there till the 14th of Oct. next, under penalty of the captain's being fined, besides being responsible for the accidents which they might be exposed to, by a disobedience to the ordinance.

As the same interests do not exist with respect to the vessels of other nations, in the coasting trade, and the establishment of the sea-port of St. Pierre requiring, on the contrary, that the disposition of commerce, should not be interrupted, said vessels will continue to anchor in said road: and to insure, as much as possible, the preservation of the men and vessels, the government gives particular orders to the captain of the harbour of St. Pierre, to see that their cables be of good quality, and in sufficient quantity, in order to avoid, as much as possible, the accidents which might result from a default of these precautions.

CHARLESTON, (S. C.) Aug. 9.

Sunday evening last, arrived the sloop Fanny, captain Fowle, in a passage of forty days from Bristol, in England. On the 24th ultimo, in lat. 32. 6. N. long. 64. 50. fell in with a fleet of nine sail of French men of war, standing to the eastward.

An English vessel from Jamaica, name unknown, and a Spanish vessel from Campeachy, were lately wrecked on the coast of Florida.

August 21. Saturday evening arrived the brig Fame, captain Tilden, from St. Martins: and yesterday morning came into port the sloop Betsey, captain Hill, from St. Eustatia. It had been reported at those islands, that a severe gale of wind was felt at Dominica the 3d instant, that a number of vessels had put to sea from thence, but what damage had been sustained at the island was not yet known.

FRANKLIN STATE.

In COUNCIL, June 25, 1787.

SIR.

THE honorable major Elholm waits on your assembly in character of commissioner from this state, whom we beg leave to recommend to your attention and patronage.

The party in opposition to our new republic, although few and inconsiderable, yet from their contention and disorder, occasion much uneasiness in peaceful minds.

We being friendly citizens of the American union, and influenced by the real regard and desire we have for its welfare, opulence and splendor, are unwilling, and exceedingly sorry to think, that any violent measures should be made use of against any of the adherents of our sister states, especially the one that gave us existence, though it now wishes to annihilate us; and what occasions in us excruciating pain is, that perhaps we may be driven to the unparalelled and unexampled necessity of defending our rights and liberties against those, who not long since, we have fought, bled and toiled together with, in the cause of American Independence—otherwise become the ridicule of a whole world. This baneful alternative, however, we hope God will avert, and that a reconciliation may take place on honora-

ble, just and equitable principles, reciprocally so to each party, is our sincere and ardent wish.

When we remember the bloody engagements we have fought together, against the common enemy, the friendly, timely and mutual supports afforded between the state of Georgia and this country, it emboldens us to solicit you, sir, and through you the different branches of your government, that you will be pleased to afford to the state of Franklin, such of your countenance, in promoting the interest of our infant republic, and reconciling matters between us and the parent state, in such manner as you in your magnanimity and justice, may think most expedient, and the nature of our case may deserve. Permit us to inform you, that it is not the sword that can intimidate us: The rectitude of our cause, our local situation, together with the spirited alertness of our countrymen in such a case, would inflame us with confidence of success: but, when we reflect and call to mind the great number of internal and external enemies to American independency, the pleasure this might afford them, as well as such inhuman and unnatural scenes, it makes us shudder at the very idea of such an incurable evil, not knowing where the discord might lead, or what part of the body the ulcer at last might infest. The nature of our cause, we presume your excellency is sufficiently acquainted with, only beg leave to refer you to the cession act of North Carolina, also the constitution of that government, wherein it mentions, that there may be a state or states erected in the west, whenever the legislature shall give consent for the same.

We cannot forbear mentioning that we regard the parent state with particular affection, and will always feel an interest in whatever may concern her honor and prosperity, as independent of each other.

Any further information, beg leave to refer you to the honorable major Elholm.

I have the Honor to be respectfully,
SIR,
Your Excellency's most obedient,
And very humble Servant,
JOHN SEVIER.

His Excellency Gov. Mathews.
(Copy)
J. Meriwether, S. E. C.

Augusta, in Council, July 20. 1787.

The Board resumed the consideration of a letter from the honorable John Sevier, esquire, dated the 25th June last, whereupon,

Ordered,

That this Board do entertain a high sense of the friendly intentions of the people of Franklin, and at the same time feel every disposition to continue the correspondence between the honorable John Sevier, esquire, and this state, and that the said letter be laid before the legislature at their next meeting.

Extract from the Minutes,
JAMES MERIWETHER, S. E. C.

PROVIDENCE, August 25.

Monday night last a sloop belonging to Warren, laden with lumber, ran on Kettle-Bottom-rock, and was stranded. The people were taken from the rock next morning.

BOSTON, August 28.

By two men, belonging to Ipswich, who have just returned from the western country, we are informed, that, since early in the spring, the Indians have discovered an entirely pacific disposition towards the inhabitants. Some time in March, a small party, supposed to be on a thieving expedition, made three men prisoners, opposite Short-creek, and one of them, a Mr. Carpender, refusing to go with the Indians, was killed a little distance from the place where he was taken. About a fortnight after, four Indians entered the house of one Parday, in the night, about four miles above Wheeling-creek, whom they killed, with two children, and made two other children prisoners. Mrs. Parday was wounded, but made her escape. These Indians had previously threatened the life of Parday, on account of some treatment they had received from him. It appears to have been their intention to gratify their revenge on him, as they passed by several other houses, in their way to Parday's, without molesting them. Two days before these men left Pittsburg, which was on the 3d inst. it was reported, that a party of ten men fell in with thirteen Indians, below Grave-creek, whom they supposed to be in pursuit of horses. The men fired on the Indians, who, after returning it, ran off, leaving their packs and blankets, and three of their party dead on the ground.

On Saturday last, master Robert Clough, son of Mr. Robert Clough, of this town, being at play with another child, in Mr. Makepeace's chocolate mills, north end, by some accident the former got entangled in the machinery of the works, while the horses were on the go, and was so shockingly mangled in his bowels, &c. that he died at two o'clock, Sunday morning.

Sunday evening about eight o'clock, six convicts, who were confined in Suffolk jail for various offences, made their escape by the most dirty passage possible; but, being much encumbered, and heavy laden with chains, &c. before they got entirely clear, three of them were caught, and re-committed to separate apartments of the dungeon.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 5.

Yesterday 43 members of the honorable the General Assembly met at the State-house, but not being a quorum, adjourned till this morning.

A letter from Leghorn, dated May 25, has the following article: "We have acounts from Algiers of an event which makes us fear a quarrel between the Republic of Venice and that Regency. An Algerine xebeck met two Venetian vessels near the island of Minorca, at which she fired a shot to bring them to; the one which was most under the wind, fearing that the xebeck was not an Algerine, and supposing it to be a Tripoline corsair, returned the second shot, by firing one of her guns loaded with case shot, which killed the captain and seven men; a combat ensued, in which the Venetian had the worst, and was obliged to strike; the other brought to, and was permitted to go on, after they had examined her papers: but the corsair would not let the first go, though they offered him a ransom, but carried her into Algiers, where she has been unloaded, and sent back again empty."

As the people of the Duke of Montrose and the Northumberland East-Indiamen were watering on the Sumatra shore, near to North-Island, in the Straits of Sunda, in the East Indies, on their passage to England, about noon, five Malays came out of the woods with fowls and fruit, but could not speak English; the third mate of the Northumberland offered rupees for some of the fowls, but they seemed not to know the value, and appeared to be more fond of the buttons on his coat. They staid about half an hour, when three of them returned into the woods, and made a large fire a small distance from the watering place. About two o'clock some of the men belonging to the Montrose went to the place where the fire was, and the other two Malays went also. The men stopped about ten minutes, and then returned safe about six o'clock. Having filled all the water, they were getting it down to the boats; but the cooper and cooper's mate belonging to the Duke of Montrose stopping to gather up some linen that they had been washing, two of the Malays came out of the woods, and stabbed the cooper in the belly, and his mate in the side, then took the linen from them, and ran into the wood again. The cooper died before he got on board the ship, but his mate recovered. The pond that they watered at was at the back of a bank, about 200 yards from the beach, so that the people who were at the beach could not see any thing of it until the two unfortunate sufferers came down, which was too late to look for the savages.—It is hoped this will be a caution to others who may stop there in future.

Of a thunder-gust at Kennebeck.
From a private letter to the Printers, dated Hallowell, Kennebeck-river, Aug. 18.

"On Saturday the 4th inst. about two o'clock, P. M. a thunder-gust rose in the west. It began with rain, which was succeeded by hail, of a size nearly as large as pullets eggs, some of which weighed three quarters of an ounce. All the windows to the windward side of the houses, within the compass of its extent, which was about one mile in width, was shivered to pieces. It also damaged the corn and other vegetables considerably."

To the Public Creditors in Pennsylvania.

YOUR interests are so interwoven with those of the Commonwealth, that a decay of the one cannot fail to prove the destruction of the other. Your zeal and activity in the common cause of America were highly important in effecting the revolution: your exertions are still equally necessary to secure and establish the benefits which that event has put in the power of the people of this country.

The happy effects of your associated efforts for some years past have been more extensively felt than understood. When that association was formed, the lamp of public credit burned feebly indeed;—not for want of oil in the vessel, but from obstructions in the communication between the fountain and the point of emission. Your efforts had no small share in removing those obstructions, and in reviving the expiring flame which has since shed abroad light and comfort through an extensive region. As this cheering light increased, your particular attention to the machine was withdrawn as being less necessary. But this machine, like all others, is liable to decay and disorder by time and accident, and requires watchfulness to keep it in due order. For some months past the regular performance of its functions has been on the decline. Some disorder has taken place, which requires examination and remedy. Every citizen is interested in the business; but you on whom the inconvenience first and most heavily falls are more strongly called upon for early attention and activity. Investigate the causes of the disorder, and the remedy will probably be plain and easy; but concert and unanimity in your measures will be necessary to success. As freemen you have a right to meet, consult and devise measures for your common safety:—as wise men you will probably exercise the right.

The funding system fairly executed would probably be sufficient to revive and continue public credit in full vigour. But the funding system has its secret opposers (from what motives may be worthy of enquiry) even among those who have obtained public confidence, by professing a desire to support it. The open opposers of it are few and contemptible: but the obstructions it meets with in its operations; the various measures taken to retard and diminish its resources; and to obtain undue preferences in the application of such part of the revenues as do arrive at the treasury, to the great disgust and disappointment of those who are thereby postponed, though best intitled to a preference, if any ought to be given; the slanders and calumnies propagated against the public creditors generally as a band of speculators drawing from the public an interest on three or four times the just value of their claims;—these and many other circumstances too evidently shew, that your interests are in imminent danger; and it must be equally evident to every candid and enlightened citizen, whether he be a public creditor or not, that the faith, honor and true interest of the state are equally endangered by the same causes. The people are induced to be reluctant in paying taxes, though really light, compared with the occasion, from an apprehension that their contributions are misapplied; and that confidence in the government, and patriotic zeal in individuals, to co-operate without compulsion in measures devised by their representatives, which are essential to the prosperity of a Commonwealth, are greatly abated.

That there are speculative purchasers of claims on the public, who would profit much by raising the value of public securities, is undoubtedly true; but the certificates held on such terms bear a very small proportion to those which are in the hands of original holders, or were received by their present possessors at early periods and at full value. And surely a desire to defeat these speculative purchasers of their expected profit (if such a desire can at all be justified) ought not to operate to the injury of the greater number of patriotic citizens to whom the immediate payment of the whole amount of their liquidated claims would be less than a fair compensation for their advances to the public. Besides, it should be considered, that whatever may be the gain of these purchasers, it will be at the expence of those individuals who from necessity or folly have made a bad bargain in the sale, and not at the expence of the public, who justly owe the whole sum, and originally contracted to pay it to the bearers of the certificates, for the avowed purpose of making them negociable. It has been said, that some of the holders, or late holders of certificates, though small in proportion to their wealth, calculate that they shall save more by exonerating their estates from taxation, than they shall lose by the destruction of the debt; and that they have the treasonable meanness to aim at sacrificing the public faith and honor to the pitiful saving they should make on such a calculation. How wretched would be the fate of any country, whose public measures should be guided by such motives!

AMICUS.

SHIP NEWS.

The Governor, Studds, from New-York for London, was wrecked near the Old Head of Kinsale in June last, and the cargo entirely lost.

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Honorable Thomas M'Kean, Esquire, chief justice of the Supreme Court of the state of Pennsylvania, the Honorable Francis Hopkinson, Esquire, judge of the Admiralty for the state of Pennsylvania, and the Honorable George Bryan, Esquire, one of the justices of the supreme court, have issued their precept, bearing date the 3d day of *September*, instant, to me directed, for holding a Court of Admiralty sessions for the United States of America, at the state house, on *Wednesday* the 19th day of *September* instant.

Notice is hereby given to all justices of the peace, the coroners and constables within the city and county of Philadelphia, that they be then and there in their own persons, with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; and also, that they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the goal of said city or county, are to be then then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 4th day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.

Joseph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

GOD SAVE the COMMONWEALTH!

WE the subscribers, passengers in the ship Alexander, Captain Reoch, from Londonderry to this port, sensible how justly the conduct of said Captain merits the warmest praise, feel ourselves happy in thus embracing the earliest opportunity of publickly returning him our grateful thanks for his particular care and attention during the passage.

Matthew M. Clarkson	John Moore
Adam Caldwell	Joseph Caldwell
William Alexander	Robert Mothrell
Oliver Kelso	Samuel Fullton
Joseph Dysart	James Scott
Hugh Stuart	George Patton
Thomas Barry	Alexander Dysart
Catharine Lowrey	John Caldwell
Isaac M'Kuisack	William Moorland
James Calhoun	William Brown
John Dickey	William Nilson
John Simpson	Robert King
William Gregg	Thomas M'Mullan
William Chess	Daniel M'Keslock
James Smyth	Alexander Smyth
Hamilton Bell	John Robinson
William Stewart	James Stewart
Daniel M'Mullan	James Ervin
John Smyth	George Orr
Mary Elgin	James Haslett
James Adams	Samuel Bunton
James Sample	James M'Kesfock
Daniel Balfoure	Samuel Black
Charles Johnston	William Porter
Ducan Matthews	Peter Taylor
John Boyd	William Baird
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William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf,
Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.
Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

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WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4. 1787. mws 1m

EDUCATION.

THE subscriber presents his best compliments to his friends, as well as the public, and also begs leave to inform them, that he has some time since removed to the house where Mr. Jack lately gave instruction, in the arduous task of an instructor of youth, formerly known by the appellation of colonel Porter's school-house, situate in Union-street, between Second and Third streets, where he continues to initiate youth in every useful part of erudition, and in a particular manner English grammar in all its parts. Being fully convinced of the many vague and fictitious opinions with regard to English grammar, in a great measure occasioned by the several treatises lately extant, diametrically opposite,—he therefore intends to teach his pupils the elements of the Latin Language, in order to corroborate their judgment in the English, (with no additional charge, by which method they will be able to attain a consummate knowledge of the beauties of the English, and prevent their being misled by caprice, innovations, &c. PATRICK BRADY.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 1, 1787.

He intends Opening an *Evening-School* on the 1st of October.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnership of *Footman & Shippen* being this day dissolved: all persons indebted to them are earnestly requested to make immediate payment.

The remaining Stock on

Hand of said Partnership, consisting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be disposed of on advantageous terms, for Cash, Paper Money of the last Emission, or upon a short Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the first quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8-4 bath coatings
Fine forrest cloths
Blue and drad linsies
Striped cotton linsies and German stripes
Embossed serges
Plain and spotted swanskins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kersies and fearnoughts
Printed linsies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Castor and beaver hats
Superfine cassimers
Mens and womens worsted hose
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens spotted hose
Mens white and brown thread hose
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demaseus and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton shawls
Fringed silk handkerchiefs
A large assortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarse catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, spotted & striped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and soufflee gauzes
Black taffity and persians
Blue and rose coloured sarsnets
White and pink sattins
Rich black armozeens
White and puse coloured mantuas
Marseilles quilting

Russia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton stripes
Womens black silk velvet
Long pile mohair plushes
A Variety of Stuffs, viz.
Dorsettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, most colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, shalloons & rattinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thicksetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonsopretties, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White stitching threads
Worsted mitts
Womens black silk gloves
Coloured fans
Chinese ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twist
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glasses
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread baskets
Japanned bottle stands
Womens ticking stays
Elegant persian carpets
Hoses shoes
Cutlery and Hardware, viz.
Steel and plated spurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Scissars and shears
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and pistol capt knives
Childrens plain & spotted knives
Silver and brass links
Corkscrews, spectacles, combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
T hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candlesticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the cask
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 f&w3m

Question, on the Art of Writing.

TELL me what genius did the art invent,
The lively image of a voice to paint?
Who first the secret how to colour sound,
And to give shape to reason, wisely found?
With bodies how to clothe ideas taught,
And how to draw the pictures of a thought?
Who taught the hand to speak, the eye to hear,
A silent language roving far and near?
Whose softest notes out-strip loud thunder's sound,
And spread their accents thro' the world's vast round?
Yet with kind secrecy securely roll,
Whispers of absent friends from pole to pole,
A speech heard by the deaf, spoke by the dumb,
Whose echo reaches far in time to come;
Which dead men speak as well as those that live:
Tell me what genius did this art contrive?

ANCIENT GAMING.

ONE Canius Julius had been sentenced to death by Caligula: The centurions coming by with a tribe of malefactors, and ordering him to bear them company to execution, happened to find him engaged at chess. Canius, upon his first summons, presently fell to counting his men, and bidding his antagonist be sure not to brag falsely of the victory after his death, bid the company take notice, that he had one man on the board more than his companion, and so very readily joined himself to the poor wretches that were going to suffer.

PROPOSALS

For Printing by Subscription,

Necker's Treatise

ON THE

Administration of the Finances of France.

Ubi igitur animus meus ex multis miseiis & periculis requievit, non fuit consilium socordia atque desidia bonum otium conterere. SALLUST.

Translated from the genuine French Edition,
By THOMAS MORTIMER, Esquire.
Author of the *Elements of Commerce, Politics & Finance*.

CONDITIONS.

I. This Work will be printed on a fine paper and good type, in two volumes large octavo.
II. The price to subscribers will be *fourteen shillings* per volume, neatly bound and lettered.
III. As soon as 200 subscribers patronize the Work, it shall be immediately put to press, and finished with expedition.
IV. A list of the names of encouragers to this Publication will be printed at the beginning of the second volume.

††† *No money required from the subscribers till the delivery of both volumes.*

SUBSCRIPTIONS are taken in by *Thomas Dobson* and *William Young*, Philadelphia; *Samuel Campbell*, New-York; *William Eliot*, Charleston; *Benjamin Guild*, Boston; and all other Gentlemen who will be entrusted with Proposals.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The following EXTRACTS *may serve as a Recommendation, &c. to Gentlemen unacquainted with the Character or Nature of this celebrated Work.*

"THIS valuable treatise contains a laborious and acute investigation of the domestic policy of France; illustrated with a variety of remarks, and hints of improvement, the suggestions of liberality and humanity. M. Necker has prefixed a most instructive introduction to his work, in which he treats of the qualifications, duties and virtues of a public minister of finances; abounding with wholesome maxims, among which *honesty* is allowed the pre-eminence. M. Necker's chapter on WAR, breathes the spirit of true patriotic humanity; it exhibits more, it shews him to be the friend of human nature at large; and we should with much pleasure give the speech he puts into the mouth of an honest minister, supposed to be in council when a king is advised to war on political calculations, had we not enlarged too copiously already. The translator of M. Necker's treatise, appears to have done justice to his excellent principal; for on the whole, the work makes a respectable appearance in its English dress—*Monthly Review*, vol. 74, p. 542.

"It is incumbent on the translator to convey some material heads of information to English readers, which may serve to point out the very great utility of this excellent work to every nation; and to explain and illustrate some parts of the treatise as well as some circumstances attending it, which not being known, might cast a veil of obscurity over a performance which ought to be as intelligent as it is eminent, especially as the great talents of the author are acknowledged and admired by all sensible men in most nations of Europe. In the first place it is necessary to observe, that the general principles of finance laid down by M. Necker, are not confined to France; they are equally applicable to every country, whose resources chiefly depend on public credit, manufactures and commerce: every page offers some great political, commercial, or financial truth, or throws some new light on the administration of affairs in France, which it is essential for every gentleman, merchant, and manufacturer to know,——*Advert. by the Translator.*

*** The above work has been translated into the Dutch and German languages, and several thousands have been sold in Britain as well as in France. The price in London is 24s. sterling, and this American edition will only be *Three Dollars and a Half*.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

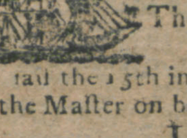
On Saturday the 15th of Sept. between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock,

A Convenient two story Brick HOUSE, situated on the north side of Prune-street, between Fourth and Fifth streets from Delaware, in breadth on the said Prune-street, 48 feet, and in length or depth 70 feet, bounded southward by Prune-street, eastward and northward by ground of William Shippen, and westward by the back end of said Shippen's ground, and of Fifth-street. Subject to a yearly rent of 36 Spanish milled dollars. Any person inclined to purchase at private sale, may know the terms by applying to the auctioneer, or Bartholomew Baker, on the premises. The purchase money to be paid in three payments; 1 3d to be paid at the time of purchase; the 2d payment in 3 months, and the 3d payment in the next 3 months following.

Nine-Pence Reward

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, plaisterer, living in Sixth-street, between Arch and Race streets, an Apprentice Lad named John Fullarton, between 14 and 15 years of age, about 4 feet 10 inches high, sandy complexion; had on when he went away a round hat, a jacket with sleeves, fustian trowsers, and shoes almost new. Whoever will secure him in any workhouse, so that his master may get him again, shall receive the above reward and reasonable charges; and all persons are forbid to harbour him.

August 23. FINCHER HELLINGS.



For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,
William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship: also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrel rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

For Paper Money.

A QUANTITY OF

IRONMONGERY;

Woolen, Cotton and Silk GOODS;

Green Glaſs Bottles in Hampers;

GRINDSTONES,

And a large Quantity of

SALT;

ALSO,

TAUNTON ALE,

To be SOLD in Third ſtreet, by

Richard Wells & Son.

July 16 3tnw.wtf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and ſolicit a Continuance thereof at the enſuing Election, for the *Coroner's* Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 25, 1787. eotf

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL who has two years and 4 months to ſerve: ſhe is a hearty, ſtrong, induſtrious girl, and would ſuit for either town or country: ſhe is ſold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

Auguſt 30 eotf

To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORES adjoining, ſituate in Penn and Water ſtreets, between Lombard and South ſtreets.

July 18 w&f JOHN ANGUS.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers.

Auguſt 25 d

Ten Dollars Reward.

Laſt night was ſtolen from the ſtore of the ſubſcribers

21 Caſes Holland Gin,

Marked FCM. numbers of the caſes unknown. Any perſon that will apprehend the thief or thieves, ſo that the property may be recovered, and they brought to juſtice, ſhall receive the above reward, and all reaſonable charges paid by Aug 29

dtf Pickering & Hodgdon

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom-Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

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TO BE LET,

THAT commodious HOUSE in tenure of *William Bingham*, eſq; on the weſt ſide of Second ſtreet, at the corner of Lodge alley, together with the coach houſe, ſtable for ſix horſes, garden, &c. Poſſeſſion may be had in October next. Enquire of

Auguſt 30 6ſo CHARLES JERVIS.

TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. eotf

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To THE PUBLIC.

THE Partnerſhip of ADAMS & WISTAR being diſſolved; All perſons indebted to them are requeſted to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, who is legally authoriſed to receive the ſame, and adjuſt the accounts of the late Company.

THOMAS WISTAR.

Philadelphia, 8th Mo. 20, 1787. w&13w

This Day is Publiſhed, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market ſtreet—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.

By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.

That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains ſhall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The ſeas ſhall waſte, the ſkies in ſmoke decay,
Rocks fall to duſt and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his ſaving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever laſts, thy own Meſſiah reigns.
Pope.

The ſubject of the above piece, having been much canvaſſed of late, both in Europe and America, the the curioſity of the Public, and eſpecially of ſuch gentlemen of the city who are pleaſed with the diſcovery of Truth, may be excited to the peruſal of the ſentiments and reaſoning of a fellow citizen, upon ſo momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Alſo, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;

And the BUDDS OF BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Auguſtus Chatterton*, eſq. mwſ4w

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Juſt PUBLISHED, *Sold by*

Thomas Dobſon,

In Second ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Market ſtreets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne*'s FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, ſmall pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handſomely bound and lettered, *Price* 3/9

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and ſciences, vol. 1ſt, large 4to. with ſix copperplates *Price* 25*ſ*.

2. The beauties of hiſtory, or pictures of virtue and vice drawn from real life; deſigned, and admirably calculated for the inſtruction and entertainment of youth, 2 vols. 15*ſ*.

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9. Scott's leſſons in elocution, or a ſelection of pieces in proſe and verſe, for the improvement of youth in reading and ſpeaking, as well as for the peruſal of perſons of taſte, 6*ſ*.

The diſtinguiſhed preference which this book has obtained, both as a collection for ſchools, and a valuable book for private improvement, is a ſufficient teſtimony of its ſuperior merit. This fourth edition, now preſented to the Public, is ſtill farther improved: the compiler having brought it to its preſent improved ſtate, has determined to let it remain ſo, to prevent the inconveniencies of too frequent variations.

N. B. A few copies of the third edition are ſtill on hand, for the uſe of thoſe ſchools where it is introduced.

10 Scott's introduction to reading and ſpelling; a new edition, very much improved, 2/6. w&ſtf

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TO BE LET,

A Malt and Brew-Houſe,

IN Kent County, Maryland, within 7 miles of Cheſter-Town, 75 miles from Philadelphia, 26 miles land carriage to the landings on the Delaware, 35 miles from the head of Elk, 50 miles from Baltimore, and the ſame diſtance from Annapolis; and there is water carriage from the brew houſe door to the three laſt-mentioned places. At theſe works may be malted and brewed 40 barrels of ſtrong beer per week. The ſituation is a rich healthy country. For terms apply to Mr. Nicholas Raſh, in Ninth-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, or to the ſubſcriber, at the premiſes.

ISAAC PERKINS.

N. B. If the ſaid malt and brew-houſe is not rented in ſix or eight weeks, a partner would be taken. that can be well recommended, and has caſh to aſſiſt in carrying on the buſineſs.

July 23. 6ſw

TO BE LET, A

LARGE, convenient, three ſtory Brick HOUSE, the corner of South and Penn ſtreets. For terms pleaſe to apply to JAMES HUNTER, in Second ſtreet, below Walnut ſtreet.

Auguſt 22 3ſw

LANDS FOR *SALE*

IN MARYLAND,

THE ſubſcriber has for ſale, all that *TRACT* of *LAND* called *Beall's Plantation* and *Bateman's Field* (being part of *Snowden's Reputation Supported*) containing from a late ſurvey 676 and a half acres, ſituate on the head of South river, Anne Arrundel county, about 3 miles from navigable water, 12 from the city of Annapolis, 28 from Baltimore town, 24 frow George town, and about 7 from the Inſpection Houſes of Indian Landing and Queen Anne, is well adapted for corn, wheat, and particularly tobacco.

This Plantation has not been tenanted for 3 years, is a moſt pleaſing and deſirable ſituation, and capable of great improvement at a ſmall expence; there are 259 acres of timber land, a greater part of which is very valuable. The ſubſcriber would prefer diſpoſing of the whole in one lot; but has no objection to making ſeveral of it: the timber land is conveniently ſituated for making ſuch diviſions in equal proportions; & there are many pleaſant ſituations for erecting different buildings; it is alſo well watered—A very good mill ſtream runs through it, and there is ſome meadow ground, and much more may be very readily made.

The improvements upon it are, a good dwelling houſe with three large rooms on each floor, kitchen, quarter, corn houſe, ſtables, tobacco houſe, and two very fine apple orchards, one of which contains 220 trees, together with a number of other valuable fruit trees.

A plan of this eſtate may be ſeen at Mr. *Vachel Stevens*, ſurveyor, Annapolis, who will ſhew the premiſes; alſo at Meſſ. *William Patterſon* & *Brother*'s, Baltimore, and further information had. For price, terms, &c. apply to *JOHN WADDINGTON*.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15. wtf

John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the ſtore lately occupied by Meſſrs. Bache & Shee, on the weſt ſide of Front, the 5th door ſouth of Cheſnut ſtreet, where he has for ſale on the loweſt terms——Window Glaſs of every ſize from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewiſe. Linſeed Oil, Painters Colours, Varniſh, Roſin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmoſt abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received ſince his commencement in buſineſs. Philad. Aug. 25. ſ&wtf

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Wanted to Purchaſe,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennſylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Higheſt Price will be given.

Country People and others may be ſupplied with Certificates and Shilling Money. to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Depoſits, and negociated ſo as to accommodate People with the Kind that may beſt ſuit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Cheſnut ſtreet, near the BANK.

Patrick Duffey,

BROKER,

Reſpectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Cheſnut ſtreet, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL

Certificates for the Land-Office,

With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;

Dollar Money,

STATE MONEY of the Emiſſion of 1781, &c. &c.

And has alſo provided himſelf with

STORES

To receive Merchandize, which he will ſell for thoſe who pleaſe to employ him, to the beſt advantage, at a moderate Commiſſion, and will endeavour to the beſt of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himſelf that an Attention to the Intereſt of thoſe for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him ſome Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,

On approved Security, and the greateſt Secrecy and Delicaſy obſerved in the Negociation of any Buſineſs committed to his Charge. Auguſt 7 w&ſtf

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Samuel Green

Begs leave to acquaint the public in general and his friends in particular, that he has for ſale at his Bottling Store, in Cheſnut ſtreet, two doors above the Poſt-Office,

FINE bottled porter, beer, cyder, claret, red port, and excellent wine bitters, in quart and pint bottles. He has likewiſe a freſh aſſortment of olives, capers, fine white wine and pickling vinegar, brandy, ſpirits and rum, by the barrel, gallon and quart; likewiſe a quantity of the beſt Engliſh corks; all of which articles he is determined to ſell cheap.

Merchants and others, who have wines, beer, &c. to bottle, may depend upon having them done on the loweſt terms, and at the ſhorteſt notice, as the ſubſcriber not only keeps a ſufficient number of hands, but always attends himſelf, and being regularly brought up to the buſineſs, flatters himſelf he can give every ſatiſfaction.

A boy about 12 or 14 years of age wanted to the above buſineſs.

N. B. Empty bottles bought and ſold. fwf

The SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has Opened a

Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

In Front ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, two doors from Cheſnut ſtreet, on the Bank ſide.

Where he intends to carry on buſineſs in that line in the moſt regular manner in its various branches, and means to ſell on as reaſonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Ladies and Gentlemen who would be ſo kind as to favour him with their cuſtom, by leaving their meaſure may depend on having their work done in the neateſt and beſt Manner, and according to their directions, with quick diſpatch.

And for the conveniency of thoſe who want to buy ready made work, there is a good aſſortment of different qualities. ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR.

N. B. Thoſe who favour him with orders from the country, may depend on being ſerved at ſaid Manufactory on reaſonable terms, with the utmoſt punctuality. All Goods bought at ſaid Manufactory repaired on reaſonable terms. Auguſt 7 w&ſtf

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A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw-Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan, *John Barclay*, *John Miller*, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

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Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Worceſter townſhip, Montgomery county, on *Tueſday* night laſt, a Mulatto *WENCH*, named *CHLOE*; took with her a blue and white ſtriped long gown, one calico ditto, two calico and one white ſhort gown, a good black ſilk bonnet, a red calimanco ſkirt, aprons and handkerchiefs, &c. She is a ſtout, well featured Wench, nearly 22 years of age, a countenance rather reſembling an Indian than a Negro, has a remarkable ſpot or ſcar under one of her eyes, black curly hair, generally frized up to imitate a cuſhion; ſhe has been taught to read, and is a plauſible, cunning huſſy; when ſhe ſmiles or laughs an extravagant degree of pleaſure diffuſes itſelf over her face; ſhe has been regiſtered according to law: it is ſuſpected ſhe has come to this city, and that ſome of the Negroes in the ſuburbs will endeavour to ſecret her. All maſters of veſſels are forbid to carry her off at their peril. Any perſon apprehending the ſaid Wench, and ſecuring her ſo that her maſter may get her again, by giving information to *David Rittenhouſe*, eſquire, or the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive the above Reward, paid by

Aug. 16. 12ſp *BENJAMIN RITTENHOUSE*.

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100 *Dollars Reward.*

LAST night the houſe of the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet was BROKE OPEN, and the following Articles were taken from thence—One ſilver cream pot, 6 ſilver teaſpoons marked R. B. R. 3 ſilver watches, 50l. in paper money, 3/4 of a yard of black ſattin, and the following *CERTIFICATES*, viz.

No.		L.	S.	D.
11475	Caſper Kites for	45	0	0
6768	Jeremiah Calahan	9	2	0
5774	Owen Auſtin	22	19	6
7056	John Young	9	2	0
6773	John Wallice	9	2	0
5775	Samuel M'Mullen	9	2	0
5776	Samuel Fulton	9	2	0
7060	William Scott	6	13	0
9260	James Smith	412	1	8
9261	Ditto ditto	28	2	6
9262	Ditto ditto	11	7	11
9263	Ditto ditto	6	8	2
9264	Ditto ditto	32	17	2
9265	Ditto ditto	7	7	0
2808	Henry Gordon	36	13	4
912	James M'Dowell	39	17	0
913	Ditto ditto	20	8	11
914	Ditto ditto	30	8	9
916	James M'Dowell	13	0	6
506	John Beatey	0	16	3
503	William Beaty	12	10	0
504	Ditto ditto	2	5	0
519	Ditto ditto	392	15	0
502	Ditto ditto	77	1	3
3507	Andrew Potter	4	17	[illegible]
12903	John Trimble	8	0	0
522	George Clark	30	10	3
521	Ditto ditto	18	8	2
7913	Joſeph Bertleback	15	2	8
505	William Beaty	23	15	0
525	James Johnſon	1	14	6
530	Ditto ditto	7	17	5
527	Samuel Roger	1	17	6
528	James Johnſon	28	6	1
529	Ditto ditto	28	18	4

The above Reward will be given, or in proportion to the Goods recovered: for the Certificates *Sixty Dollars*, or for the Watches, Silver Spoons, and Cream Pot, Paper Money, &c. *Forty Dollars*.

ROBERT BAYLY.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 28, 1787. thſw

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennſylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inſt. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the ſeveral Lodges under their juriſdiction are requeſted punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

Patent Medicines

SOLD BY

WILLIAM POYNTELL,

In Second ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, the Corner of Black-Horſe alley:

MAREDANT's Antiſcorbutic Drops; a ſovereign remedy for the ſea and land ſcurvy, pimpled faces, ſcorbutic gout, rheumatiſm, inflamation of the eyes, and all diſorders ariſing from the foulneſs of the blood.

DOCTOR TORRIS's celebrated Fever Drops; a certain cure for every ſpecies of fevers, old inveterate coughs, conſumptive habits, complaints of the ſtomach and bowels, nervous head-achs, and intermitting fevers and agues.

The above two medicines are in high reputation in Great-Britain, as affording certain relief in the above diſorders; and it is not doubted but a fair trial of them would afford eſſential relief to the afflicted in this weſtern world—Pamphlets, containing innumerable, but well atteſted extraordinary cures performed by them, may be had of ſaid *Poyntell*, where the diſordered may probably find many caſes ſimilar to their own. A conſtant ſupply of the above two invaluable Medicines will be kept for ſale, and a generous allowance made to Country Apothecaries who buy wholeſale.

At ſame Place may alſo be had—Bateman's drops, Anderſon's Scots pills, Hooper's pills, Britiſh oil, Godfrey's cordial, Turlington's Balſam, Hungary water, Stoughton's elixir, Haerlem oil, Dr. James's fever powders, eſſence of pepper mint, Greenough's tincture for the teeth and gums, Hill's Balſam of honey, Hill's American balſam, ſpirits of ſal volat, Van Helmet's fever and ague pills. 1aw12w

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To be Sold by the Subſcriber,

A LOT of GROUND, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Fourth ſtreet continued in the Northern-Liberties, being in length 668 feet 6 inches, from Brown ſtreet to Poplar lane, being the eaſt front of the following lots of ground, viz. in the front of John Young, junr's. lot 136 feet 9 inches; in the front of Thomas Coats's lot 178 feet 6 inches; in the front of the eſtate of Samuel Burge, deceaſed, 198 feet 6 inches and in front of the eſtate of John Hughes, deceaſed, 145 feet 9 inches.

The ſubſcriber will alſo ſell the *ANNUAL INTEREST* of from 1000 to 5000l. in Ground-Rents; the whole having good ſecurities. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe 300l. per ann. may have ſeveral years credit, paying one-third of the purchaſe money down.

To be Let on Ground-Rent forever,

A number of valuable *LOTS* of *GROUND*, ſituate on Third, Fourth, Coats, Brown, Budds, St. John, and Charlotte ſtreets. For terms apply to the ſubſcriber, or Mr. *Peter Thomſon*, Scrivener, in Race ſtreet, or Mr. *Richard Whitehead*, Scrivener, in Front ſtreet, where Plans of ſaid Lots may be ſeen. 3tawtf

Philadelphia, June 20 WILLIAM COATS.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22. eptf

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;

On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] THURSDAY, September 6, 1787. [No. 2679.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 6 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

TO-MORROW,

The 7th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,

Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are—A Quantity of

Damaged Woolens,

To be sold on account of the Underwriters.

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning* and no other time. *Sept* 6.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Sales of Forfeited Estates

In PENNSYLVANIA.

WHEREAS the estate of Christian Hook, late of the city of Philadelphia, attorney at law, hath been forfeited to this Commonwealth, by his attainder, for treason: I the subscriber, agent for the county of Northampton, do hereby give notice, that the following estate late of said Christian Hook, in the county aforesaid, will be sold by Public Vendue at the Court-house, in Easton, in the said county, on *Thursday* the 20th day of September next; the Sales to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and to continue until all be sold, viz.

Nº 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, being 6 contiguous tracts of land, situate on a branch of Lehawanick Creek, adjoining lands of Reuben Haines, Isaac Wikoff, and others; Nº 1. containing 387 acres, 77 perches, and allowance; Nº 2, 301 acres, 141 perches, and allowance; Nº 3, 4, 5, and 6, each containing a like quantity, the whole being patented to said Hook, Nov. 5th, 1776.

7. A tract of land situate on Shahawken Creek, about two miles and a quarter from Delaware river, containing 271 and a half acres, patented to said Hook, Aug 21st, 1776.

The terms of sale will be according to law as follows, viz. one fourth part of the purchase money to be paid within 10 days after sale, and the remainder within 30 days after sale, or the premises to revert to the state, and the bidder to forfeit one-fourth part of the purchase money—On a certificate being produced from the agent, of the payment of the purchase money, a deed will be given as by law directed.

Draughts of the several tracts, may be seen at the old Coffee house, in the city of Philadelphia, and in Easton, on the day of sale.

And I, the agent, do also pursuant to law, notify all the claimants of the said premises; and the creditors of the said Christian Hook, to exhibit their claims and demands to the justices of the supreme court, within the time limited by law, or they will be for ever debarred from recovery thereof. July 24, 1787

JOHN M'NAIR, Jun. Agent.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the *Old Coffee House*, on *Tuesday* the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening,

Will be Sold to the Highest Bidder,

The Life Estate of Joshua Pusey,

A Bankrupt, in the following Property:

A WELL finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, on the north side of Pine street, between Second and Front street, now in the tenure of Mrs. York, and rents at 50l. and the taxes per annum. the house is 20 feet front by 32 feet deep, and built over an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide, of which it has a privilege. The lot is 80 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of 40s. sterling per annum.

A well finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, situate on the south side of Queen street, in the Southern-liberties of this city, between Front street continued and Swanson street, now in the tenure of Mr. Frederick Bird, and rents at 35l. per annum: the house is 22 feet front by about 30 feet deep, with the privilege of an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide. The lot is 90 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of ——— per annum.

A lot on Stamper's lane, in the township of Moyamensing, and about two miles from the city, containing two and a half acres of good meadow ground, is now leased to Mr. William Bronger, for the term of 5 years from the 1st day of March, 1784, at the rent of 15l. specie per annum. Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the estate of Joshua Pusey, a Bankrupt.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are required to make payment to the subscriber, on or before the 1st day of October next. Those who neglect to comply with this request will be proceeded against as the law directs. R. R.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29, 1787 th&tu.tf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,

A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, moreea gown patterns, 7 8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

WE the subscribers, passengers in the ship Alexander, Captain Reoch, from Londonderry to this port, sensible how justly the conduct of said Captain merits the warmest praise, feel ourselves happy in thus embracing the earliest opportunity of publickly returning him our grateful thanks for his particular care and attention during the passage.

Matthew M. Clarkson	John Moore
Adam Caldwell	Joseph Caldwell
William Alexander	Robert Mothrell
Oliver Kelso	Samuel Fullton
Joseph Dysart	James Scott
Hugh Stuart	George Patton
Thomas Barry	Alexander Dysart
Catharine Lowrey	John Caldwell
Isaac M'Kmsack	William Moorland
James Calhoun	William Brown
John Dickey	William Nilson
John Simpson	Robert King
William Gregg	Thomas M'Mullan
William Chess	Daniel M'Kesflock
James Smyth	Alexander Smyth
Hamilton Bell	John Robinson
William Stewart	James Stewart
Daniel M'Mullan	James Ervin
John Smyth	George Ort
Mary Elgin	James Hasflett
James Adams	Samuel Bunton
James Sample	James M'Kesflock
Daniel Balfoure	Samuel Black
Charles Johnston	William Porter
Ducan Matthews	Peter Taylor
John Boyd	William Baird
Thomas Baird	Ephraim Stephenson

WANTED immediately in a family in this town, a healthy young WET NURSE with a good Breast of Milk. Enquire of the Printers. *Sept.* 1 3tp

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *House*, *Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water street between Arch and Race streets. Enquire of John Thompson, merchant, in Front street. 3taw3w

THE Creditors to the estate of Lewis Taylor, are requested to call on ARTHUR COLLINS, the second week in September, to receive their third dividend. August 27. eo6t

To be Sold for Funded Certificates,

A SQUARE

In the City of Philadelphia, bounded by Broad street, and divided into 44 lots.

The Plan and terms will be made known by

Mathew M'Connell,

At the *Exchange-Office* in Second street.

Aug. 27 eo4t

To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a house in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Chesnut streets, or for a good vessel,

Two new well-finished Brick Houses;

Situate on Eleventh and Locust streets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingston.

eo1m August 17

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, surviving Partner of *Mease & Caldwell*, has made an assignment of his own, as well as all the estates, both real and personal, of the said Parnership, to *Robert Milligan*, esq; attorney at law, and the subscriber, for the use of their creditors.—All persons indebted to the said Partnership, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are desired to settle their respective balances on or before the 1st of October next, otherwise suits will be commenced against them, without further notice: also, those who have any demands against the said Partnership, are requested to furnish their accounts to the subscriber in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Assignee to *Mease & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787 3taw1tO

TO BE SOLD, A

Handsome Grey Horse

5 years old, about 15 hands and a half high, fit for a carriage or saddle. Also, a new CHAISE made of the best materials. They may be seen at ISRAEL ISRAEL's stable, in Chesnut street. Aug. 9. 3tw4w

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for sometime past kept the Inn in Black Horse Alley: is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third street. He begs leave to solicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and assures those gentlemen who formerly frequented that house and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themselves and horses, shall be furnished in the best and most careful manner, and on the most reasonable terms.

Philad. May 16. 3tawtf

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

Six Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber last night, an indented Irish servant MAN, named Charles Newell, about 19 years of age, a stout, clumsy fellow, five feet seven or eight inches high, swarthy complexion, short dark brown hair; had on a blue coat and vest, with white metal buttons, olive coloured fustian breeches, knit brown thread stockings, and a pair of new shoes and brass buckles. He carried off with him four shirts, two of which were new, of strong country made linen. one spotted velveret vest with linen backs, two pair trowsers, one old the other new, of striped blue and white cotton. He arrived in the ship William and George, Capt. Strawbridge, from Londonderry about 4 weeks ago. Whoever takes up the said servant, and delivers him to me, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges.

CHARLES RISK.

Philadelphia, August 12, 3tpeotf

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Honorable *Thomas M'Kean*, Esquire, Doctor of Laws, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, and of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for the said State; the Honorable *William Augustus Atlee*, Esquire, and the Honorable *George Bryan*, Esquire, Justices of the said Courts, have issued their precept, bearing date the 2d day of August (instant) to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, at the State-House in the city of Philadelphia, on Monday the 17th day of September next.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Justices of the Peace, the Coroners, Escheator and Constables, within the said city and county, that they be then and there in their own persons, and with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; also all they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the gaol of the said city and county, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 3d day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

God Save the Commonwealth.

AGREEABLY to a Resolution of the Society for alleviating the Miseries of Public Prisons, passed on Monday Evening the 13th inst. Notice is hereby given, That Mr. JOHN OLDDEN is duly appointed Secretary to the Acting Committe of the said Society; so that all persons who may conceive themselves entitled to benefit from the humane designs of this Institution, may direct their applications to him, in Second, near Market street, where the same will be received, and laid before the Acting Committee at their next Meeting, who will take such order therein as may be proper and necessary.

J. SWANWICK, *Sec'ry to the Society.*

August 14, 1787.

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be sold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, and state of Pennsylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making superfine flour, having two pair of stones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, also very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Susquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on said river. The Saw Mill was new built last spring, and is also in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on said place a good stone dwelling house with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the possession of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premises, or to the subscribers in Philadelphia.

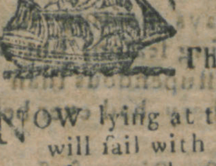
John Vaughan, }
John Barclay, } Assignees of T. B. Hugo.
John Miller, }

N. B. If they are not sold before the 17th September, they will on that day be exposed to Public Sale on the spot, by the subscribers. *Sept.* 3 d

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.



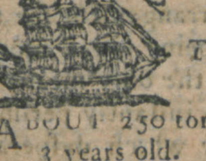
For Alexandria,

(In Virginia)

The Sloop CHARMING POLLY,

JOHN ELLWOOD, junr. Master;

NOW lying at the lower side of Arch street wharf, will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the master on board. Aug 31 3eo



For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,

GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Islands,

THE BRIG

BETSEY,

Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine vessel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to

Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS.

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,

William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY*.

August 24. dtf

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,

William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrel rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

Wanted to Purchase,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennsylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Highest Price will be given.

Country People and others may be supplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Deposits, and negociated so as to accommodate People with the Kind that may best suit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Chesnut street, near the BANK.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

TO BE LET,

THAT commodious HOUSE in tenure of *William Bingham*, esq; on the west side of Second street, at the corner of Lodge alley, together with the coach house, stable for six horses, garden, &c. Possession may be had in October next. Enquire of

August 30 6tp CHARLES JERVIS.

Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the south west corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. eptf

STRAYED or stolen from the meadows of William Craig, on Greenwich island, two OXEN; the one a dark red with a white spot in his forehead, about 5 years old; the other a stag with short horns, of a dun colour, about 9 years old, and supposed to weigh about 500 and a half each. Whosoever will take up and deliver said Cattle to us the subscribers, shall have *TWENTY SHILLINGS REWARD*, or if stolen, and the thief brought to justice, *THREE POUNDS* and all reasonable charges.

WILLIAM CRAIG,
Philadelphia, Aug 24. RICHARD PRICE.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Christian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, August 22, eptf

Foreign Intelligence.

HAGUE, June 24.

THE report of a party of the prince of Orange's troops gaining the better in a skirmish with some citizens of Utrecht, is misrepresented. The fact is, a small party of the former approached too near on Tuesday last, and were driven back, having their officer and many men wounded; they dropt a cane with a large gold head in their flight.

The council of Amsterdam have presented to the states of Holland a request made by upwards of six thousand inhabitants; which, after stating the various circumstances respecting the situation of that country, desires, 'That the French king may be called in as a mediator to compose the differences, and prevent a dissolution of the union; especially as that monarch is the only true friend of the Republic, which he particularly manifested in their late disputes with the emperor.' The council at the same time signified their concurrence to the request, and it is thought the states will agree thereto.

This motion was to be decidedly determined in two days; during which time the representatives will consult their constituents. The stadtholderian party insists, that the king of Prussia be called in as second mediator, which will be acceded to, or rejected, at the next meeting of their High Mightinesses.

LONDON, May 21,

In the India papers are several advertisements of sales of the company's bonds in India, and at the bottom of each advertisement, there is a *Nota Bene*, 'That only specie will be taken.' This refusal of *their own paper*, at their own sales, does not shew that their circumstances in India are in a flourishing condition.

June 15. Such is the anxiety of the British court respecting Holland, that the greatest part of the cabinet ministers still remain in town. Three of the king's messengers have been dispatched to the Hague within these few days, the first of whom is hourly expected back.

We have it on respectable authority, that our court has, within these few days, received the most positive assurances from that of France, of her neutrality in the present commotions among the Dutch.

Notwithstanding the above intelligence, contrary reports of a French fleet sailing, with an order from our admiralty for twelve sail of the line, under the command of lord Howe, instantly to proceed to sea, so far prevailed, that three per cents. fell above two per cent. on Tuesday; and yesterday other reports sustained by people's fears, and the prevalance of example further lowered them, at one time of the day to 70; they however got up to two per cent. before the close of the market.

Eighty thousand Prussians line the frontiers of Holland, with positive orders to hold themselves in readiness to march on the shortest notice, which event will inevitably take place, if the French send a single man into the United States. This comes by a gentleman who left Magdeburgh six days ago.

A morning paper says, that at this time a fleet of twelve ships of the line were in Brest water, ready to put to sea, together with several frigates. The object of this preparation is unknown; some assert, that the intent is merely to discipline the ships—and others alledge, that part of them are intended for the East Indies—but while the troubles in Holland so much excite the attention of Europe, it is probable the squadron of which we speak may excite new alarms.

June 22. This morning at a quarter after one o'clock a fire was discovered to have broke out in the house of Mr. Whealy, paper-stainer, in Aldersgate street. Mrs. Whealy perished in the flames—Her maid servant was in bed with her, and on finding the house on fire, endeavoured to wake her, but was unable: she then got out of the window of the second floor, and suspended herself by her hands, till they were scorched, and she then fell into the street. She is in St. Bartholomew's hospital, and there is but little prospect of her recovery. A youth, apprentice to Mr. Whealy, by falling from the garret window, was so bruised that he died this morning. A child about three years old is missing. Mr. Whealy is upon a journey. No part of the remains of his unfortunate wife were found this day at noon. Three small houses behind Mr. Whealy's, and an adjoining one in front were consumed.

A few weeks since was married at the Abbey church, Bath, George Scott, Esq; of Paddington, near London; and on Friday last both he and his lady were found dead. They went to bed the preceding evening apparently in health.

The following singular production of nature was lately discovered in a field near Towcester, and is now in the possession of Mr. Davis, at the White Horse Inn at that place, viz.—A leveret with two hind parts, having seven legs, one of which grows from the middle of the back, and another from between the two hind parts.

According to the most authentic accounts the French had in the East Indies at Christmas last, the following ships of war, viz. At Pondicherry, L'Inconstant of 40 guns, and La Subtile of 28 guns; at the Mauritius, L'Heres of 74 guns, left there to repair when Mons. Suffrein's squadron returned to Europe on the conclusion of the war; and Le Hanau of 64 guns, which was sent out armed last year en flute. The ships that have sailed since and supposed to be for the East Indies, are Le Seduissant of 74 guns, but having only her upper guns in; La Renommee of 40 guns; and La Puce sloop of 16 guns. The French and British squadrons in the Indies, may therefore be estimated as under:

French.	English.
Two of 74 guns	Two sloops of 16 guns
One of 64	
Two of 40	
One of 28	
One of 16	

What has become of Lord George Gordon? Has any body seen him, or heard of him? Is he in the Highlands, the Lowlands, or the Netherlands? Has he appeared in the conventicles, the high churches, or the low churches? Has he been seen in the new light or the old light? Have the army of martyrs taken him under their protection? Is he solaced by the songs of the choir of virgins? Is he among the Patriarchs, the Prophets, the Saints?—Protect him ye round heads, for the cavaliers are after him.

A variety of opinions have prevailed respecting the retreat of Lord George Gordon—the fact however is, and we have it on the authority of a gentleman who saw him on the road, that his Lordship has left this country for Switzerland, by way of Holland.

It is a matter of very little consequence says a correspondent, whether the inflammable hero of 1780 be gone to Holland, or to Scotland, or to America; wherever he goes, this country has a happy riddance.

The pockets of no less than two attornies and three barristers, were picked a few days ago. A spectator observed, it was only tit for tat.——By the bye, they had just played their clients the same trick!

Of the English upon the Continent, none have moved about, with the mere travelling charges, to more amount than the Duke of Gloucester. Tho' incog. as it is called, and with a family rather, as it should seem, than a suite, yet they required five carriages. They were coaches and six; the averaged cost of a day's journey amounting to 75l. sterling!

Extract of a letter from Herefordshire, June 18.

"The eclipse of the sun, which happened on the 15th inst. in the afternoon, was observed with us (in lat. 52 deg. 3 min. N. and long. 15 min. in time West of Greenwich) to begin 10 min. past 4 o'clock, and the end to be at 45 min. 30 seconds past 5, A. T. The duration was 1 hour, 35 min. and half. These times were very near to the calculation thereof, given in Moore's Almanack, published by Carnan. The eclipse began to the right hand of the sun's limb, agreeing extremely near with the type of it, given in the above almanack, as was likewise the appearance of the eclipse near the middle, tho' we could not see the exact time thereof, to gain the digits eclipsed, by reason of clouds which continued to obscure the sun some minutes before and after the middle. We wish those that were more favoured with a clear sky, in or near London, would give us the time of the middle of the eclipse (as observed) together with the digits eclipsed, and likewise the position of the shaded part of the sun's limb at that time, in order to ascertain how true the type in the almanack agreed with the true visible appearance thereof, which was thought to be very near."

On Saturday se'nnight a most dreadful fire broke out in a blacksmith's shop at Wilberforce, near York; it began about ten o'clock in the morning, and continued with great fury till near twelve, the wind blowing south east: Four dwelling houses were consumed, one of which was a farm house, with its furniture, corn, cheese, &c. four barns, three stables, with husbandry gear, and several other out buildings, shops, and cow houses—Six families were burnt out by the above accident.

Monday se'nnight in the night, the wife of Joseph Anderton, of Brigg, in Lincolnshire, smothered to death between the blankets, a fine child about six years of age. Some suspicion arising of her having murdered the child, a coroner's inquest sat on the body, when on her examination she confessed the fact, and was committed to Lincoln-gaol.

On the night of the 6th instant, while a drove of cattle on their way to England, were resting in Dumbarton muir, 17 were stolen, although watched by six men.

June 25.

Lord George Gordon is safe in Holland, and to keep him out of this country, process of outlawry will immediately issue.

June 30.

Loss of the Greenland Ships.

It is with real concern we inform the public, that the present Greenland season has proved the most disastrous one the adventurers in that fishery have experienced for many years. By accounts lately received it appears that fourteen ships have perished in the ice; and there is too much reason to fear that more have been lost, of which no information has yet been obtained.

To megitate the horror with which the feeling heart must be pearced by such a recital, we are happy to add, that there is the greatest reason to believe, that all, or much the greatest part of the crews have been saved.

The unfortunate event above mentioned, was occasioned by the ships getting inclosed by the vast islands of ice which are always floating in the Greenland seas during the fishing season, but were this year more numerous and stupendous than any man employed in the whale fishery had ever before seen.

So instantaneous was the destruction of some of the above ships, that the crews had it not in their power to make any previous arrangement for their own preservation, the vessels being in a moment crushed to atoms; consequently the only means they had to preserve themselves from instantly perishing, was leaping with that dexterity which desperation only could excite, upon the mountains of ice which dealt destruction to their ships; and, in that situation, waiting for relief from those who witnessed the catastrophe, without having the misfortune to share in it.

July 2. A private letter from a gentleman at Amersfoort, received by the last conveyance, assures us, that the prince stadtholder having assembled a well disciplined army at that place, on whose valour and zeal in the cause of the house of Orange, he could place the most perfect confidence, was preparing to march to the city of Utrecht; for the purpose of entering that place in a constitutional and peaceable manner; determined, in case his entrance should be obstructed, to invest the place in form. So that it is probable those insolent people, by rousing the vengeance of insulted honor, will too late repent their temerity.

In confirmation to the above, we have just received advice, that another skirmish took place on the 21st inst. near Utrecht, between a detachment of dragoons in garrison at Zeist, and the Patriots, in which the former had an evident advantage; only one officer on their side being wounded, the baron de Verschur. The other party are said to have sustained a considerable loss.

July 3. A few minutes previous to the departure of the mail from Amsterdam to Helvoetsluys, on Saturday last, dispatches were received at the former place from Woerden, which were immediately printed at Amsterdam in the following form and words:

GEWIGTIGE TYDING.

"Woerden, den Junii 28. Heden outstaat hier een gerugt, 'twelk voor en zekere Waarkeld gedebiteerd word, dat HAARD KONINGLYKE HOOGHEID MEVROUWE DE PRINCESS van ORANGE, in *de Krimpener Wgaard*, gearresteerst zoude zyn, door zen detachment van de daaroms treeks gecantonneer'd leggende AUHILIAREN van Gouda.

"Men zegt'er by dat Hoogstdezelve vergezeld Zoude zyn van een dec JONGE PRINSEN. Werwaards de Reiz van Hoogstdezeive bestemd was wordeniet gemeld.

De alhier resideerende Commissie van Hanne ed Groot Mog. vertrekt aanstonds dewaards."

We are enabled to inform the public, that very little doubt remains of a part of the illustrious house of Orange being at this time in confinement. Dispatches being received at the marquis of Carmarthen's office, which mention the event.

A very alarming circumstance is said to have happened at Zutphen, and that the populace, supported by the regiment of Plettenburgh, have committed excessive disorders. We are impatient for further particulars.

A riot is also mentioned to have taken place at Helvoetsluys.

The prince of Orange's army has taken post at Bilt, about an hour's march from Utrecht. It consists of two thousand five hundred men, part of whom are encamped in three hundred small tents, which may be seen from the top of one dome of the church of Utrecht.

Some letters received yesterday from Amsterdam confirm the account that the government of that city are seriously preparing for the worst that may happen, if the present dispute in the United Provinces should not be concluded without hostilities. These accounts mention, that seven persons of the council of forty two meet every day in an apartment of the province to concert measures for their security. The fortifications of the walls, &c. are hastily repairing, old cannon are dismounted, and others put in their room. In the arsenal there are various artificers at work in cleaning and repairing muskets and accoutrements; all which is the surest indication of what they expect to be the result of the present dispatches.

By advices received yesterday we learn, that the first open and determined step on the part of the Dutch insurgents had taken place, by a party seizing by force of arms the person of the princess of Orange. She was on her road to the Hague, attended by her proper suite, some of whom were seized with her; amongst the rest a colonel Bradshaw, an officer in the Dutch service. She is now, we understand, in confinement, and treated without the respect due to her rank. The stadtholder's party are in much confusion from this alarming step; but the soldiery, true to their allegiance, are determined to support the prince of Orange. The king of Prussia, who hovers on the borders of Holland with a large army, will of course, by this time, have taken some step for the support of his family; and our next advices will, in all probability, bring very important intelligence relative to that civil war which seems threatening the Dutch immediately, if it has not already taken place.

Extract of a letter from Paris, June 15.

'They insist upon it that Madame de la Motte escaped from her confinement, and the guardians of the Saltpetriere give it out so. Mademoiselle de St. Reiny, her sister says that the Countess was taken to a convent, and that she knew of it some days before it happened. It is not improbable that M. de Brienne, in his visit to the hospital general, privately gave the orders, which were put into execution the next day. Dr. Chambon, physician to the Saltpetriere, saw the Countess on the 3d, at which time she was very ill of the jaundice.'

CANTERBURY, June 15.

Last week a pitched battle was fought at Addington Rougs, between R. Hayes of Maidstone, and J. Longhurst, a blacksmith, of Town Malling, which continued two hours and eleven minutes; during which time the greatest dexterity was shewn by Hayes, in defending himself from the blows of his opponent, who struck with great force. For near two hours victory seemed doubtful, but then the fate of the day evidently changed; the smith had received several desperate strokes about his face and eyes, and being crippled in his hands by having his blows caught on the elbows of his adversary, was obliged to yield up the honour of the field to the superior skill and agility of his antagonist. The noted Johnson, of London, was on this occasion, second to Hayes, and Wood, of Malling, second to Longhurst. It is computed that near 3000 persons were gratified with the sight of this *polite* exercise, and witnessed the longest battle ever remembered in this country.

IPSWICH, June 16.

Thursday evening, one Aldridge, a butcher, in the presence of a number of persons eat, for a wager of 5s. at a public house in this town, 3lb. and a half of solid beef stakes in 29 minutes 40 seconds; he was allowed half an hour to do it in; after he had devoured this enormous quantity, which would have served as a comfortable meal for four persons, he offered to eat 1lb. more for 5s. or a dozen 1d. mutton pies in 10 minutes.

STAMFORD, June 29.

How transient and uncertain is human life!—A poor man who followed the employment of a shipborer, on Sunday morning last, in the city of Chester, immediately on his awakening, asked his wife what she had for dinner? When she replied, a lamb's head; to which he observed, 'that he could eat it all himself,' and laying himself again on the bed, instantly expired, without any previous appearance of illness, or making the smallest complaint.

Mr. Rob. Woods of the Mockbeggar light house, has a pig of so great sagacity, that it last week actually found a watch, the chain of which taking in its mouth, conveyed it in safety to its master's servant girl, through whose honesty it has since been restored to the right owner, a gentleman of Liverpool.

On Saturday last, the committee of the society for the promotion of industry in the county of Rutland, met at Oakham, for the purpose of distributing premiums to the most deserving spinners and knitters; the work of near 300 children under 15 years of age, was examined, and upwards of 150 premiums (amounting in the whole to 104l.) were disposed of: from the superior quality of the work performed this year, and the great increase of candidates, it appears, that such a laudable emulation is excited amongst the children of the poor, as cannot but be attended with the most beneficial effects.

AMERICA.

KINGSTON, (Jamaica) July 7.

We are very sorry to learn, from information too well founded, that on Wednesday the 27th ult. a boat belonging to the ship Diana, captain ——, was overset in Jack's Bay, at the north side, in a sudden and most violent squall of wind, by which accident the chief mate of the ship, who was on board the boat, and two foremast men, unfortunately perished. One seaman was providentially taken up alive, after being almost spent with swimming, but the boat was dashed to pieces on a reef of sharp pointed rocks.

The great number of foreign vessels, now in this harbour, particularly French and Spanish, have increased the demand for slaves to such a degree, that indifferent negroes command very handsome prices.

BERMUDA, July 21.

Last year some doubts having arisen respecting the navigation of vessels in the West Indies by negroes, induced some gentlemen of Antigua to send home for the opinion of the attorney and solicitor general, &c, which is as follows:

Case.—Whether a British sloop of about 100 tons, employed only trading from island to island, in this country, navigated by a white master, (a British subject) a white mate ditto, and a white man of the same country, assisted by five black slaves, four of them the property of a British subject, the fifth a foreigner, is navigated according to law, and if liable to confiscation for the same?

Opinion.—This case certainly admits some doubt, but when we consider the usage that has constantly prevailed, we cannot hesitate to give our opinion that this ship is not liable to confiscation. The seamen on board are stated be all British subjects; and in respect to slaves, we conceive that so far as they are comprehended within the navigation acts at all, they must be considered as of the country of their owners, and consequently the proportion of British to foreign is greater than the law requires.

Signed W. WYNNE,
R. P. ARDEN.
A. MACDONALD.

The bill for removing the seat of government passed the council (the 1st of the month) after an alteration had been made in it to allow vessels belonging to the East End, to load and unload at St. George's.

PORTSMOUTH, (N. C.) Aug. 18.

A full blooded Virginian, on hearing a British captain at St. Bartholomew, take great liberty with America, her government, the impositions she was obliged to put up with from Great-Britain and other maritime powers, &c. &c. very spiritedly endeavored to convince him of some small mistakes which he had been guilty of: A dispute ensued, which terminated in the Virginian's being obliged to present his opponent with a very severe potion of Yankee physic, which operated so powerfully upon this blustering son of Britannia, that in a very little time the power of utterance was choaked, and his importance lay humbled in the dust.

CHARLESTON, (S. C.) Aug. 2.

We are informed that on Sunday last, a negro wench, by the advice of another negro, gave a considerable quantity of the expressed juice of stinking weed to two of her own children, as a cure for worms. Delirium, tremors, convulsions and a variety of the most alarming symptoms speedily followed; but by the seasonable exhibition of some powerful medicines by Dr. Ramsay, they all vanished, and the children are now in a fair way to recover. The public are cautioned against this practice, which, though dangerous, is said to be common, especially among negroes.

Aug. 11. This morning about two o'clock, a man came down the chimney of Mr. Price's bed chamber, in Bedon's alley, but that gentleman happening to awake, the vaillain made a precipitate retreat.

August 14.

Extract of a letter from Amsterdam, received by a gentleman in this city, dated May 15, 1787.

'The troubles in Holland are now very nearly at their height, and must soon be determined one way or another. The city of Amsterdam has taken a step which will always be remarked as one of the great epochas in the Dutch history. But before I inform you of the circumstances, it will be necessary to lay open to you the three different factions that exist in this republic.

'The Stadtholderian party are those who will repeal the act of suspension, by which the prince of Orange is deprived of the office of captain general of Holland, and will have him re-instated in his former glory and power, without any restrictions.

'The 2d is the Aristocratical, consisting of the old and some of the principal families in Holland, who would willingly depose the stadtholder entirely, provided that they and their families alone, enjoyed the offices of government; but finding themselves too weak to proceed alone, join with the party of the stadtholder, against the

'Patriots, who solely for the good of the republic, and the freedom of their country, stand forth to preserve their privileges against the encroachments of an ambitious stadtholder, and the machinations of intriguing men, who would make of freemen slaves, and of a free republic, a tyrannical aristocracy. This party is by far the greatest, and in all probability will be triumphant. The wish not to depose the prince of Orange, they only seek to put bounds to his power, and so that while he does a great deal of good, he cannot cause them any evil.

'Thus is Holland situated at present, and in this manner divided; the hatred is inconceivable amongst them; father against son, and brother against brother, shew the cruel situation of a divided republic; and while it affects the mind of the spectator, imprints a useful lesson for the time to come.

'The citizens of Amsterdam, wearied by continual struggling against the majority of their council, (who are for life) assembled by companies, under arms, and chose seven gentlemen as a committee, constituted by the citizens to depose nine of their council, and to declare their seats vacant, and begged they might be filled as soon as possible; which deposition was considered as lawful by the majority of the remaining counsellors, and they conformed entirely to the satisfaction of their fellow citizens.

'The example of the principal city was soon followed by Rotterdam, who did even more than Amsterdam, for on the same day, and at the same time that they deposed seven of the old counsellors, they chose seven new in their stead. This made immediately a considerable change in the political circumstances of Holland: and by that change the freedom, liberty and privilege of every individual in this republic is preserved, and that memorable day, the 24th of April, will be cherished by every inhabitant of this commonwealth, who has the welfare of his country at heart.

'On Monday the 30th of April following, nine counsellors were chosen to fill up the vacant places, and about a thousand citizens were under arms before the state house, with two bands of martial music; and after the new counsellors were introduced into the state house, the counsellors in their robes and quarre pruyks, or wigs, followed by the officers of the citizens in their uniforms, and the committee constituted by the citizens, who were all in black (which is here the habit of ceremony) and swords on their sides, closed the procession. The whole of the ceremony was carried on with the greatest order and decency; thousands of people were on the plain before the state house; and from the beginning to the end you might have heard a pin drop. The gentlemen who were removed from their places, and a few other counsellors, have bro't in a protest against the proceedings of this day, and declared that it was illegal; but when by far the

greateſt part of the citizens are of a different opinion they have certainly a right to diſplace their repreſentatives, and chuſe others in their room.

'Before I cloſe this letter I muſt mention the noble behavior of Mrs. Viſcher, who, when her ſon parted from her, ſaid return either with victory or dead. When brought home to her houſe dead, and covered with wounds, like the Spartan women of old, ſhe made an oration to all that came to ſee the corpſe, and inſpired them with hatred and horror for the inhuman murderers of her ſon.'

N E W - Y O R K, Sept. 3.

On Friday night an attempt was made by ſome villainous incendiary, to ſet fire to the ſtores on Burling ſlip; it was timely diſcovered by a young man who ſlept in an adjoining ſail loft, who perceived ſome ſhavings on fire in the yard, and ſaw a man at the ſame time jump over the fence; on examining the yard, the barrels of roſin and tar were found with ſhavings and cypreſs matches ſtuck in the heads of each of them.

Sept. 4. This morning, the ſeveral battalions of uniformed militia troops in this city are to aſſemble on their reſpective parades, at eight o'clock, for inſpection and other purpoſes; after which, they will march to the grand parade, in front of the Burnt-church, Broadway; where the whole will be formed in one line, in the following order, viz.

The regiment of artillery, on the right, to be commanded by Major Reed; the battalion conſiſting of the grenadiers of the firſt, and the light infantry of the firſt and third regiments on the left, commanded by Major Chryſtie; and the battalion of Volunteers, uniformed in rifled frocks, will form the centre, commanded by Major Van Horne.

Lieutenant-colonel Bauman, of artillery, to command the whole.

The line will march to the race ground from the right, in platoons or ſections, as the commanding officer may think beſt; each major at the head of his battalion on horſeback.

In preſence of his excellency the commander in chief, a variety of military evolutions, aſſigned for the day, will be performed. Among which will be the regular attack and ſurrender of a fort, ſituated on the hill, near the houſe of colonel Lewis. Major Reed, with his battalion, to take poſſeſſion of the fort, with two field pieces. Major Van Horne to carry on the feint, and Major Chryſtie the main attack; each to have one field piece.

It is expected, the ſeveral manœuvres will be perrformed with true military exactneſs, alertneſs and decorum.

It is hoped, that ſpectators will obſerve a convenient diſtance from the troops; which will afford them a better proſpect, and the troops a ſufficient ſpace to perform their manœuvres. This hint will ſurely be approved of by the genteel part of the ſpectators, who will doubtleſs uſe their influence to prevent improper encroachments.

In the evening, colonel Bauman will entertain the citizens with an exhibition of fire works, on the riſing ground in front of the bowling-green.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 6.

The year 1776 is celebrated, ſays a correſpondent, for a revolution in favor of Liberty. The year 1787, it is expected, will be celebrated with equal joy, for a revolution in favor of Government. The impatience with which all claſſes of people wait to receive the new federal conſtitution, can only be equalled by their zealous determination to ſupport it.

We hear that the Convention propoſe to adjourn next week, after laying America under ſuch obligations to them for their long, painful and diſintereſted labours, to eſtabliſh her liberty upon a permanent baſis, as no time will ever cancel.

A correſpondent aſſures us, that, a few days ago, he had the curioſity to go along the docks and count the veſſels loading and unloading; and to his great mortification, found there were ſixteen under Britiſh colours, diſcharging and taking in their cargoes, and but one ſolitary American, which was loading with lumber for the Weſt Indies.

If ſome meaſures are not ſhortly purſued by government, to regulate our trade, and put us on a footing with every foreigner, at leaſt in our own ports, our correſpondent ſays he ſhould not be ſurpriſed to ſee the ſhip-wrights parading along the wharves with their broad-axes, and chopping up old junk for oakum.

The reports ſo frequent about a free port intended to be opened in the Britiſh Weſt Indies, for the mutual convenience of the whole, are in all probability only encouraged to quiet the Weſt Indians, until further experiments are tried what can be done by the ſettlements in Nova Scotia. As a proof of this, we have only to cite Lord Dorcheſter's proclamation, in which permiſſion is given for the importation of ſeveral articles that are the ſtaple commodities of that province; now this indulgence can be ſurely for no other purpoſe than to enable them to ſupply the Weſt Indies with every article of conſumption produced to the United States at a cheap rate, and by this policy, keep up the navigation of Great Britain, ſo eſſential to the preſervation of her political exiſtence. [Charleſton Morning Poſt.]

VIRGINIA Prices Current, Aug. 30, 1787.

Tobacco, James River, upper diſtrict, leaf, from 28 to 30s
Stem'd 24s
Appamattox 28s
York River, upper diſtrict 26 to 28s
Lower diſtrict 22 to 24s
Tar, 12s
Turpentine 15s
Pitt coal per buſhel 10d
Wheat per buſhel 5s
Indian corn per barrel 18 to 20s
Flour per barrel 30 to 36s
Meal per cwt 9s
Oats per buſhel 2s
Potatoes per ditto 4s
Freſh butter 1s per lb
Beef per barrel £3 10 to £4
Pork per ditto £4 to £4 10s
Bacon per lb 9d
Bees-wax 15d
Ginſeng 2s

Extract from the LONDON PRICE CURRENT, *dated July* 3, 1787.

Aſhes American, pearl, from 1l 11s to 1l 16s per C
pot from 1l 13s to 1l 14s 6d
Ruſſia pot, from 1l 11s to 1l 14s 6d
Brandy Coniac, from 2s 5d to 2s 7d
Brazil Wood, from 80l to 85l per T
Braziletto, from 8l 5s to 8l 10s
Caſtor New-England, from 1l to 1l 5s per lb
Cochineal, from 13s 6d to 14s 6d
Cocoa Caracca, 12l 12s per C
Grenada, from 2l 5s to 2l 15s
Cotton Grenada, from 1s 8d to 1s 9d per lb
Jamaica, from 1s 7d to 1s 8d
Tobago, from 1s 9d to 1s 11d
Demarara, from 2s 1d to 2s 3d
Ginſang, from 2s 10d to 3s
Indigo French Blue, from 8s to 9s
Carolina, from 3s 3d to 5s
Iron Pig Engliſh, from 3l 5s to 5l 5s per T
American, from 5l 5s to 7l 5s
Ruſſia aſſorted, from 17l to 18l 5s
Oil Linſeed, from 34l 10s to 36l 10s per T
Spermaceti, from 35l to 40l
Whale, from 17l 15s to 18l 15s
Staves Virginia Pipe, from 13l to 16l per 1200 Ps
Hogſhead, from 9l 10s to 12l 15s
Barrel from 7l 10s to 8l 10s

Sugar Antigua, from 2l 5s to 2l 15s per C
Grenada, from 2l 3s to 2l 11s
Jamaica, from 1l 5s to 2l 17s
Montſerat, from 2l 3s to 2l 13s
Nevis, from 2l 3s to 2l 14s
St. Kitts, from 2l 5s to 2l 15s
St. Vincents, from 2l 2s to 2l 11s
Tortola, from 2l 3s to 2l 13s
Tar Archangel, 14s 6d to 15s 6d per B
Stockholm, 15s 6d to 16 6d
American, 11s 6d to 12 6d
Timber American oak, from 3l 3s to 3l 10s per laſt
Pine, from 1l 18s to 2l 5s
Plank, from 2l 15s to 3l 5s
Tobacco, Maryland yellow, from 1s 11d to 2s 1d per lb
Middling, from 1s 7d to 1s 8d f
Virginia York River, from 1s 8d to 1s 9d h
James River, from 1s. 7d f to 1s 1d h
Strip leaf, from 1s 8d h to 1s 10d
Rappahan. from 1s 7d to 1s 7d h
Carolina, from 1s 7d to 1s 7d f
Turmerick Eaſt India, from 3l 16s to 4l 2s per C
Weſt India, from 3l 5s to 3l 10s
Turpentine America, from 7s 6d to 8s 6d per C
Wax Engliſh, 9l 15s to 10l 5s per C
American, from 9l 5s to 9l 15s
Whale Fins, 245l per T
Gold in coin, 3l 17s 6d per ounce
Ditto in bars, 3l 17s 6d
Pieces of eight, pillar large, 5s 1d 3f per ounce
Ditto ſmall, 5s 1d 3f
Mexico large, 5s 1d 3f
Ditto new, 5s 1d
Silver in bars, 5s 3d 3f

INSURANCE from London.

To Jamaica, 2l 10s per cent
To Halifax or New-York, 2 guineas and a half
To Charleſton, James River, &c. 2 guineas
To Philadelphia, 2 guineas

INSURANCE from Liverpool, Briſtol, Glaſgow, &c.

To New York, from 2 to 2 1-2 guineas
To Quebec and Montreal, 3 guineas
To the Weſt Indies, 2 guineas
To Jamaica, 2 1-2 guineas
To Boſton, from 2 to 2 1-2 guineas

S H I P N E W S.

The Charming Polly, Pratt, from Carolina, is arrived at Graveſend; Prince William Henry Packet, Drake at Falmouth, Betſey, Meſnard, at Dover; Betſey, Watſon, at Graveſend; Sally, King, Wilſon, Thompſon, and Polly, ——, at Liverpool; Sarah, Townſend, at Briſtol—all from New York.

The brig Two Brothers, Capt. Henry Geddes, arrived in Dublin the 29th June laſt, after a pleaſant paſſage of 25 days from Philadelphia.

By the Ann, Capt. Lowrey, arrived in this port from Jamaica, we are informed, that he took his departure from the Pan of Matanza's, on the iſland of Cuba, in company with ſix other veſſels, but on the ſucceeding morning he ſaw them all on ſhore on the Martiers.

The Martha and Mary, Roſs, from St. Euſtatia; Molly, Evelen, from St. Thomas; Induſtry, Taylor, from Currituck; Hannah, Oakford, from Philadelphia; Nymph, Palmer, from New York, and Hannah, Brigs, from Rhode Iſland, are arrived at Baltimore.

The Diſpatch, Brigs, from Aux Cayes; Adventure, Clark, from St. Euſtatia; Union, White, from Martinico; Good Fortune, Godfrey, from Jamaica; Polly, Pierce, from Baltimore, and Peggy, Ruſſel, from Connecticut, are arrived at Salem.

The Morning Star, Henry, from Galway; Packet Infanta, Larazet, from Harama: Nelly, Buchanan, from Martha Brae, Jamaica: a brig from Newfoundland, another from a whaling voyage; Charles, White, from Norfolk, and Friendſhip, Smith, from Baltimore, are arrived at New York.

The brig Roſaria, from Rio de la Harpe for New-York, is put into Carthagena with the loſs of her maſts.

NAVAL-OFFICE, Aug. 29 to Sept. 4.

Inwards.

Ship Fortune, Oſborne	Cadiz
Succeſs, Cadenhead	Liverpool
Alexander, Reoch	Londonderry
Columbia, Vulphins	Amſterdam
Philadelphia, Jones	Charleſton
Brig Fanny, Laplace	Curacoa
Schooner Adventure, Lennox	Caſco Bay
Nancy, Hodge	St. Euſtatia
Ceres, Baſden	Turks Iſland
Fox, Lowrey	Jamaica
Polly and Betſey, Smith	North Carolina
Friendſhip, Hathaway	ditto
Polly, Crafts	ditto
Heram, Butler	Virginia
Partnerſhip, Davis	Maryland
Creſcent, Martin	Antigua
Sloop Brooke, Scott	ditto
Speedwell, Coffin	Nantucket
Betſey, Young	Boſton
Betſey, Brookes	New York
Nancy, Cole	ditto
N. York Packet, Hyde	ditto
Philadelphia Packet, Price	ditto
Diſpatch, Taber	ditto
Providence, Arthur	N. Providence
Betſey, Jones	Jamaica

Outwards.

Brig Franklin, Remy	Weſt-Indies
Schooner Polly, Champaigne	Cape Francois
Sloop Endeavour, Godfrey	Bermuda
Ann, Henry	St. Kitts
Induſtry, Given	Boſton
Speedwell, Chace	Nantucket

Cleared.

Brig John, Burrows	Martinico
Hibernia, Lithgow	Liverpool
Hope, Lindborn	Maryland
Oeconomy, Stutſon	Amſterdam
Patty, Stobo	Cheſepeak Bay
Schooner Induſtry, Brewſter	Hiſpaniola
Partnerſhip, Davis	Maryland
Sally, Wells	Boſton
Three Brothers, Meade	Tortola
William and Polly, Stephens	Curacoa
Polly & Betſey, Smith	N. Carolina
Peggy, Town	New York
Sally, Edwards	Newbury Port
Sloop Apollo, Place	St. Vincents
Endeavour, Godfrey	Bermuda
Philad. & N. York Packet, Baily	N. York
Philad. Packet, Bird	ditto
Induſtry, Given	Caſco Bay
Speedwell, Cattle	Boſton
Betſey, Young	ditto
Active, Edgar	Hiſpaniola

Taunton Iron-Works

FOR SALE:

CONSISTING of a Furnace, and Forge adjoining, in exceeding good order; Part of a Saw Mill; 3000 Cords of Wood already cut, and every Article neceſſary for carrying on ſaid Works, with the Tract of Woodland which the Works are upon, and a very large Body of good Ore; the Caſtings and Bar Iron are well known to be equal to any at market.

The above Works are ſituate in Burlington county, Weſt-Jerſey, diſtant 17 miles from Philadelphia and 8 miles from a navigable creek leading to the ſame.

Bar or Pig Iron will be received in payment for a conſiderable part of the purchaſe. For further particulars pleaſe apply at ſaid Works, to

Taunton, May 29. 1awtf. GEORGE HASTINGS.

A Cargo of Excellent

MOLASSES,

FOR SALE BY

Wynkoop and *Siemen,*

LIKEWISE,

ALBANY PEAS,

In caſks of 7 buſhels each, fit for ſhipping.

September 5 eo3t

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in caſes,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Neſbitt.*

September 5 d

For Charleſton,

The Brig NANCY *and* FANNY,
(Burthen about 90 tons)

NOW lying at Dawes's wharf. For terms apply to JOHN FRY, of Third, between Market and Arch ſtreets. Sept 5 3tp

TO BE LET,

A Commodious three ſtory Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market ſtreet, between Front and Second ſtreets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

TO BE SOLD,

THE noted TAVERN in Walnut ſtreet, near Front ſtreet. known by the name of the *George* and *Dragon.* Enquire of

Sept 5 w&ſtf JOSEPH PRICE.

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Cheſts—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Juſt imported from India, to be ſold reaſonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

In Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale

FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes

Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England ſoal leather. d Sept 5

Five Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Suſſex county, Delaware ſtate, about the 26th of May laſt, a Negro MAN, named *Wame;* 30 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, yellow complexion, his right leg ſhorteſt, ſo as to make him limp in his walk, by trade a ſhoemaker: he took with him one brown cloth coat, one light coloured ſagathy ditto, one pair fuſtian trowſers, one pair ſtriped calico ditto, one calico jacket, one yellow worſted ditto, one large cocked hat, and ſundry other cloaths not recollected. He is ſuppoſed to be now in Salem, New Jerſey. Whoever takes up and ſecures the above Runaway, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall be entitled to the above reward, and if brought home all reaſonable charges paid. by JOHN ROBINSON.

Prime-Hook, Suſſex county, Sept 4. w&ſ2w

Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING* for *SALE,* a General

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitt.
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow, red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
6 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams,* by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3taw1m

SONG in the School for Scandal.

HERE's to the maiden of baſhful fifteen,
Likewiſe to the widow of fifty;
Here's to the bold and extravagant queen,
And here's to the houſewife that's thrifty.
Let the toaſt paſs,
Drink to the laſs,
I'll warrant ſhe'll prove an excuſe for the glaſs.
Chorus. Let the toaſt paſs, &c.

Here's to the maiden whoſe dimples we prize,
And likewiſe to her that has none, Sir,
Here's to the maid with a pair of black eyes,
And here is to her that's but one, Sir.
Chorus. Let the toaſt paſs, &c.

Here's to the maid with a boſom of ſnow,
And to her that's as brown as a berry;
And here's to the wife with a full face of woe,
And here's to the girl that is merry.
Chorus. Let the toaſt paſs, &c.

Let her be clumſy, or let her be ſlim,
Young or ancient I care not a feather;
So fill the pint bumper quite up to the brim,
And e'en let us toaſt them together.
CHORUS.
Let the toaſt paſs,
Drink to the laſs,
I warrant ſhe'll prove an excuſe for the glaſs.

L O N D O N, June 22.

THE following pious fraud lately happened at the opening of a new methodiſtical meeting at Bellbar, near Enfield-chace. A perſon paſſing by on horſeback, and ſeeing a number of people waiting at the doors, after enquiring the cauſe, and underſtanding that it was the day appointed for the opening of the ſame by a miniſter from London, and that a collection was to be made, &c. waiting till after ſervice began, when alighting from his horſe, he went in, and joining in the ſervice, in a ſhort time pulled out a purſe, and putting a guinea into his hat, went round the congregation, who, influenced by this example, contributed very liberally; though this conduct in a ſtranger was rather unaccountable, it paſſed off very well with the miniſter, who imputed this zeal to a ſudden converſion of the ſubject, and collections in the middle of the ſervice are common in conventicles; notwithſtanding the ſurpriſe of the whole congregation was inexpreſſible, when, inſtead of going into the veſtry, they ſaw the new convert making towards the door; the miniſter and others called upon him to deliver up the charge, which he refuſed, ſaying, no brethren "freely have ye given, and freely have I received," and inſtantly remounting his horſe, he left the ſaints to expatiate on the nature of apoſtacy.

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,

In Pipes, Hogſheads and Quarter Caſks, for ſale by

w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Treaſury of the United States,

MAY 14th, 1787.

THE Commiſſioners of the Board of Treaſury of the United States, give notice, That on the 21ſt day of September next will be expoſed to Sale, at the place where the United States in Congreſs may hold their ſeſſions—The following Townſhips and Lots of Lands in the Weſtern Territory, which were ſurveyed laſt year, under the direction of the Geographer General of the United States, viz.

FIRS RANGE.

Nº 3, containing 4350 acres.

SECOND RANGE.

No. 1, containing	1386
2	5434
3	8598
5	21139
6	23040
7	23040
8	22886
9	18644 1-2

THIRD RANGE.

No. 1, containing	6596
2	11797
3	14482
5	23040
6	23040
7	23040
8	23040
9	23040
10	23040
11	23040
12	23040

FOURTH RANGE.

No. 1, containing	4574
2	21350
3	23040
7	23040
8	23040
10	23040
11	23040
12	23040
13	23040

The admirable quality of theſe lands, and the favourable climate in which they are ſituated, are too well known to need deſcription. The conditions of ſale are as follows, to wit.

1ſt. The townſhips or fractional parts of townſhips throughout the different ranges, will be ſold either entire or in lots, in alternate order; that is to ſay, where a townſhip, or fractional part of a townſhip, is ſold entire, the next will be ſold in lots, agreeably to ordinance of the 20th of May, 1785.

2d. The lands are not to be ſold under a dollar per acre, payable in gold or ſilver, or any of the ſecurities of the United States.

3d. The purchaſers are to pay the charges of ſurvey, which are to be eſtimated at thirty-ſix dollars in ſpecie, or certificates as aforeſaid for every townſhip; and in the ſame proportion for fractional parts of townſhips or lots; this payment to be made at the ſales, and in caſe of failure, the lands to be again expoſed to public auction.

4th. One third of the purchaſe money is to be paid at the time of purchaſe; and the remaining two thirds in three months after the date of the ſale; on which payment a certificate ſhall be given by the Treaſurer of the United States, which ſhall entitle the perſon to whom the ſame is given to receive from the Commiſſioners of this Board a proper title; provided, that if the ſecond payment is not made at the time above ſpecified, the firſt payment is to be forfeited, and the land on which the forfeit accrued be again ſet up for ſale.

5th. The platts of the townſhips will be marked by ſubdiviſions into lots of one mile ſquare, or 640 acres, and numbered from one to 36, and out of each townſhip, Lot No. 8, 11, 26 and 29, are to be reſerved for future ſale; Lot No. 16, for the maintenance of Public Schools within the reſpective townſhips, and out of every fractional part of a townſhip, as many lots of the ſame number as ſhall be found therein. There will alſo be reſerved to the United States one third part of all gold and ſilver, lead and copper mines.

Proper maps and deſcriptions of the lands will be exhibited at the time and place of ſale, and the ſales will continue from day to day until the whole are ſold.

Samuel Oſgood,
Walter Livingſton, } Commiſſioners.
Arthur Lee,

Imported in the Brig Francisca,
Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF
Salt, Wine and Lemons,
FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,
PORT WINE,
In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,
LONDON PARTICULAR
Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of best
Hyson and Souchong TEAS.
August 22. eptf

Benjamin Mason
Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street.

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail-cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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FOR SALE BY
Levi Hollingsworth,
At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and
FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their STORES in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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Imported in the ship Success, John Cadenhead, master, from Liverpool, now discharging at Market street Ferry wharf,
AND TO BE SOLD BY
Stewart & Nesbitt,
Crates of Earthen-Ware well assorted
Sail Canvas No 1 a 7
Fine white Salt. Aug. 30. d

Now Landing
From the BETSEY, laying back of the Subscriber's STORE,
Coffee, Sugar and Limes,
And for SALE by
Kearny Wharton.
Sept. 4. dtf

Hewes & Anthony
Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses, New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.
They have also for Sale or Charter,
A very fine SLOOP,
That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

EXCELLENT
Bourdeaux Claret,
In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.
Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;
Copper Kettles——And a few
Tierces of Rice,
Just arrived, and for Sale by
Ross and Vaughan.
August 22. etf

Thomas & Joseph Potts
Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co) in Third, near Arch street,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-share moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other castings
Jamaica spirit, West-India and country rum } by the hogshead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will also deliver upon very reasonable terms, and on the shortest notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogshead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.
Philadelphia, August 4 3tawtf

FOR SALE AT
Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's
STORE,
In Third street, opposite Church alley——A fresh Assortment of
Muslins, Teas, Pepper and
TURKY COFFEE;
A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,
Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;
China, Glass, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Calcavella and Western Island Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Coal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf,

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Pickling Vinegar,
Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the best chosen
GROCERIES:
As sago, oatmeal, barley, spices, Malmsey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, soy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, sallad oil, &c.
FOR SALE BY
John Dorsey.
Sept 4 3w3taw

Twenty Dollars Reward.
RAN-AWAY from the subscriber, living in Worcester township, Montgomery county, on *Tuesday* night last, a Mulatto *WENCH*, named *CHLOE*; took with her a blue and white striped long gown, one calico ditto, two calico and one white short gown, a good black silk bonnet, a red calimanco skirt, aprons and handkerchiefs, &c. She is a stout, well featured Wench, nearly 22 years of age, a countenance rather resembling an Indian than a Negro, has a remarkable spot or scar under one of her eyes, black curly hair, generally frized up to imitate a cushion; she has been taught to read, and is a plausible, cunning hussy; when she smiles or laughs an extravagant degree of pleasure diffuses itself over her face; she has been registered according to law: it is suspected she has come to this city, and that some of the Negroes in the suburbs will endeavour to secret her. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry her off at their peril. Any person apprehending the said Wench, and securing her so that her master may get her again, by giving information to *David Rittenhouse*, esquire, or the subscriber, shall receive the above Reward, paid by
Aug. 16. 12sp *BENJAMIN RITTENHOUSE.*

Thirty Dollars Reward.
LAST night the house of the subscriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A silver coffee pot, a silver tea pot, a silver cream pot marked E K. in a cyher, 5 table spoons, a soup spoon and 7 teaspoons, all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table spoon marked P. R. K. three teaspoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of sugar tongs, a large silver waiter, a small siver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a silver pint Can, a silver porrenger, three silver tops taken from castors, a silver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by
REBECCA KEARNY.
Philadelphia. *September* 2 2w3taw

To the Friends of Humanity.
THE Society for alleviating the miseries of public prisons beg leave to solicit the attention of the public to the objects of their institution. From the weakness and imperfection of all governments, there must necessarily exist in every community certain portions of distress, which lie beyond the reach of law to prevent or relieve.

To supply this deficiency in Philadelphia, this society was instituted, and if a judgment be formed of its future usefulness, from the success that hath attended its first efforts, there is reason to believe it will prove a blessing to our city, not only as the means of relieving distress, but likewise of preventing vice. The funds of the society at present are confined to an annual subscription of ten shillings from each of its members, and a ground-rent of £14, the donation of the honourable John Dickinson, Esq; These sums are by no means equal to the numerous objects and extensive wishes of the society. They have therefore taken this method of soliciting further benefactions from their fellow citizens. To a people professing christianity, it will be sufficient only to mention, that acts of charity to the miserable tenants of prisons, are upon record among the first of christian duties. From the ladies therefore, whom Heaven has blessed with affluence, and with the still greater gift of sympathy—from gentlemen, who acknowledge the obligations to humanity from the relation of our species to each other, in a common and universal father—and from the followers of the compassionate Saviour of mankind, of every rank and description, the society thus humbly solicit an addition to their funds.

Donations for the charitable and humane purposes of the society will be received by Thomas Rodgers, in Elbow-Lane.

Signed by order of the society,
WILLIAM WHITE, PRESIDENT.
Philadelphia, August 17, 1787. r

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *George Redpath*, late of this city, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands against said estate, are requested to bring them in, *legally attested*, for settlement, to *PETER JANUARY*. Administrator
August 28.

THE subscriber is now executing a *MEZZOTINTO PRINT*, from a Portrait of His Excellency General *Washington*, which has been painted since the sitting of the present Convention. This Print is the Size of the Prints of His Excellency *Benjamin Franklin*, and the Marquis *De la Fayette*, done by the subscriber.

Whoever is desirous of getting the best impressions, by becoming subscribers, are desired to apply soon—It is expected that this Print will be ready for delivery in two weeks.

Those Gentlemen who have been so obliging as to engage to take a Print from every Plate which the subscriber may be able to execute from his Collection of Portraits of Illustrious Personages, shall be faithfully served by their humble Servant, C. W. PEALE.
(Corner of Lombard and Third streets, August 15

Nine-Pence Reward.
RAN AWAY from the subscriber, plaisterer, living in Sixth-street, between Arch and Race streets, an Apprentice Lad named John Fullarton, between 14 and 15 years of age, about 4 feet 10 inches high, sandy complexion; had on when he went away a round hat, a jacket with sleeves, fustian trowsers, and shoes almost new. Whoever will secure him in any workhouse, so that his master may get him again, shall receive the above reward and reasonable charges; and all persons are forbid to harbour him.
August 23. 3sp FINCHER HELLINGS.

NEW MUSIC.
Just Published, Price *Three Dollars*,
A select Collection of the most Fovourite
Scots TUNES,
With VARIATIONS for the Piano Forte or Harpsichord. Composed by A. REINAGLE. Printed for the Author; and Sold by *T. Dobson & W. Young*, at their respective Book-Stores, Second street.

A fine CHAMBER ORGAN to be sold. Enquire as above. Aug 28

Contracts for the year 1788.
GENERAL POST-OFFICE,
New-York, August 1, 1787.

PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 15th day of October next, for the transportation of the public mails, by stage carriages, from Portland, in Massachusetts, to Savannah, in Georgia, for one year, commencing the 1st January, 1788.

The following will be considered as indispensible articles of the contracts:

That there be, in each carriage, a secure and convenient place, with a good lock and key to it, to be appropriated solely to the reception of the mail.

That the mail be carried between Portland, in Massachusetts, and Suffolk, in Virginia, thrice in each week, from May 1st to November 1st, and twice in each week from November 1st to May 1st.

And that it be carried between Suffolk aforesaid, and Savannah, in Georgia, twice in each week, from May 1st to November 1st, and once in each week, from November 1st to May 1st,

That there be stated hours of arrival at, and departure from each post-office, and a reasonable time allowed for making up a mail to be forwarded from each; and that in order to ascertain the times of arrival and departure, the driver of each stage shall carry a way-bill to be furnished by the post-master general.

That the proprietors of the stages shall be answerable for the care and fidelity of the persons they shall employ in transporting the mail; and, in case of the stage's being delayed by accident, the mail shall be forwarded at the expence of the proprietors, so as to arrive at each office at the stated hours.

Bonds to be given, with two sufficient sureties, for the performance of each contract, and the customary oaths to be taken both by the proprietors and drivers.

In case of a coalition existing, or being hereafter formed (before the expiration of the contract) between two lines of stages upon the same route, it will be expected that the contracting proprietors shall be answerable that no letters shall be carried by the stages of the other line, to the prejudice of the revenue of the general post-office.

The necessary portmanteaus and bags will be furnished at the expence of the United States; and payment will be made quarterly, the penalties for failures (if any) being first deducted.

Proposals for Contracts for the following Cross Roads,

Will be received until the first day of Dec. next, viz.
From Portland to Pownalborough, in the state of Massachusetts.

From the city of New York to the city of Albany.

From the city of New York, by way of Danbury, to Hartford in Connecticut.

From the city of Philadelphia to the town of Vienna, in Maryland.

From the town of Baltimore to the city of Annapolis, in Maryland.

From the city of Annapolis to Leonard's Town, in St. Mary's county, by the route of Upper Marlborough, Piscataway, and Port Tobacco.

From the city of Philadelphia to the town of Bedford, in Pennsylvania.

From Fredericksburg, in Virginia, to Hobb's Hole, on Rappahannock river, and from thence to the Port of Entry on Yeocomico, upon Potowmac river, and from thence to Urbanna, the Port of Entry on Rappahannock river.

From the town of Wilmington to Fayette Ville, in the state of North Carolina, by the route of Elizabeth-Town.

From Fayette-Ville, in North-Carolina, to Camden, in South-Carolina, and from thence to Charleston, in the same state.

And from Camden, by the route of Columbia, to Augusta, in Georgia.

The contracts for the cross-roads are to commence on the 1st Jan. next, and continue for a year.—The business must be conducted at the expence of the contractor, who will have an exclusive privilege of carrying letters and packets for hire, on the route he contracts for, and all the postage and other emoluments arising therefrom. The postage charged on those roads must not exceed the rates from time to time fixed by the United States in Congress assembled, for the post of letters and packets on the main post roads.

To prevent expence and inconvenience to persons disposed to contract, either for the main or cross-roads, they are informed that a personal attendance is unnecessary at present; it will be sufficient if they send their proposals in writing to the post master general, at his office, No 29, Broadway, New-York.

By order of the post master general,
James Bryson, Assistant.

*** The Printers in the several states are requested to give the above a place in their newspapers.

TO BE SOLD FOR
Negroes, Merchandize, or Cash,

THAT valuable tract of land at North East, Cæcil county, Maryland, whereon the subscriber now lives, containing 200 acres; on which are erected, a good dwelling house, barn, stables and every other offices necessary for a farmer, tavern, or storekeeper; there is also on said tract 10 or 11 acres of excellent upland meadow of timothy and clover, and a very valuable fishery, that can be attended with very little expence, being close to the dwelling house, a good bearing orchard, and 100 grafted trees planted last year; the place now in excellent repair and under good fence: the situation of this place is so well known that it needs no comment, being only 3 miles from Charles-Town and 7 from the Head of Elk, where there is always a sure market for every kind of produce, and immediately seated on the head of tide water of the Chesapeak bay, and on the great road between Baltimore and Philadelphia: there is also a grist and saw mill within a few hundred yards of the dwelling house (though distant from the waters of their dams) and within a quarter of a mile of an episcopal church. The beauty and pleasantness of the situation is not exceeded (I may say) by any country place on the continent. Also, a healthy young life in a tract of land containing 232½ acres, one mile distant from the above, laying on North East river, whereon is a small dwelling house and two barracks for hay: there also belongs to this place an excellent fishery for shad and herring, and 22 acres of mowable meadow, timothy and marsh grass, and has a very considerable quantity of excellent timber. Also, a piece of woodland laying between the two tracts, the quantity not yet ascertained: all which will be sold for the property abovementioned, and possession given when demanded. Any person inclinable to purchase may apply to the subscriber, who will shew the premises. *May* 23 r
J. HARFORD MONTGOMERY.

WE, the subscribers, being appointed Auditors by the court of common pleas of Philadelphia county, to audit the accounts and adjust the demands of all the creditors of *Peter Smallwood*, late of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, shoemaker, and to make sale and dispose of the Estate and Effects lately seized upon a domestic attachment, wherein *Thomas Towne* is plaintiff, and the said *Peter Smallwood* defendant, do hereby give Notice, that we shall meet at the house of *Nathan Boys*, in Front street, opposite Union street, on *Monday* the 10th of day of September next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the business aforesaid, where the respective creditors are desired to attend with their demands legally proved.
MARK WILLCOX,
WILLIAM PRICE,
JOHN DAVIS.
Philadelphia, August 22, 1787

THE Subscribers having been duly chosen Assignees of the Estate and Effects of *Mathias Slough*, of the borough of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, according to an Act of Assembly of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the Regulation of Bankruptcy:" Therefore all persons indebted to the said *Mathias Slough*, by Bond, Note, Book Debt, or otherwise, are required to make payment unto *Joseph Hubley*, of the borough of Lancaster, or to *Richard Footman*, Philadelphia, before the first day of November next, or they will be proceeded against as the law directs.

Richard Footman, *Caleb Foulke*, *James Abercrombie*, *Owen Jones, junr.*, *Robert Coleman*, *Joseph Hubley*, *Sebastian Graff*, *Alexander Lowry*, } Assignees.
Lancaster, August 16, 1787. 1awtow

TO BE SOLD,
THE Time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has to serve about one year and a half. She is a strong hearty working girl, and would suit best in the country. She is sold for no fault, but for impertinence to her mistress. Apply to
JESSE CROSLEY, Keeper.
Philadelphia Work House, August 10. 2awtf

TO BE LET,
A convenient three-story Brick
HOUSE,
In UNION STREET.
Also, a small TENEMENT in Pine street.
The present tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.
August 1. 2awtf

For Grist Mills & other Water Works
On an extensive Plan,
One of the best situations in America is offered
FOR SALE,
Together With
Batsto Iron-Works,
At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the most healthy spots in New Jersey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours sail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the sea by the best inlet on the Jersey coast, is navigable for vessels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; those of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and scows, carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The usual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 shillings per ton. The furnace stream affords plenty of water, in the dryest season, for 3 or 4 pair of mill stones, besides supplying the iron works.—An excellent dam, which has been increasing in strength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well secured from the danger of freshes, and the works are scarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or backwater, though the tide swells to the foot of the dam: mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are necessarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the same time illy adapted to the raising of grain for their support, there is, and must continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, shorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the conveniency of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more distant markets, will not be overlooked nor considered as of small importance, especially as there are few mill seats of any considerable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently supplied with superfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this seat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York with greater ease and convenience than to almost any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extensive lands annexed to it, is abundantly supplied with wood and ore, is now in blast, and is noted for producing the best hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of castings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron.

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the estate, and stands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine stream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been disused for the last two or three years, may want some repairs to prepare it for use; but the fore-bays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper spot for grist mills, may be appropriated to that use.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a small Grist Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly situated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the surrounding buildings belonging to the estate, such as barns, stables, coal houses, workshops, storehouses and dwellings for workmen. Adjoining the mansion house is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well stored with chosen fruit trees: also a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, mostly grafted.

These excellent accommodations for extensive and profitable manufactories, are offered to sale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the ease of the purchaser, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the said Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomsbury, near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

A LADY's MAID is wanted; one who perfectly understands Hair-Dressing, & can produce a good recommendation, may hear of a place by applying to the Printers. Aug. 22

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] FRIDAY, September 7, 1787. [No. 2680.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 7th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning, Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are—A Quantity of

Damaged Woolens,

To be sold on account of the Underwriters. The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays.*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture, and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept. 7.*

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays.*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 7 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is represented to this board that there are many of the line of this state intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themselves, or sent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a resolution of this Board, of the 31st day of August, 1786, they will be precluded, unless the time is prolonged so as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Resolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1st day of October next, and that this resolution be published, so that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,

JAMES TRIMBLE,

2awtO For John Armstrong, jun. Secretary.

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the several Lodges under their jurisdiction are requested punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and solicit a Continuance thereof as the ensuing Election, for the *Coroner's* Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, August 25, 1787. eotf

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has two years and 4 months to serve: she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

August 30 eotf

A Lad Wanted.

Wanted in a Compting-House, a Lad about 14 years of age, of good character, he must write a fair hand, understand figures, and be well acquainted in the city. Enquire of the Printers, 2awtf

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Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the south-west corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

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WE the subscribers, passengers in the ship Alexander, Captain Reoch, from Londonderry to this port, sensible how justly the conduct of said Captain merits the warmest praise, feel ourselves happy in thus embracing the earliest opportunity of publickly returning him our grateful thanks for his particular care and attention during the passage.

Matthew M. Clarkson	John Moore
Adam Caldwell	Joseph Caldwell
William Alexander	Robert Mothrell
Oliver Kelso	Samuel Fullton
Joseph Dysart	James Scott
Hugh Stuart	George Patton
Thomas Barry	Alexander Dysart
Catharine Lowrey	John Caldwell
Isaac M'Knisack	William Moorland
James Calhoun	William Brown
John Dickey	William Nilson
John Simpson	Robert King
William Gregg	Thomas M'Mullan
William Chess	Daniel M'Kessock
James Smyth	Alexander Smyth
Hamilton Bell	John Robinson
William Stewart	James Stewart
Daniel M'Mullan	James Ervin
John Smyth	George Orr
Mary Elgin	James Hassett
James Adams	Samuel Bunton
James Sample	James M'Kessock
Daniel Balfoure	Samuel Black
Charles Johnston	William Porter
Ducan Matthews	Peter Taylor
John Boyd	William Baird
Thomas Baird	Ephraim Stephenson

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

LOST,

The following

Loan-Office Certificates:

No.		£.	s.	d.
4909	*John Reedle*, for	375	0	0
4894	ditto	15	0	0
4901	ditto	122	10	7
4902	ditto	5	13	2
4895	ditto	1	17	6
4896	ditto	3	15	0
4903	ditto	24	10	6
4904	ditto	35	5	0
4897	ditto	10	6	3
4898	ditto	14	1	3
4907	ditto	150	0	0
4908	ditto	112	10	0
4899	ditto	25	14	7
4900	ditto	78	3	1
4905	ditto	91	9	0
4906	ditto	104	17	9

Two years interest paid on them all.

A Reward of *THIRTY DOLLARS* is offered to any person or persons who will deliver the abovesaid Certificates to the subscriber, or for any of them in proportion. Care has been taken in the proper office to stop the payment of them; and all persons are earnestly requested to stop the abovesaid several Certificates, or either or any of them, if offered for sale or negociation, and give notice thereof to the subscriber, living on the south side of Arch, between Second and Front streets, the corner of Chancery-lane, in the city of Philadelphia. *JOHN REEDLE.*

July 16 2awtf

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

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TO BE LET,

A Commodious three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market street, between Front and Second streets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

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ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

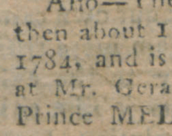
The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-aux Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*

WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf



For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,

GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale, A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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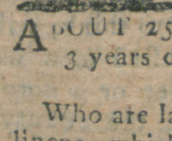


FOR SALE,

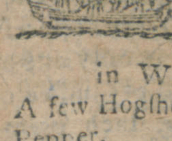
The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Islands,



THE BRIG

BETSEY,

Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels: a very fine vessel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to

Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,

William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

August 24. dtf

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,

William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

For Charleston,

The Brig NANCY *and* FANNY,

(Burthen about 90 tons)

NOW lying at Dawes's wharf. For terms apply to JOHN FRY, of Third, between Market and Arch streets.

Sept 5 3tp

A few beautiful Dining Setts of Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes
Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New England soal leather d Sept 5

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street.

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail-cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street.

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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To be Sold very Cheap,

An Elegant

Marble Chimney Piece,

Inlaid with Egyptian Green Marble: also, several

Setts of Obelisks and Vases,

Made of Derbyshire spar, for ornaments on mantle pieces——To be seen at

William Stiles, Stone-Cutter,

No. 645, Third-street, near Spruce-street, Philadelphia.

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses, New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermaceti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

Now Landing

From the BETSEY, laying back of the Subscriber's STORE,

Coffee, Sugar and Limes,

And for SALE by

Kearny Wharton.

Sept. 4. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774. Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the last importation from the East-Indies,

To be Sold by Charles Wharton,

At his Store near the Drawbridge,

Who has also for sale, a large assortment of

Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Lisbon Wine in quarter casks, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c. 2aw5w

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Mordecai Lewis & Co.

HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and souchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spanish brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spanish brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of saltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
English and Swedish steel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware assorted in packages
Tin ware in hogsheads
Grindstones
A parcel of gold and silver watches
Russia matts and oacum
Ditto sailcloth
Haircloth for malsters
A quantity of feathers
And a very large Assortment of DRY GOODS.

August 29 2aw6w

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, fans, fine and second cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratafia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Laceze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same. August 30. 2awtf

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James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-street,

HAVE FOR SALE

A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;

ALSO,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the first quality, in cases
Port wine
West India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron shovels, ditto
Pork
Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few casks of rice
Salmon
Lynn shoes
Boston iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Brass kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

Duncan Ingraham, junr.

HAS FOR SALE,

LOW-PRICED German calicoes
Table linen of all sizes
Napkin diapers
Clouting ditto
Corduroys
Table knives and forks
Hammer'd Cutteaus
Desk and drawer locks
HL hinges
A variety of blank books
Window glass 7 by 9 and 8 by 10
Sheathing and drawing nails
Scupper ditto
6d sharps ditto
2s flat point ditto
3, 3 1-4, 3 1-2, and 3 3-4 inch cordage
White and tarred spunyarn
Marline and housline
Holland geneva of a superior quality in cases
Genuine Madeira wine of London particular and London market qualities, in butts, pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks
Musquets
Soll brimstone in casks
Rotten stone in ditto
Lisbon salt, &c. &c. August 27 eodtf

Foreign Intelligence.

LIVERPOOL, June 16.

CAPTAIN Younghusband, of the Pearson, who arrived on Thursday from Antigua, near the banks of Newfoundland, spoke the Success, belonging to Whitehaven, from Virginia, bound to Dieppe, out 19 days, all well; at the same time passed several islands of ice, of most amazing magnitude; they were grounded in forty fathom water, were considerably higher above water than his top gallant mast head, and appeared to be one mile in circumference; a great number of Newfoundland and other vessels were fishing under the lee of them.

LONDON, June 7.

Lord John Murray was the oldest general in the service; he has had the 42d regiment upwards of 40 years. By his death the earl of Sandwich becomes the frther of the army, in the same manner as alderman Harley is the father of the city.

June 10. A wager has been lately made for a very considerable sum, between two Lincolnshire gentlemen, that an ox will eat twice its own weight of turnips in one day; and what is very extraordinary, the general opinion of the neighbourhood is in favour of the ox.

The king's speech, or rather the minister's, was short and sweet—he prevented its proving too luscious by squeezing in a Dutch *Civil Orange.*

July 4.

Extract of a letter from Constantinople, May 7.

'Intelligence is received from Egypt, which is not considered as a good augury; it states that the Captain Pacha, after the victory, the account of which was published by the Divan, has not been able to continue his success any further against the two Beys Ibrahim and Muhrat, who are stationed along with their troops in posts extremely advantageous and well chosen. They are drawing nearer to Cairo, with a view to harrass and molest the Ottoman troops. Besides this, the country which is of itself very fertile, is left untilled, and a prey to the ravages of the undisciplined soldiers.

'The husbandmen have abandoned the labours of the field, as the fruit of their toil would fall to the lot of the strongest; the shepherds have quitted the plains with their flocks; from whence a dearness and scarcity of provisions is felt at Cairo, which approaches to a famine.

'This news has excited much clamour amongst the people, who have told the Divan, that they doubt strongly to the truth of the accounts that are published. In short, our politicians are agreed, that the Beys are very multipliable in their numbers, for of three who are said to have fallen in the field of battle, the Captain Pacha has sent here already nine heads of such rebels, which have all been exposed on the walls of the Seraglio.'

July 5. Yesterday Sir George Augustus Elliot kissed the king's hand at St. James's, on being appointed a British peer by the title of lord Hethfield.

Yesterday morning died, Sir Richard Jebb, bart. physician to their majesties, his royal highness the prince of Wales, and the rest of the royal family.

The insurrections in Ireland seem to be at last pretty well quieted: but, perhaps, this is owing rather to the insurgents having been tired of their proceedings, than to the exertions of the military.

Wanted any time before the 19th instant, *but the sooner the better*——A GAZETTE EXTRAORDINARY. It must contain a rapid movement of the Prussian army into the heart of the United Provinces (as the motions of the French in the last were too slow) the death of at least 10 000 Dutchmen, with the usual quantity of fire and famine naturally to be *expected* on those occasions, an *unexpected* total annihilation of the stadtholder, and a spirited memorial from the court of Great Britain to that France, demanding a categorical answer, &c. It must abound in false geography and absurdities, and the author will be paid for it in proportion as it effects a fall of stock. Enquire for Smouch and Co. at the Bear, in Humbug Alley, Cornhill.

A Venetian ambassador at the court of Rome, remonstrating in behalf of the flag of the Republic, which had been insulted by the subjects of his holiness, so irritated the Pope, that he demanded,—'What charter his master had for the sovereignty of the seas?' The ambassador very gravely desired the Pontiff to examine the back of the parchment on which was *his* grant for St. Peter's patrimony, and he would find it there.

Fielding observes, that there are many men who give no other proofs of their existence, than destroying the beast of the field, and devouring the fruits of the earth. Swift gives a very good epitaph to one of those worthies, which is not inserted in his works:

Here Gaffer Barrow's jaws are laid at ease,
Whose death has dropt the price of bread and cheese.
He eat, he drank, and slept: and then
He eat and drank, and slept again;
Like *modern patriots*, rightly understood,
Live to themselves, and *die* for country's good.

The people of Ireland, sensible of the great importance of education, are at present engaged in collecting money for erecting another University in that kingdom. Heaven forbid we should make similar proposals in England. Our universities pour fourth annually such shoals of scholars, that the nation has long been overstocked with hands in every liberal department. Last week we were entertained with an advertisement as follows: '*Wants employment*, a *young man* of *complete* education, lately from the *University of Oxford*: He will either teach Greek and Lattin, and instruct the children in the first principles of philosophy, or act in the capacity of *house steward* or butler in a gentleman's family.— N. B. He understands currying *and bleeding* of horses.'

Extract of a letter from Ostend, May 13.

'Were the Jewish historians to write the history of king Jehu II. they would tell us, in the language of scripture, that 'he did that which was right in the sight of the lord; that he destroyed the high places and groves appointed for the worship of Baal; that he broke the graven images in pieces; and as for the molton images, with the silver and gold used in that worship, he melted them down, and stamped his own image upon them' King Jehu, we are told, put the priests and worshippers of Baal to death King Joseph only desires that the Capuchins shall wear black coats, and clean linen, and shave their beards: These last reformations have not as yet taken place; but the Capuchins expect to receive the fatal order every day. On the 1st of April, just as they had sat down to dinner, they were much surprised and alarmed at the entry of about 50 barbers, with their basons and other tonsorial apparatus; and the fathers all declared, *una voce*, they would not part with a wisker till it was warmer weather. The father confesser, being more collected than the rest, desired to know by whose authority they came. The barbers said they understood it was by order of the magistrate. The father told them that as it was the 1st of April, some wicked heretic had made fools of them.

ANECDOTE. Sir William Barker had upon his estate in Ireland a lame beggar called Pat, to whom he gave a guinea annually, that he might not be troublesome to him. He was to beg of every body else. During the course of last summer, sir William went down to the races at Limerick, where the first object that presented itself before him, notwithstanding his lameness, his old acquaintance Pat, and with a cripple upon his shoulders, so perfectly deformed that he excited the compassion of every body. Notwithstanding this addition, sir William recollected Pat, and insisted upon knowing how he came above 100 miles from home, and why he could be carrying another man? Pat said it was out of charity: but sir William told him he would have him committed, unless he informed immediately who this cripple was upon his back, and what he was doing there? Why, your honor, said Pat, he does very well there, and so do I too. I paid a guinea for the use of him to the Dublin Infirmary, and if I have any luck now, I shall get ten by the bargain.

Substance of the last Advices from America.

The assembly at New York seems to ape the British parliament in length of debate, and in multiplying penal laws. Two of these, which they have just passed against rapes, and a more odious crime, give no high idea of the purity of manners in the New States.

A considerable change of rulers is now attempted in New England. The dismission of Bowdoin, and and the elevation of Hancock—which, if brought about, will throw great strength into the hands of the democratic faction.

The persons appointed to concert a firmer union, seem much divided in opinion, nor does any good seem like to accrue from that measure.

The Indians massacre and plunder the borders of Kentucky, which seems to be a state totally independent, and unconnected with the rest of the provinces.

Great complaints from the southern provinces of the Spaniards unneighbourly proceedings.

THE STROKE OF DEATH.

A FRAGMENT.

I AM now worth a plumb, said old *Gregory*, as he ascended a hill, part of an estate he had just purchased.

I am now worth a plumb, which I have just earned by strict attention to business: and I'll purchase a seat in the Commons for my son, and procure a Peer to marry my daughter.

I am now worth a plumb, and am *but* sixty-five years of age, hale and robust in my constitution; so I'll eat and I'll drink and live merrily *all* the days of my life.

I am now worth a plumb, said old *Gregory* as he attained the summit of a hill which commanded a full prospect of his estate; and here, said he, I'll plant an orchard; and on that spot I'll have a pinery.

Yon farm houses shall come down, said old *Gregory*; they interrupt my view.

Then, what will become of the farmers asked the steward, who attended him?

That's their business, answered old *Gregory*.

And that mill must not stand upon the stream, said old *Gregory*.

Then, how will the villagers grind their corn, asked the steward?

That's not my business, answered old *Gregory*.

So old *Gregory* returned home—eat a hearty supper—drank a bottle of port—smoked two pipes of tobacco, and fell into a profound slumber, from which he never more awoke. The farmers reside on their lands—the mill stands upon the stream—and the villagers all rejoice in his death.

DUBLIN, April 23.

It is reported, that a discovery has been made of the foreman of a manufactory having been in pay to an English company, from whom he received the salary of three guineas per week, to spoil or damage his master's goods; and so destroy the character of Irish fabrics. We know not how true this may be, and only give it as the report of the day.

Wednesday last, a bullock, said to weigh upwards of 15 hundred weight, made his public entry into town, adorned with ribbons, and crowned with a garland, like the ancient sacrifices. The noble animal was fed by Mr. Taaffe, of the county of Louth, and is expected to produce near 50l. sterling in Smithfield market.

AMERICA.

BOSTON, August 29.

Yesterday the honorable the justices of the supreme judicial court, commenced their sessions in this town, with the usual ceremonies——His honor Judge Cushing, gave a spirited and pathetick charge to the grand jury: after which the Rev. Mr. Thatcher, addressed the Throne of Grace, in a prayer, well adapted to the occasion.

From the decided and solemn observations made by the honorable the chief judge of the supreme court, in his charge to the grand jury, yesterday, on the fatal consequences to be apprehended from suspending the execution of the sentence of death pronounced on the traitors now confined in the goals of the western counties—a correspondent cannot but hope, that the advocates for further lenity, will be convinced of the weakness, absurdity and danger of their ill-timed clemency, and heartily join with every friend to humanity and good government, in praying that those wretched persons, who have forfeited their lives to the safety and justice of their country, may not escape the fate allotted them. For if after a fair and impartial trial, and being found guilty by their country, of most attrocious crimes; the authors of them are to be encouraged to look up *with confidence* for a free pardon, adieu to that barrier to our liberties, the laws—adieu to every thdig that can give a relish to life, for in such case, murders, treasons, stratagems and crimes, will in open day pervade our country, and the daring perpetrators of them riot in our spoils.

Extract of a letter from Litchfield, August 6.

'The ingenious Mr. Hanks, of this town, to whom the public are indebted for that curious piece of mechanism, the Air Clock, a few days since placed in the belfry of our meeting house, an excellent, well-wrought, grateful sounding Bell, which he himself cast. This piece of information I more readily communicate, as it affords a small instance of the progress of arts in America.'

It is said, that *General* Shays's *head quarters*, i.e. *quarters* for his *own head*, are now at the house of an Episcopalian Divine in Arlington, State of Vermont, where his excellency assisted by his reverend patron, is busily employed in revising the martial laws of his army, and making some great improvements in retrograde movements, &c. He also intends, assisted as above, to form a system of ethicks, as an appendix to Allen's Oracle of Reason.

PORTLAND, August 23.

A convention of Delegates from the several towns in the counties of York, Cumberland and Lincoln, will be holden in this town on the first Wednesday in next month, for the purpose of effecting a separation of this from the other part of the Commonwealth. If the people of these counties are for the measure, they will undoubtedly obtain it. A decided majority of the present General Court acknowledge the reasonableness of our request, and appeared at their last sitting to be entirely willing to grant it.

NEW-YORK, September 4.

Extract of a letter from Newbern, August 22.

"We have been infested here with a number of thieves, belonging to a gang of 36 in number; of which 16 were arrived at this place; one of them has been apprehended, confined in gaol, and admitted as a state evidence: He sent for Mr. Wm. Beeking, and acquainted him, that the gang he belonged to, had keys prepared for his store and cellar, and that they had been several times in the cellar and drawn liquors, and locked the cellar again; there being two different sorts of locks to the door, and that the villain who had the keys, with others, were lurking about town; that the rest of about twenty, were at Wilmington or thereabouts, and that they expected to arrive in a few days with horses, and then to make a sweep through the town of all the stores. Upon which information, Mr Beeking went armed with others and apprehended four of the robbers, and found about 20 keys with them, which were provided to open almost every store in town; and with much resistance they were safely conducted to goal, and all chained close to the floor in the dungeon. The inhabitants have associated themselves, six of them every night patroling with fire arms, as they apprehended a risque of those that are in gaol. It is likely many of them will proceed to the northward. The one that turned state evidence has been convicted, and sentenced to be hung in Charlestown, but made his escape."

Sept. 5. A correspondent informs, that a few nights since a *bloodless rencontre* happened in Ann-street, with pistols, between two sons of Bacchus, who had just rushed forth from one of the Temples of the rosy God; the noise occasioned by the clang and din of arms in this tragi-comedy, is said, to have nearly proved fatal to a pregnant female; it is conjectured that one of these heroes is a favorite disciple of *Apelles*, and the other, an humble Measurer of Tape and Thread Lace.

Ah! me, what dangers do environ
Those men that middle with cold Iron.

NEW-JERSEY, August 28.

New York and Pennsylvania have laid a duty on all merchandize brought into their ports, and refuse a drawback on such as we purchase for our own consumption, by which means we pay them more than 40,000l. per annum, which they apply to the exigencies of their respective governments. The citizens of New York, too, since the revolution, have, by many mean artifices and misrepresentations to foreigners, checked the flattering prospects we lately had of introducing foreign commerce into our ports. The excise act, which is to take place on the first of October next, will, no doubt, be disagreeable to many, as it gives so great a power to the collector and his deputies, who, it is reasonable to think, will not be at all times the honest, disinterested men we could wish. In short, an arrant knave, or a notorious cheat, so he is but a freeholder in the county, may, upon giving the security required, be armed with the most exhorbitant powers, and harrass at pleasure the honest, industrious trader. The excise law is doubtless founded on a just and wise principle, but we consider the means to be employed in executing it as utterly unwarrantable, arbitrary, oppressive and dangerous. This, however, is only one of the evil consequences attending our old prejudice of taking care not to appoint, generally, such members to the assembly as are supposed have *too much sense*. A farmer who by the help of his spectacles can read his Almanac and Psalter, is always reckoned qualified for a seat—the silly constituent not considering that those who are too ignorant, intentionally, to do much mischief, will not possibly be ever able to do any good, especially in the difficult and sublime task of legislation.

FREDERICKSBURG, Aug. 30.

We hear from Aquia, that on Monday the 20th instant, the house of Mr. Thomas Southward was taken by a whirlwind, between one and two o'clock, and entirely demolished. It carried off all the furniture, no part of which has been recovered except a few pewter plates, which were found at the distance of three quarters of a mile from the place where the house stood. A child of Mr. Southward's was carried a considerable distance, but providentially received no material injury.—————It afterwards passed through a field of corn, which it carried away, for about 30 yards in breadth, and compleatly levelled the ground where it stood. The ground and stumps, over which the whirlwind passed, it was observed, were very much parched. We have not heard of any further damage being done by it.

CHARLESTON, August 13.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Virginia to his friend in London.

'About 1000 miles west of Cape Henry is situated a vast tract of land named Kentucky. It contains at present about 28 or 30,000 inhabitants.——These are emigrants from the United States, and have collected to this delighful retirement partly from that enterprising spirit which distinguishes the people of this hemisphere, and partly from a dislike of the fierc temper of the new governments. The astonishing richness of the soil supplies them almost spontaneously with all the necessaries, and some of the luxuries of life, and their numbers increase daily from all parts of America. They have not as yet any fixed form of government, yet justice is very regularly administered by the magistrates chosen by the consent of the inhabitants in each particular neighbourhood. They maintain a slight political connexion with Virginia, and form, in some measure a part of that state, but separated by a desart near 700 miles in breadth, they have found their connexion so inconvenient that they last year proposed to the legislature of Virginia to form a separate government, but in confederation with that republic. This was agreed to under certain restrictions.

'To these restrictions the high spirit of the inhabitants of Kentucky would not submit. They reduced their internal connexion into a more compact form, and would probably have dissolved their union with Virginia without further ceremony, had not their attention been occupied by nearer concerns, in defending themselves from an attack of many hostile Indian nations, whose lands they possess, who fomed a formidable league, with a view to their utter extirpation. They repelled their assault with great success, and have formed an amicable composition with these ancient proprietors of the soil, the Indians have ceded to them their territory, and agreed to trade with them on advantageous terms.

'Such is the state of mankind—engaged in a perpetual struggle to attain that stability of happiness which the system of this world does not appear calculated to allow!

'In the old world you are forming treaties on parchment, to whitewash the wounds and the bloodshed occasioned by the ambition aud caprice of governors, over whom the people have no controul, and who will take the first opportunity to break them, that the whims of a mistress, or the intrigues of a party may occasion to arise. In America, the preservation of the people is the law of government, and our temporary masters know their ranks, as servants to the public, too well to suffer them to pursue their own interest in contradiction to that of the state.

'The settlement of Kentucky opens a large field for the exertions of industry and genius. But as they are at present new to their advantages, and until they are unable to manufacture for themselves, any other that is carried thither must run off thro' commercial channels; but as they are situated on the banks of the Ohio, when they are permitted to navigate the Missisippi, general opulence must flow in upon them. And at present no part of this continent affords a more pleasing asylum from the noise and nonsense of the world. The right of Americans to navigate the Missisippi has been recognized by our last legislature in a manner which, through Congress, must soon bring the King of Spain to a specific determination; and this circumstance must either open a Spanish trade to the western country, or a war with Spain in America.'

TRENTON, September 4.

At a meeting of the merchants and traders of the county of Burlington, held, agreeable to the circular letter (published in our last) at the house of Colonel Hoagland, in Burlington, on the 1st instant, it was unanimously

RESOLVED,

I. That we will not do any thing that we conceive will weaken the hands of government.

II. That during the continuance of the Excise Law, as it is now in force, in this state, we will expose no article to sale that is therein mentioned, and that we will take no licence for that purpose.

III. That as many of us will attend at the day and place of sale of said office as conveniently can, and that ou chairman be directed then to publish our resolutions.

IV. That we will join in a firm remonstrance against the injustice of the said law, and pray an immediate removal thereof, early in the first session of the next Legislature. Signed by order,

JAMES TERLING, Chairman.

Philadelphia, *Sept. 7.*

At an election held at the University, in the city of Philadelphia, on the 4th day of September, 1787, for the choice of Officers of the Pensylvania Society for the Encouragement of Manufactures and the useful Arts, the following Officers were duly elected, viz.

Thomas Mifflin, PRESIDENT.

VICE-PRESIDENTS.

David Rittenhouse	Henry Drinker
Samuel Miles	Samuel Powel

John Nixon, TREASURER.

SECRETARIES.

William Barton	George Fox

MANAGERS.

William Rawle	Robert Hare
Benjamin Rush	John Wilcocks
Frederick Kuhl	Mordecai Lewis
William Bingham	Philip Wager
Tench Coxe	John Kaighn
John Wharton	William Robinson Jun.

From the Minutes, W. BARTON, Secretary.

Wednesday night last, the house of Mr. Peter Knight was broke open and robbed of cash, &c. to a large amount. See advertisement in the 2d column of the third page.

A town, we hear, has been lately laid out on the banks of the Potowmack, about 22 miles above George Town, upon a dry, airy and level spot. It is to be called Newport. This, in all probability, will be a most excellent situation for mercantile and mechanical business, and will command a great part of the trade of the western country. Wharfs are now building and warehouses erecting, as it is one of the safest and best harbours on the river. The lots are sold at 5l. each, and a ground rent of one shilling a year.

Extract of a letter from Virginia, Aug. 20.

"A most remarkable revival of religion has lately taken place in these quarters. Five, ten and twenty are converted in a day. Hundreds attend on divine service every week day, and on Sundays thousands.— Two clergymen came into Brunswick circuit about seven weeks ago, and I verily believe 300 souls have found peace with God since that time. Last Sunday, at a methodist church near Mr. Mabry's it was supposed there were 3 or 4000 hearers. Such a day I never saw, and I believe never was before seen in America. Two hundred have been converted in Sussex, since the last methodist conference, and about 7000 are under deep conviction. Many persecutors were struck to the ground, and laid as though they were dead for hours."

By late accounts from Europe we learn, that the barbarians of Tunis and Algiers have become extremely troublesome on the Italian coasts; it being common with them to land, destroy whole villages, and carry the people into slavery. Several valuable ships have also been taken belonging to the Pope's dominions, so that the holy cannon are at length obliged to be set at work for the chastisement of these infidels, who pay no respect to any other arguments. His holiness has fitted out two frigates and several armed ships of inferior force.

The true cause of the present commotions in the Dutch government, says an English print, must have originated in the loss of their carrying trade. Idleness is never beneficial in any nation, but in Holland it is always attended with the most destructive consequences. It is easy to foresee, however, that the general bent of the nation is at present towards a monarchy, the establishment of which form of government among them is not very distant, if we may trust to present appearances. Rivers of blood have in times past been shed to accomplish revolutions of similar consequence; if the case proves otherwise in the present

instance, it must be attributed to the more enlightened philosophy of the age in which we live.

Extract of a letter from Connecticut, Aug. 25.

"The year 1787 may justly be denominated the year of discontents and apprehension. Every man is a politician, and every one is so sore, either in reality or imagination, that a bye-stander can scarcely venture to laugh without hurting the feelings of some one honest citizen or another. The conduct of Shays had for a long time been a source of ill humour amnog the patriotic; our impatience to know what the grand convention is about has made us no less snappish to each other for more than two months past: and he must be a Democrints himself who would venture to smile when the decay of our trade is brought upon the carpet.——As if all these, and a hundred more I might mention, were not sufficient causes of peevishness, a devilish philosophical fellow lately came into our town with an account of a large comet that it is expected will appear the beginning of autumn. The approach of such a body, said he, is much to be apprehended, for should it approximate too near the earth in passing the line of its orbit, towards the sun, dissolution would be the inevitable consequence. After we had sufficiently shuddered at that, he went on to inform us, that the planet Jupiter, which is a thousand times larger than the earth, was violently driven from its usual course in 1680 by a comet, and a universal deluge ensued in that great planetary body, and the inhabitants totally destroyed.——Life at best is but miserable; fools, however commonly make it more so by their apprehensions of evils to come."

Extract of a letter from South Carolina, July 21.

"Three acts of the legislature have lately been passed to clear out Santee, Calaba, Ashley, Cooper and Edisto rivers, that will open an inland navigation to the extremities of the state, and a number of hands are now employed in that work; this will be of immense service to the planters, and in a few years will double the exports from Charleston, which since the peace have amounted to half a million sterling one year with another, and by the appearance of the present crop, will amount to near twice that sum this year.

"Great quantities of raw silk have been exported to London, made by a Swiss settlement, at Purisburg, which brought a high price, and yielded a handsome profit to the cultivators. There have already been discovered in many places large bodies of exceeding good iron ore, of which excellent bar iron may be made; and in many places, lead, tin and copper ores are found: but not yet worked to much advantage; silver and gold are to be found in great plenty, by tilling the earth, manufactures, trade, &c."

All accounts seem to agree, that it is the British policy not to suffer the Americans of the United States to have any intercourse with, or reap the least possible advantage from their West India islands; if so, it is high time, says a correspondent, we also took care of ourselves. If the British West Indies are to be of no benefit to the Americans, it is but just these islands should be starved into more complaisance, by a total prohibition of our produce being exported thither in British bottoms.

Letters from Jamaica give a most deplorable account of the situation of the merchants and planters of that island. Credit is almost totally destroyed; and, to add to the private calamities of the people, a violent rage prevails against the administration of public affairs. It is said, however, that flour is selling at 20s. per barrel, and lumber bears a moderate price.

Last week died at Chester, on her way to Baltimore, Miss Sarah Tuke, a young lady of promising talents in the American Company.

SHIP NEWS.

The Thomas and Martha, Titcomb, from Guadaloupe; Hope, Nichols, from Martinico; Phœbe, Collier, from St. Thomas, and Betsey, Goodrich, from Cape Francois, are arrived at Newbury-Port.

ARRIVALS at BOSTON.

Ship Cato, Stevens	Cadiz
Brig Ann, Foster	St. John's
Mermaid, Coffin	Hispaniola
Ranger, M'Lellan	St. Croiz
Lion, Lowe	Tobago
Philip, Scott	Barbadoes
Schooner New York Packet, Bernard	New-York
Liverpool, Gage	St. Croix
Bride, Lincoln	Annapolis
Sally, Leavit	St. John's
Betsey, Miller	Shelburne
Racehorse, Roberts	Liverpool N. S.
Betsey, Pilgrim	Halifax
Sloop Sans Souci, Crozier	Virginia
Lucy, Riley	Connecticut
Betsey, Maltbie	Ditto
Industry, Chapman	St. Croix
Dove, Snow	St. Eustatia
Judith, Cooke	North Carolina

*** A *special* Meeting of the *American Philosophical Society*, will be held at the University this Eevening at 7 o'Clock. SAMUEL MAGAW, sec'ry.

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,
FOR SALE BY
Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,
In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,
Also, as Usual,
SCOTCH SNUFF,
Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut
TOBACCO,
From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

A Gentleman having about two or three months leasure time, would be happy to employ it in *Trascribing Writings* in English or French, or *adjusting Accounts*. A line directed to A. B. to be left at the Printers, will be immediately attended to Sept 6 eo3t

To be Sold at Private Sale,

A Three story Brick HOUSE in Third street, two doors below the Bunch of Grapes tavern, now in the tenure of Messrs. *Bertier & Co.* fronting on Third street 15 feet. The terms of payment will be made remarkably easy to the purchaser. For further information apply to ISAAC BARTRAM, Druggist, in Third street. Sept 6 3teo

Wants a Place in a Store,

A Young MAN of a good family, who arrived from Germany last year, was brought up in the mercantile line, understands and writes a good hand in the German, French and English Languages. Enquire of the Printers. Sept 6 3teo

For Amsterdam,

(Will sail in the course of next week)
The Dutch Ship COLUMBIA,
C. VULPHIUS, Master;
For freight apply to JACOB GERARD KOCH,
Who is now landing from on board said ship, laying at Messrs. *Turnbull, Marmie & Co's* wharf—Best *HOLLAND GIN* in pipes. Sept 6 3sp

TO BE SOLD,

A CHESNUT coloured MARE, 14 hands high, 4 years old, has been broke for a lady; also, a Brown MARE of the same size and age: they are warranted sound, and sold for no fault but the Gentleman whose property they are is going to Europe. To be seen at Blake's Livery-stables, in Black Horse alley, between Chesnut and Market streets in Front streets Sept 6 1mw

Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars REWARD.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.
The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

No.	Name	£.	s.	d.
10717	Reede and Forde, for	176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

Just arrived and to be sold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of
Cape of Good Hope WINES.
September 7. 2w3taw

State of New Jersey, Sussex County, ss.

THE creditors of *Jesper Vliet*, an insolvent debtor confined in the gaol of the county of Sussex, are hereby notified, that he hath applied to the court of common pleas of the said county, for the benefit of the insolvent act, and that the said court have appointed *Tuesday* the 9th day of October next, for his creditors to shew cause, if any they have, before two of the judges, at the house of *Timothy Symmes*, esq; in Newton, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, why the said *Jesper Vliet* shall not be discharged from his imprisonment, under and agreably to the terms of the said act. *JESPER VLIET.*

Sussex Gaol, August 25th, 1787

Steemer, Albright & Lahn,

HAVING established a *Weekly* GERMAN NEWSPAPER, at Lancaster, which circulates through almost every part of Pennsylvania and Maryland (particularly through the interior parts of Pennsylvania) inform those who wish to communicate intelligence respecting the sale of houses, lands, and other property, or any other kind of information, to the *Germans*, that Advertisements are inserted in the said Paper, on the same terms as in the Philadelphia Papers—the translation *gratis*. Application may be made to Mr. CHARLES CIST, Printer, in Race street, a few doors below Second street, Philadelphia, who will forward instructions for the above purpose.

They likewise perform all kinds of Printing Work in the English and German language, on moderate terms, with care and expedition: and constantly have for sale, an assortment of English, German, French, Latin and other School-Books; Books of Entertainment; Blank-Books, and all kinds of Stationary.

N. B. They also keep a valuable *German* CIRCULATING LIBRARY. Aug. 24. 1awtf

To be Sold at Private Sale,

THAT valuable PLANTATION formerly the property of Wilson Hunt, Esquire, in the township of Maidenhead and county of Hunterdon, New Jersey, lying on the post road between New York and Philadelphia, eight miles from Trenton, and four from Princeton, containing upwards of four hundred and twenty acres of excellent land, one hundred and fifty of which is good English meadow, which will produce one hundred and seventy tons of hay annually; the upland is rich and fine for any kind of grain, and very natural to grass; forty-five acres of fine thrifty timber, of the best kind, a large bearing orchard of the best grafted fruit, two good barns, and a new hovel, that will contain upon the upper story ten tons of hay; a well of good water near the dwelling-house, and about the middle of the plantation is a delightful eminence, that commands at one view the whole farm. For terms apply to William Nielson, Esquire, New-York, Abraham Hunt, Trenton, Archibald Mercer, Millstone, or the Subscriber on the premises.

May 22. 1awtf JOHN P. SCHENK.

Six Pounds Reward.

RAN-AWAY last night from the subscriber, living in the borough of Lancaster, a German Servant MAN, named *George Miller*: he is about 28 years of age, five feet 8 or 9 inches high, well made, has a good countenance, dark complexion and dark eyes, with short black hair, speaks the English language well enough to be understood, but with much of the German accent: had on and took with him when he went away, a large round fine hat bound with velvet, a light coloured broadcloth coat with white metal buttons, one pair of corded dimity breeches and jacket, one pair of olive coloured jean breeches with strings at the knees, two new shirts of home made linen, and three old ones, one pair of clouded blue and white cotton stockings, one pair of thread ditto, one pair of good boots with the tops turned down and sewed fast to the legs of the boots, one pair of good callskin shoes, one pair of small square brass buckles, and one pair of large square ditto plated on copper; it is most probable he will wear his boots for the convenience of carrying his shoes. Whoever will secure the said Runaway, so that his master may have him again, shall receive the above Reward and reasonable charges, from *STEPHEN CHAMBERS.*

Lancaster, August 11, 6t

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

MY warmest thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by choosing me one of your Representatives in the General Assembly these three years past; permit me now earnestly to solicit the favour of your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen*,

Your most obedient and most humble Servant
William Will.

Philadelphia, August 6, 1787

Philadelphia, June 6, 1787.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

WAS STOLEN or LOST, either on the Common or in this City, on Monday Afternoon the 4th instant—A *Parchment POCKET-BOOK*, containing the following Paper Money and Certificates—
Seven pounds paper money, *new* emission,
Fifteen dollars, dollar money, of the state of Maryland,
And the following Certificates, signed by *Joseph Nourse*,
One for 1967 dollars, dated March 11, 1785, in favour of *Samuel Young*,
One for 181 66 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 65 45 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 36 48 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 1000 dollars, dated June 27, 1786, favour of *Simon Fishbaugh*; Also,
One loan-office, certificate, for 1000 dollars, of the state of South Carolina,
One loan-office ditto for 500 dollars, state of Virginia,
One loan-office dit. for 300 dol. state of Pennsylvania,
And 1580 dollars in Virginia money;
Together with some other money not yet ascertained, and sundry papers of no use but to the owner. Whoever has found the same, and will deliver them to the subscriber, shall receive the above Reward, or in proportion for any part thereof. The different Offices are requested to stop them, should they be offered for sale. *SAMUEL YOUNG.* 1awtf.

New Paper Hanging *MANUFACTORY,*

BY
H. Ryves, J. Ashmead & W. Poyntell,

WHO respectfully inform the Public, that no attention or expence will be spared to render the Variety respectable, the Workmanship good, and the Prices low: and to enable them to prosecute it with that spirit they wish, they hope to share the favours of all who are pleased to Patronise the American Arts.

May be had, in any Quantity, at said *Poyntell's* Store, in Second street, the corner of Black-Horse alley—Who has on hand, the largest Assortment ever offered for sale in these States.

May also be had at *Ryves & Ashmead's*, the corner of Third and Spruce streets.

Orders from Merchants in any of the neighbouring States, will be executed on such terms as to ensure a continuance of their favours.

Philadelphia, June 25, 1787. 1awtf

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

At the Old Coffee-House, on the 12th day of September next, being the 4th day of the week, at 7 o'clock in the Evening, the following

Lots and Messuages,

Being Part of the Estate of Joseph Marriott, deceased,
VIZ.

A LOT in Moyamensing Township, containing 2 and a half acres, whereon is a frame dwelling house, garden, &c. adjoining land of Thomas Walling, Esq; Thomas Shoemaker, and the estate of George Emlen, deceased.

One other Lot in said township, on the Passyunk road, containing 4 acres, with a two story brick kitchen, &c. thereon, adjoining lands of Thomas Willing, Esq; estate of George Emlen, deceased, and the tavern formerly known by the sign of the Horse and Dray.

Likewise, sundry Lots in Southwark, and a Lot of 3 acres and 60 perches on the Germantown road, near Fair Hill, adjoining lands of John Dickinson, Esq; There are on the premises a good two story stone dwelling house and two other stone buildings, a tanyard out of repair, an orchard, a piece of meadow, and a good stone quarry.

Attendance will be given, and terms and other particulars made known at the time and place of sale, by THOMAS MARRIOTT, *Executor.*

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Honorable *Thomas M Kean*, Esquire, Doctor of Laws, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, and of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for the said State; the Honorable *William Augustus Atlee*, Esquire, and the Honorable *George Bryan*, Esquire, Justices of the said Courts, have issued their precept, bearing date the 2d day of August (instant) to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, at the State-House in the city of Philadelphia, on Monday the 17th day of September next.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Justices of the Peace, the Coroners, Escheator and Constables, within the said city and county, that they be then and there in their own persons, and with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; also all they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the gaol of the said city and county, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 3d day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

God Save the Commonwealth.

Public sale of Bankrupt's real Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,
On TUESDAY the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest bidder, a Valuable

Tract of Land,

SITUATE in Wheatfield township, in the valley of Ligonier, and county of Westmoreland, containing 405 acres and 5-8ths, with allowance. This land was warranted and surveyed in the year 1786, for Claudius Paul Raguet, and is now sold as property belonging to his estate. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered to the purchaser free from any expence. Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale. ROBERT RALSTON,

Assignee of the estate of Claudius Paul Raguet, A Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are desired to make immediate payment to the subscriber, who will be under the necessity of commencing suits, in a short time, against all delinquents.

Philadelphia, August 30, 1787. R. R.

PROLOGUE

TO THE
DISTRESSED BARONET.
[From an English Paper.]

(The Band, previous to the speaking of the Prologue, play 'The Highland Laddie.')

TO check effeminate man, each British maid,
Secure of conquest, wears the Tartan plaid;
A garb that oft hath made the hostile smart,
And arm'd by beauty, now assails the heart.
Round Highland shoulders it subdu'd the foe,
Round ladies waists it vanquishes the beau.
This plaid the world of fashion so bewitches,
Should it extend, pray who will wear the breeches?
See Patties tending all their fleecy flocks,
[*pointing to the green boxes.*
That fill each green—I mean each snug green box:
While Peggies listen to this vocal grove,
[*pointing to the orchestra.*
Where every flute and fiddle sings its love.
Methinks I hear a goddess cry—'For sartin,
[*pointing to the gallery.*
I'll, like my betters, wear a sash of Tartan:
Give me the laddies with their Highland plaids,
Not red rags now catch mackerels and maids,'
Says Pat, who's next her—'Woman hold your bodder,
Else I will, your two lips with kisses smother.
What is this plaid?—'Tis thin—'tis poor—'tis shabby;
Give a stout Irish blade a good rich tabby.'
'Hoot, hau'd your tongue, mon!'—says his neighbour Sawny,
'Ar'n't we like you, baithe gude, and bauld, and brawney?'
'Oh true,' cries Pat, 'Old England's fair we poach;
Ar'n't all we English, Irishmen, or Scoth?'
'Lies,'—says hot Taffy, biting hard his nails;
''Tis lies—de English all be now in Wales.
Driven tere by Saxons—hur hur pleasure seeks,
And hur lives tere like Kings, on sheese and leeks.'
'Hold!' says the Jew, 'think more and speak much less;
Vatch dat to do with Bar'netch in distress?
I vil relieve him—let him come to me,
Dat ish if he has jewels, d'ye see;
Poor man, from tem I soon will set him free.'
Critics, if any jewels you descry,
Dim nor their lustre to the public eye.
And, oh, ye fair, pray fan to-night applause,
I hope we've here no croaking *monstrous craws*!
Our bard to no presumptuous skill lays claim;
To please by decent humour is his aim;
No rancorous pers'nal satire he applies,
But strikes at general foibles as they rise.

ANECDOTE.

A Nobleman, too much in the stile of modern nobility, paid little attention to the discharging of his debts, excepting those falsely termed *debts of honor*. Hence his butcher, taylor, shoe-maker, &c. were shuffled off from day to day, to the cruel injury of themselves and families. His butcher, in particular, had danced a tedious twelvemonth's attendance for the discharge of his bill: being one day more than usually importunate with the steward, his lordship's wife accidentally heard him muttering imprecations (on his departure) against her husband and family. She immediately called the steward, and enquired of him the cause of the butcher's uneasiness: He replied, that he was a saucy fellow, and demanded an immediate payment of his bill for meat. And why do you not pay him? said her ladyship. Because I am not in cash, answered the steward. After ascertaining the justice of his demand, her ladyship ordered the steward to take her jewels to a pawn-broker, and take up sufficient to pay the butcher his dues. A few days after, her husband desired her to dress herself for a splendid assembly, at which the *etiquette* of their rank obliged them to appear. Her ladyship informed him, that she had it not in her power, having pawned her jewels to pay the butcher's bill, adding that his lordship must excuse her if she thought that her rank would be less injured by absence on the present occasion, than by appearing in splendour, while the just demands on his lordship of a poor man went unsatisfied.——Struck with the force and propriety of the rebuke, her husband immediately redeemed the jewels; and from henceforward made a juster distinction between debts of honour, and the just demands of his industrious tradesmen.

The foregoing Anecdote may not be impertinent—How many persons among us build fine houses, keep their carriages, and support other expences, who cannot find money to pay their debts.

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House, on Friday the 21st day of the present month, at 7 o'clock in the evening,
Will be Sold to the highest Bidder,

THE Life Estate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt, in the following Property:

An undivided fourth part of 243 acres of improved Land in Charleston township, Chester county, now in the tenure of Thomas Robinson, and rented at 25l. per annum.

An undivided fourth part of 400 acres of improved Land at Tohickon, in Bucks county, now rented at 20l. per annum.

One half of a Ground Rent of 56s. per annum, issuing out of a lot in Arch-street, near Fifth-street, in the city of Philadelphia, payable by —— Parker.

One half of a Ground Rent of 50s. per annum, issuing out of a lot in Fifth-street, near Arch-street.

One half of 397 acres of Woodland lying near the Blue Mountains, in Northampton county.

One half of 150 acres of unimproved Land in Sadsbury township, Lancaster county, now rented to colonel Parke for the payment of the annual taxes.

One half of 4300 acres of unimproved pine Land in Salem county, New-Jersey.

One half of a share in a propriety of West Jersey; also, a share in the Library Company of Philadelphia, belonging to the estate of the said Bankrupt.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee
Of the estate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate to the subscriber.

September 7, 1787. R. R.

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,

At their store on Mease's wharf, the second below the Drawbridge,

Pennsylvania refined Barr Iron,

Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughshare moulds with and without bars
English, German, and American steel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } STOVES
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other castings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, sugar, coffee, &c. August 29. eotm

TO BE SOLD BY

John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,

The Cargo of the Brig St. John

Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal: Consisting of

Port and Fayal Wines,

Four years old, in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks:

ALSO,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins, Silk serges, Plain and striped lutestrings, Seelongs, Saduasoys and spotted silks } of various colours
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New-England Rum 2aw

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James Newport,

At his Distillery-Store, in Front-street (west side) six Doors above Arch-street,
Has by Wholesale and Retail, of very best Quality, at the lowest Rates,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Teneriffe } Wines
Jamaica Spirits
West India Rum
Philadelphia & New England Rum
Plain Brandy
Rasberry ditto
Cherry ditto
Gin in casks and cases
Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Cinnamon Water
Anniseed ditto
Clove ditto
Orange ditto
Pepper-mint ditto
All-Fours
Spirits of Wine

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.
N. B. Good Allowance is made to those who buy to sell again. Aug. 18. 2awtf

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FOR SALE BY

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

A parcel of

First and second quality *SUGARS*,

And a few Hogsheads

Well-flavoured *RUM*,

Lately landed from on board the Minerva, from St. Croix: also,

CORK Canvas, ratafia in cases, liquers and lavender water in ditto, &c. &c. To be rented, that commodious stack of stores and wharf in front, now in the tenure of Messieurs Robert Lewis and Sons: possession will be given the 1st November next. Also, for sale, and a credit given for the purchase money, a House and Lot of Ground, about four acres, situate in Bowman's lane, about half a mile from Germantown. Apply to W. and J. Sims. Aug. 28. 2awtf

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Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool, A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

TO BE SOLD.

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill, in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. eptf

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Nine-Pence Reward.

RAN AWAY from the subscriber, plaisterer, living in Sixth-street, between Arch and Race streets, an Apprentice Lad named John Fullarton, between 14 and 15 years of age, about 4 feet 10 inches high, sandy complexion; had on when he went away a round hat, a jacket with sleeves, fustian trowsers, and shoes almost new. Whoever will secure him in any workhouse, so that his master may get him again, shall receive the above reward and reasonable charges; and all persons are forbid to harbour him.

August 23. 3sp FINCHER HELLINGS.

FOR the information of the Citizens of Pennsylvania, who are creditors of the United States, Notice is hereby given, that agreeably to an act of General Assembly, passed the first day of March, 1786, the loan thereby opened, where certificates of debts of the United States may be funded by this state, will be closed with the last day of February next. JOHN NICHOLSON.

Comptroller General's Office,
Philadelphia, August 30, 1787.

The different printers of newspapers in Pennsylvania are requested to insert the above in their papers once a month until the said loan be closed.

John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Rose*, in Walnut, between Second and Third streets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has just received a variety of high scented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will dispose of on very reasonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the present opportunity of returning thanks to those Ladies and Gentlemen who have been so good as to favour him with their custom, and flatters himself his conduct will be such as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the first quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be sold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry*'s, Chesnut street, No. 19, between Second and Front streets.

August 13 2awtf

JAMES WITHY,

HATMAKER,

RETURNS his sincere thanks to his Friends and Customers, and informs them, he has removed to Third-street, between Market and Arch-streets, the fourth door from Church Alley, opposite Mr. John Dorsey's; where he continues to carry on the Hat Manufactory, as usual, of beaver, castor, half castor and felt hats; and makes as great allowance as possible to those who purchase to sell again.

N. B. A very good Malt House, Wharf, Stores, and Lot of Ground, situate in Marcus Hook, to be disposed of for cash, or bartered for goods, country produce or manufactures. 2aw7t

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EDUCATION.

THE subscriber takes the liberty of informing his Friends, that he has just opened, in a large, cool Room, a *SCHOOL for BOYS*, in Walnut street, nealy opposite to the Friends' Alms house, where he proposes teaching Reading, Writing, Grammar, Arithmetic, the Mathematics, Geography, the Use of the Globes, &c. His school to consist of about 36 or 40 scholars, for which number he intends having 30*s* each per quarter.

He also continues to take *GIRLS* from half past 11 to half past One.

Aug 28 *JOSEPH SHARPLESS.*

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be sold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, and state of Pennsylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making superfine flour, having two pair of stones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, also very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Susquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on said river. The Saw-Mill was new built last spring, and is also in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on said place a good stone dwelling house with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the possession of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premises, or to the subscribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan, *John Barclay*, *John Miller*, } Assignees of T. B. Hugo.

N. B. If they are not sold before the 17th September, they will on that day be exposed to Public Sale on the spot, by the subscribers. *Sept.* 3 d

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TO BE LET,

THAT commodious HOUSE in tenure of *William Bingham*, esq; on the west side of Second street, at the corner of Lodge alley, together with the coach house, stable for six horses, garden, &c. Possession may be had in October next, Enquire of

August 30 6sp CHARLES JERVIS.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the subscriber, living in Worcester township, Montgomery county, on *Tuesday* night last, a Mulatto *WENCH*, named *CHLOE*; took with her a blue and white striped long gown, one calico ditto, two calico and one white short gown, a good black silk bonnet, a red calimanco skirt, aprons and handkerchiefs, &c. She is a stout, well featured Wench, nearly 22 years of age, a countenance rather resembling an Indian than a Negro, has a remarkable spot or scar under one of her eyes, black curly hair, generally frized up to imitate a cushion; she has been taught to read, and is a plausible, cunning hussy; when she smiles or laughs an extravagant degree of pleasure diffuses itself over her face; she has been registered according to law: it is suspected she has come to this city, and that some of the Negroes in the suburbs will endeavour to secret her. All masters of vessels are forbid to carry her off at their peril. Any person apprehending the said Wench, and securing her so that her master may get her again, by giving information to *David Rittenhouse*, esquire, or the subscriber, shall receive the above Reward, paid by

Aug. 16. 12sp *BENJAMIN RITTENHOUSE.*

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Christian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, August 22. eptf

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market streets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on deposits or satisfactory security.

LIKEWISE,

Buys and Sells on Commission,

Bank Stock, Nicholson's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Stelle's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper issued by Pennsylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,

A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, suitable for a country seat, or a person wishing to attend the market—Likewise, a *LOT* in Market street, a good stand for business

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Wanted to Purchase,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennsylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Highest Price will be given.

Country People and others may be supplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Deposits, and negociated so as to accommodate People with the Kind that may best suit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Chesnut street, near the BANK.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Most respectfully acquaints the Public, that he has commenced the Business of a

Notary Public, Conveyancer & Broker,

And has also opened an *Office* for the purchase and sale of *Real Estates*. He flatters himself, that the utility of uniting those several branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours useful.

As the business of a *Broker* has in a great measure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchasing and selling of *Stock*, the subscriber has seen the inconveniencies which both citizens and strangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a considerable part of his present plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himself he shall prove a useful instrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to such foreigners and strangers as may have occasion for his services. He has therefore prepared himself for the receiving, buying and selling every kind of *Merchandize* on commission, for procuring freight for vessels, and hiring vessels on charter. He will also purchase and sell, on commission, bills of exchange, bank stock, and all kinds of public securities; in which several transactions his employers may implicitly rely on his best endeavours for their interests, on the most inviolable secrecy, and every possible dispatch.

Third-street, below Market-street, June 2. } EDWARD FOX. tutsfmtftf

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Edward Fox,

NOTARY-PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER & BROKER,
West side of Third-street, the first House below Market-street.
BUYS and SELLS on Commission, every Kind of

Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,

Public Securities, Bank Stock,
And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States.

He procures Freight for Vessels,

And hires Vessels on Charter:
Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan:

Discounts Bills and Notes:

Purchases and Sells REAL ESTATES:
Draws all Kinds of Deeds, Protests, Charter Parties, and other Instruments of Writing.

By a punctual attendance on the several duties which he undertakes, and a scrupulous regard to the interests of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of those gentlemen who may from time to time have occasion for his services, in any or all of the above branches.

☞ Excellent Stores are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

TO BE SOLD,

A Two story Brick House and Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, situate on the west side of Front street, Southwark, now in the tenure of Alexander Dowe, shoemaker. The lot is 16 feet front and 90 feet in depth, subject to a ground rent of 6l. per annum.

Also, for Sale—Sundry *Tracts of Land* in Northumberland and Bedford counties, Pennsylvania, which are of an excellent quality and abound with beaver dams, so as to render them valuable for grazing. Likewise, several other *Tracts of Back Lands*, the whole being the property of *Hubley & Graff*, and by them assigned over for the discharge of their debts: wherefore, any person inclining to purchase any part of the aforesaid property, are desired to apply to *Benjamin Fuller*, *John Donnaldson*, or *Benjamin Swett*, who earnestly desire all persons indebted to the aforesaid *Hubley & Graff*, or either of them, to discharge their respective debts to prevent further trouble. 1aw2m

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TO BE SOLD,

FIFTY-SIX acres of good marsh meadow on the island of Tinicum, in two different lots, one of which is about 44 acres, divided into four divisions, chiefly by good drains, lying on the main road leading through the township of Tinicum, and is chiefly in clover, blue grass and timothy. The bank belonging to these meadows is in good order, and easy to be maintained. The other lot is upwards of 12 acres, bounded on the river Delaware, and near the other lot. It is enclosed all round with good ditches, and in excellent mowing order, and produces large crops.

Or if more agreeable to a purchaser, the subscriber would sell the plantation whereon he now dwells, being about six miles from Philadelphia, on the main road from thence to the lower counties. This place contains about eighty-five acres, upwards of ten acres of orchard of the best of grafted fruit, nearly in its prime; a large proportion of it is in clover, and the remainder suitable for gardening or any kind of grain. There is on this place about twenty acres of woodland, mostly enclosed for a pasture. The house is large and well situate, having an extensive view of the rivers Delaware and Schuylkill, &c. The barn is large, and there is stabling for upwards of forty creatures; with most other necessary out-buildings. The purchaser may have any reasonable time for payment of a considerable part of the purchase money, for either the meadow or plantation. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber, PHILIP PRICE.

Kingsess, 5th mo. 19, 1787. 1awtf

For Grist Mills & other Water Works
On an extensive Plan,
One of the best situations in America is offered

FOR SALE,

Together With

Batsto Iron-Works,

At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the most healthy spots in New Jersey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours sail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the sea by the best inlet on the Jersey coast, is navigable for vessels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; those of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and scows, carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The usual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 shillings per ton. The furnace stream affords plenty of water, in the dryest season, for 3 or 4 pair of mill stones, besides supplying the iron works.——An excellent dam, which has been increasing in strength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well secured from the danger of freshes, and the works are scarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or backwater, though the tide swells to the foot of the dam: mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are necessarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the same time ilty adapted to the raising of grain for their support, there is, and must continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, shorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the convenienep of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more distant markets, will not be overlooked nor considered as of small importance, especially as there are few mill seats of any considerable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently supplied with superfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this seat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York with greater ease and convenience than to almost any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extensive lands annexed to it, is abundantly supplied with wood and ore, is now in blast, and is noted for producing the best hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of castings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron.

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the estate, and stands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine stream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been disused for the last two or three years, may want some repairs to prepare it for use; but the forebays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper spot for grist mills, may be appropriated to that use.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a small Grist Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly situated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the surrounding buildings belonging to the estate, such as barns, stables, coal houses, workshops, storehouses and dwellings for workmen. Adjoining the mansion house is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well stored with chosen fruit trees; also a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, mostly grafted.

These excellent accommodations for extensive and profitable manufactories, are offered to sale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the ease of the purchaser, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the said Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomsbury, near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

THE subscriber is now executing a *MEZZOTINTO PRINT*, from a Portrait of His Excellency General *Washington*, which has been painted since the sitting of the present Convention. This Print is the Size of the Prints of His Excellency *Benjamin Franklin*, and the Marquis *De la Fayette*, done by the subscriber.

Whoever is desirous of getting the best impressions, by becoming subscribers, are desired to apply soon—It is expected that this Print will be ready for delivery in two weeks.

Those Gentlemen who have been so obliging as to engage to take a Print from every Plate which the subscriber may be able to execute from his Collection of Portraits of Illustrious Personages, shall be faithfully served by their humble Servant, C. W. PEALE.

(Corner of Lombard and Third streets. August 15

To the Friends of Humanity.

THE Society for alleviating the miseries of public prisons beg leave to solicit the attention of the public to the objects of their institution. From the weakness and imperfection of all governments, there must necessarily exist in every community certain portions of distress, which lie beyond the reach of law to prevent or relieve.

To supply this deficiency in Philadelphia, this society was instituted, and if a judgment be formed of its future usefulness, from the success that hath attended its first efforts, there is reason to believe it will prove a blessing to our city, not only as the means of relieving distress, but likewise of preventing vice. The funds of the society at present are confined to an annual subscription of ten shillings from each of its members, and a ground-rent of £14, the donation of the honourable John Dickinson, Esq; These sums are by no means equal to the numerous objects and extensive wishes of the society. They have therefore taken this method of soliciting further benefactions from their fellow citizens. To a people professing christianity, it will be sufficient only to mention, that acts of charity to the miserable tenants of prisons, are upon record among the first of christian duties. From the ladies therefore, whom Heaven has blessed with affluence, and with the still greater gift of sympathy—from gentlemen, who acknowledge the obligations to humanity from the relation of our species to each other, in a common and universal father—and from the followers of the compassionate Saviour of mankind, of every rank and description, the society thus humbly solicit an addition to their funds.

Donations for the charitable and humane purposes of the society will be received by Thomas Rodgers, in Elbow-Lane.

Signed by order of the society,
WILLIAM WHITE, PRESIDENT.
Philadelphia, August 17, 1787. r

CAME to the Plantation of the subscriber, in Sadbury township, Chester county, on the ninth of June, 1787, two *stray Creatures*; the one a bright Bay Horse about 14 hands high, a natural trotter; the other a Grey Mare about 13 hands high, trots and paces. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be sold to pay the same on the first of October next. Aug 31 3sf

THOMAS SCOTT.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiser.*

[Price Four-Pence.] SATURDAY, September 8, 1787. [No. 2681.]

Sales at Auction.

On Monday Next,

The 7th Instant—At the
Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,
Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are,
An elegant assortment of needle worked and plain

Lawns, Gauzes, &c.

An elegant suit of CURTAINS; and on *Monday next* a good CART with Geers for two horses.
The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,
and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept.* 7.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 7 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,
On Tuesday, the 25th of Sept.
At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, surveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3-4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunswick township, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and some small streams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A considerable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are several mill seats.

No 2. 421 5-8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, surveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Christian Dehong, being in the same township, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract also; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well settled country, this and the foregoing tract must be very valuable.

No. 3. 353 acres of patented Land surveyed in pursuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, situate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the east side of a path leading from Little Juniata to Susquehanna, having an excellent mill seat and some small improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock township, Berks county, 58 miles distant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the last mentioned place to Lancaster, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the best fruit trees, and a cider press, a good log house, large barn, spring house, and other out houses thereon. Under and subject to the payment of the first purchase money, &c.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Assignee of the estate of Jacob Keehmle,
a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or suits will be commenced for the recovery of the same. R. R.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787. w&stf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your suffrages at the last Election, in placing me on the return with the present Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the ensuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,
James Ash.

Philadelphia, August 7, 1787. w&ttf

To the PUBLIC.

THE Partnership of ADAMS & WISTAR being dissolved: All persons indebted to them are requested to make immediate payment to the subscriber, who is legally authorised to receive the same, and adjust the accounts of the late Company.

THOMAS WISTAR.

Philadelphia, 8th Mo. 20, 1787. w&f3w

John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the store lately occupied by Messrs. Bache & Shee, on the west side of Front, the 5th door south of Chesnut street, where he has for sale on the lowest terms——Window Glass of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25. f&wtf

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A LADY's MAID is wanted: one who perfectly understands Hair-Dressing, & can produce a good recommendation, may hear of a place by applying to the Printers. Aug. 22

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars REWARD.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned;

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

No.	10717	Reede and Forde, for	£. 176	7	6
	10384	Ditto	157	3	2
	10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
	10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	2
	9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
	266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
	265	Ditto	63	15	0
	262	Ditto	283	2	6
	336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
	335	Ditto	217	9	2
	334	Ditto	375	0	0
	333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
	332	Ditto	112	10	0
	30	Ditto	150	0	0
	20	Ditto	187	10	0
	27	Ditto	225	0	0
	1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
	5486	Ditto	24	10	0
	9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
	331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
			£5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

For Charter,

The Brig NANCY *and* FANNY,
(Burthen about 90 tons)

NOW lying at Dawes's wharf. For terms apply to JOHN FRY, of Third, between Market and Arch streets. Sept 5 3sp

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For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,
William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,
William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Islands,
THE BRIG
BETSEY,
Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine vessel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to
Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS.

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to
July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co.
A little below the Drawbridge;
in Water-street—Who have for Sale,
A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,
GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

For Amsterdam,

(Will sail in the course of next week)
The Dutch Ship COLUMBIA,
C. VOLPHIUS, Master:

For freight apply to JACOB GERARD KOCH,
Who is now landing from on board said ship, laying at Messrs. *Turnbull, Marmie & Co's* wharf—Best *HOLLAND GIN* in pipes. Sept 6 3sp

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For Alexandria,

(In Virginia)
The Sloop CHARMING POLLY,
JOHN ELLWOOD, jun. Master;

NOW lying at the lower side of Arch street wharf, will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the master on board. Aug 31 3co

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SECOND NOTICE.

In the Case of Moses Cohen,
BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *Moses Cohen*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Friday* the 17th day of August, inst. on *Monday* the 10th day of neptember following, and on *Thursday* the 27th day of the same month, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State-house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts: at the second meeting to chuse assignees; and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.
Office, in Watkins's alley, Aug. 16, 1787. 17.8.25

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,
FOR SALE BY
Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,
In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,
Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,
Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut
TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Just arrived and to be sold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of
Cape of Good Hope WINES.
September 7. 2w3taw

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

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A Cargo of Excellent
MOLASSES,
FOR SALE BY
Wynkoop and *Siemen*,
LIKEWISE,
ALBANY PEAS,
In casks of 7 bushels each, fit for shipping.
September 5 eo3t

FOR SALE AT
Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's
STORE,
In Third street, opposite Church alley——A fresh Assortment of

Muslins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;
A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,
Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;
China, Glass, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Calcavella and Western Island Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Coal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c May 28. 3tawtf,

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Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the best chosen
GROCERIES:
As sago, oatmeal, barley, spices, Malmsey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, soy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, sallad oil, &c.
FOR SALE BY
John Dorsey.
Sept 4 3w3taw

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,
In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks, for sale by
w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed
Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,
All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.
Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Thomas & Joseph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch street,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-share moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other castings
Jamaica spirit, West-India and country rum } by the hogshead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will also deliver upon very reasonable terms, and on the shortest notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogshead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.
Philadelphia, August 4 3tawtf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY
Barclay, Brown & Co.
July 10. dtf

Just Imported, and now selling by

Joseph Stansbury,

At his store in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, near the City Auction-Room,
A General Assortment of
China, Glass, and Earthen Wares,
Plain and Ornamental—Among which are,
Teatable sets of enamelled china, rich Egyptian and cane ware, fine cut glass, and a few watch seals and chains. Orders from the country carefully attended to and executed, as usual, with fidelity and dispatch.

James C. & Samuel W. Fisher,

At their Store, the Corner of Arch and Front streets,
HAVE FOR SALE,

BRITISH window glass 10 by 8 and 9 by 7, sheet glass, glass ware in crates, red lead, tin No 1 and 2, nails, assorted ironmongery in casks, ditto copper ware in ditto, a variety of fashionable coat buttons, Turky oil stones, Burlington pork, porter in casks, raisins in kegs, almonds—And a few

Bales Black Pepper;

Besides a Variety of DRY GOODS, as usual; Also, a Quantity of White Oak Hogshead Staves and Heading, and Heart Inch Pine Boards.

N. B. They have to Rent *A LOT of GROUND and WHARF*, situate in Front street, near Pool's bridge, containing in front on Front street 87 feet, and extending thence, of the same breadth, 500 feet, into the river. There is depth of water for vessels of any burthen, and room enough for several to load at one time; this, and the quantity of ground renders it very commodious for the Lumber Business, for which it has been occupied these 20 years.

Wanted to Purchase, a Quantity of GINSANG.
August 13 tthf w&f3w

Rundle and Murgatroyd,

Water-street, just above Market-street,
Have received for sale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and sheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d sterling per yard
Russia sheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool salt, and
Excellent London bottled porter
Also, an INVOICE, consisting of
Lustereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.
To be sold at a very low advance. mwf

High Proof RUM

In Puncheons,
Muscovado SUGAR in Hogsheads, and a few
Bags best Green Coffee,
Just arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by

Robert M'Clenachan,

At his Wet Good Store, in Third street, S. W. corner of Arch-street; where he has also for sale sundry other
Articles in the Grocery Line.
July 23. mwftf

William Compton,

In Third-street, between Race and Vine streets, has for sale on very low terms, for cash or short credit,

LONDON pewter, in casks, well assorted
English sail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A case of boys hats, of various colours
A small invoice of best London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, shalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.
ALSO,
Garden seeds of different kinds, rape and canary seeds, &c. mwftf

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To be Sold at Private Sale,
A small and very General Assortment of Fresh

Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any person inclining to purchase, may have them on the most reasonable terms, by applying to

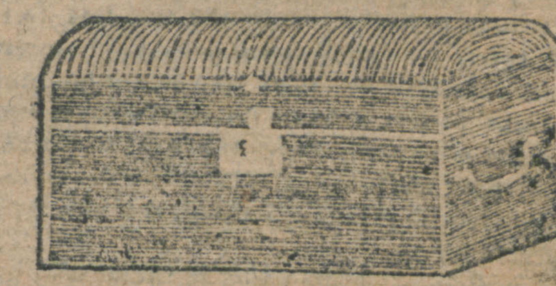
N. DORSEY,

In Front, two doors below Walnut street. Aug 2awtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.
Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;
Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by
Ross and Vaughan.
August 22. etf



Sellers's American made Trunks.
ARE SOLD BY

John & James Olden,

AND

WILLIAM ZANE,

In Second, between Market and Chesnut streets, and near Black-Horse alley,

WHERE, at all times, a capital assortment of the most elegant sealskin, hair, and black leather portmantua and other travelling trunks, of all dimensions, may be obtained for the complete accommodation of the Public— Possessing every advantage in procuring materials and conducting their factory, they flatter themselves with being able to vend the various preceding articles on terms more favourable than any other person in this country. eltf

From the GALLANT,

A Periodical Paper now publishing in London.

Monday Feb. 12, 1787.

Ter centum tonat ore Deos, Erebumque, Chaosque,
Tergeminamque Hecaten, tria virginis ora Dianæ.
VIRGIL.

Dire execrations split your ears asunder.
Death and d——nation! furies! blood and thunder!

SOME female correspondents have lately entreated that I would write a paper against cursing and swearing, which they find great fault with in their brothers, acquaintances and lovers, and which certainly is too general a practice even by some who are not either the worst or the most thoughtless of mankind. Much has been written on this subject, and it is among the earliest advices our parents and guardians give us, to avoid swearing. It is at the same time unfortunately the very error of all others which young persons are apt to copy as soon as they come into company.

As cursing and swearing have been practised for many years, nay, many centuries, it becomes a question of some importance, what are the uses of this practice. Does swearing produce any moral, political or civil effect?

The use of cursing and swearing has never yet been demonstrated; and it is perhaps singular in this respect, that however common the practice may be, I have never heard of any person who pretended to justify it upon any account whatsoever. I have never heard any plea offered in its favour, and therefore I am led to think that it is a sort of passion, which a man indulges when it becomes strong, just as he indulges any other passion, and can give no better reason for it than that he is used to it, and cannot help it.

Cursing and swearing, however they are commonly joined when we speak of them, are two very distinct modes of speech. There is a law against swearing in common conversation, but none against cursing. When a man says by G——, he swears; but if he says D——n you, he curses; which is the most innocent of the two may be enquired hereafter. Now when a man asserts any thing, he adds by G——d, he means that we should give credit to it; and perhaps he is not sensible that in using this expression he is taking an oath as solemn as any that can be administered in a court of justice. Many are not aware of this, but if they considered that when they swear thus, they are in the warmth of zeal, and suspicious lest their veracity be questioned, when they consider that frequently they lay their hand on their heart, and by striking their hand on a table, or by some other sign of earnestness, shew that they are serious, they must agree with me that they have in reality appealed to God for the truth of what they have spoken, and consented, by virtue of that appeal, to be tried by him whether they speak the truth or not. And whoever has witnessed the administration of oaths at public offices, or even in courts of justice, must have seen that although there are in these cases more words, there is less apparent seriousness than where a man voluntarily swears in the presence of a few friends.

Here it may appear, that swearing in company has its uses. But what must that man think of himself, or his company, who is reduced to this expedient. Of himself he must think that his bare word is not sufficient, which can be no very pleasing reflection; and of his company he must think that they know his character too well to trust what he says, unless he swears to it. It argues a sneaking spirit (of which a beau and a fine gentleman would be sorry to be suspected) to be obliged to swear to the most trifling assertion; an assertion which perhaps if true, is not worth notice; and, if false, is not of the least consequence.

Let us state a case, in order to illustrate this subject:

'I met Mr. —— on horseback to day.'

'No—that you did not.'

'I did by G——.'

'He has been confined to his bed this month.'

'By G——, I saw him however, to day—on horseback.'

'It is impossible.

'By G——, I say I did'

Would any man of spirit, who had a regard for his own character be questioned thus? Now let us suppose a different person to make the same assertion.

'I met Mr. —— on horseback to day.'

'No ——that you did not.'

'I did, indeed.'

'He has been confined to his bed this month.'

'That may be, but I positively saw him to day on horseback.'

'It is impossible.

'O then Sir, if I did not see him, how came he to deliver this letter to me, which he desired I would give to you?

'Sir, I beg your pardon, but really I did not know he was recovered so far, as to be able to ride out.'

'I forgive you, but be a little less positive next time.'

Here we find that swearing was totally unnecessary, for if the gentleman could not immediately prove what he had said, yet he would have preserved so far a respect for his own character, as to leave a company who would not as soon take his word as believe his oath.

In fact, the use of swearing can only be experienced by those gentlemen to whom lying is familiar, and they, if they can consent to be tacitly acknowledged liars, must necessarily add an oath or two when they would be credited. For my own part I would as soon pay attention to the word as to the oath of a liar, for he who will deliberately utter a falsehood, cannot be supposed very nice or squeamish if he thinks proper to swear to it. No gentleman of character who makes truth the basis of his conversation, has therefore any occasion to swear, and swearing, according to this position, is a useless part of conversation.

As to cursing, it occurs either in the heat of passion, and then only by those who think highly of it, or it is used in jest. Those who curse in the utmost violence of passion, are very far from wishing that their curses would light upon the object. And those who make cursing a frequent practice, have been heard to declare that nothing is farther from their inclinations than to mean ill. If so, what do they mean? Cursing another may sometimes show in what state the friendship of a man is, for no man would deliberately curse another, unless he very much disliked him, but any other purpose which it serves I have not been able to find out, and as for that purpose, it might be better served in twenty other ways.

But what shews demonstratively that cursing is not a serious matter, is that men more frequently curse themselves than others, and here the curse has a mixture of swearing in it, as 'D—n me, it be not so,' or 'D—n me, if I do not think so.' &c. &c. In this sense I am sorry to say it is to be met with too often on the stage, and particularly in new plays, and as if it was a peculiar beauty, the d—n me is delivered with an emphasis that shocks the decent part of an audience, but it is so congenial to dispositions of the *Gods* as they are called, that they repeat it all the night after with singular satisfaction.

I intended to have entered into the second part of my enquiry, whether there is any pleasure or wit in swearing, but this I leave to another, perhaps my next paper, and conclude for the present with a story applicable to the subject.

A worthy clergyman was once in company with a set of gentlemen of good understanding, but who were apt to take great liberties in conversation, one of the company in particular, made very free with repeating oaths, calling upon God to witness the most insignificant assertions. The good divine tho' greatly offended heard it in silence; but took occasion, every time the other mentioned the name of God, to bow his head with great devotion. This at last drew the attention of the gentleman who gave the offence. 'Sir,' says he, 'I observe you frequently bowing; what do you mean by it?——'Yes, Sir,' said the clergyman, 'It is this; I have long used myself, never to hear the sacred name of God mentioned, without paying this awful respect to it, which you, Sir, have given me such frequent opportunities of practising.' My Author adds, the gentleman was so struck with the noble and delicate hint, that he immediately acknowledged he felt it convincingly, and promised to keep a stricter guard upon his tongue in future.

Foreign Intelligence.

HAGUE, May 30.

WE have accounts from Aix le Chapelle, that the public tranquility is by no means so well re-established there as was hoped. It is needless to look back to the origin and consequences of the troubles which have disturbed the place for 18 months past; it is sufficient to say that the final decision has been followed by the introduction of foreign troops into the place, and what will be the consequence we do not learn.

AMSTERDAM, June 29.

This day is fixed by the states of Holland for filling up the vacancies in the regiment of Hesse Philipsthal, and the second battalion of Hardenbroek. Col. Pabst, commandant of the garrison of Naarden, Muyden and Weesop, having requested to resign, it has been accepted; and Col. Mattha, who levied a legion for the service of the state, when it prepared for war against the Emperor, is appointed to succeed him, and to command under general Van Reyssel in the left wing of the Cordon, which is entirely composed of armed burgesses.

The burgesses of Overyssel, amounting to 3000, are put in charge of defending their own province. The states have resolved to pay them; and have ordered two florins per week to each man, until he enters the field, and then they are to have five.

UTRECHT, June 29.

The different corps which compose the legion of Salm, have taken the oath of fidelity to the states assembled here. The greatest security reigns within our walls: there is not any appearance that the assembly at Amersfort intend any act of violence; they are too much embarrassed to prevent the desertion of their troops. The states of this province have written to all the ministers of religion, to acknowledge them in the public prayers; and not to obey those at Amersfort; and we have the satisfaction to learn, that the majority have conformed to these letters. Advices which arrive hourly from Woerden, bring the most agreeable accounts of the prevailing harmony between the secret committee, the regency of this place, and the Rhingrave of Salm, our commander in chief: and we have no doubt, notwithstanding the rage at Amersfort, the spite at Nimeguen, the anger at Leuwarden, all the bustling at Middlebourg, and all the English gold, but we shall yet preserve this country from tyranny.

ALGIERS, May 6.

There is no doubt now, that Spain and other powers, who have like her assured themselves of peace, by formal treaties for that purpose, will be all compleatly deceived. The Algerines evade their engagements already made, and say that the copies of the treaty entered into with the Spaniards are not similar to each other; they treat every Spaniard with indignity and abuse.

The Algerine fleet is composed of seven vessels, the largest of which mounts 34 guns, and has 340 men; the Captain is Hadgi Mahamet, a Jew renegado, commander of the whole fleet; the others are a Saique of 28 guns, and 280 men; one of 26 guns, and 260 men; a third of 24 guns, and 240 men a fourth of 22 guns, and 220 men; a fifth of 18 guns, and 180 men; lastly, a xebec of 22 guns, and 220 men. Two other vessels of 30 and 18 guns, could not be equipped on account of the plague; all these above, and two others at Mascara, compose the whole marine of Algiers; that formidable marine which lays all the different maritime and commercial powers of Europe under contribution.

BERLIN, May 24.

We are assured that the battalions of grenadiers will be augmented to 52, each composed of 650 men; so that the above corps will include 33,800 men.

PARIS, June 11.

The French have just found out a method to make the light houses on their coast more useful than ever, by enlarging the body of light to appearance, and also giving each light a peculiar character, which will make it known and distinguishable from every other light, or any other fire or burning. Through means of a machine, very large reflectors, by turning regularly round, will throw successive dashes of light and shade as they gradually appear and disappear in going round. The experiment will be made at the entrance into the port of Dieppe. There is to be also a reflector turning a fire fixed 15 feet above the machine, which is to turn the other.

June 12. The Boussole and Astrolabe, which sailed the first of August to make a voyage round the world, under the command of the Sieurs Peyrouse and Langle, have met with as much success as could be hoped for with regard to the observations which were the principal object of the undertaking. But 6 officers, a pilot, and 14 seamen are lost. The Sieur le Paute d'Aglet, of the royal academy of sciences, has made a number of observations on the longitude of places before unknown in the South Sea. The ships are expected to return to Europe in the spring of 1788, after having traversed about 25,000 leagues.

DUBLIN, June 14.

The abdication of the seat of government—for when vice king and vice queen, and secretaries, and aid de camps are absent, it must be considered as a sort of abdication, must furnish the politicians of Europe with matter for speculation. What! in a kingdom where insurrection so lately crested herself, whose shouts so alarmed the senate; in a kingdom, a quarter of which the speech from the throne declared to be in a state of open warfare, *flagrante bello*; that the Castle should be deserted, and the situation of affairs should admit of such an unprecedented laxity in the springs of government.

On the 3d instant, six transports with troops on board, sailed from the Cove of Cork, for Halifax and Quebec.

A gentleman in this city received a present of a salmon last week from Sligo, which weighed ninety seven pounds.

Monday his grace the duke of Rutland set off for the Curragh, where, we hear, he purposes to spend the week.

A country school master, has, within these few days, suspended a shew-board over his door, with this motto: 'Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not.'

LONDON, June 7.

Yesterday Henry Sterne, alias Gentleman Harry, was brought before the sitting magistrates at justice Hyde's office, and committed to take his trial at the Old Bailey, on a charge of having stolen the Order of Saint George from the ribbon on the side of his grace of Beaufort, on his majesty's birth-day last. The prisoner is of middle stature, and very genteel. The interrogatories that were put to him, and his replies, being of a singular nature, we shall state them verbatim as they occurred.

The magistrate who presided on the bench, first asked Gentleman Harry to what profession he was bred, and how he had been educated?—to which he replied, 'it was of very little consequence to his Worship, and begged of him not to ask any questions that did not apply to the case; for it was he observed, only wasting his *Worship's precious time* to answer them.' The magistrate, irritated at his consummate effrontery, told him 'That he was *as great a rascal as any in England.*' 'That (replied Gentleman Harry) is language which at once betrays your ignorance as a magistrate, and your illiberality as a man; and if you were younger than you are, and not sitting on that bench, you should meet me as a gentleman, for such unparalelled conduct.' 'I don't wish to meet you any where (replied his Worship) for I am persuaded you would rob me if you had it in your power' 'You might make yourself easy on that score (replied the prisoner) for I believe *you have nothing to lose*' The bench told him he had better be silent, or he should suffer for his insolence. 'Gentlemen, (said the prisoner) I am persuaded you will shew me no favor, and I will not suffer you tamely to insult me in this unfortunate predicament.' The prisoner offered no defence, but read the depositions made against him by the duke of Beaufort, his grace's footman and one of the court marshalmen; he politely thanked the duke of Beaufort for his humanity, in interposing to prevent the mob from offering him personal violence when he was apprehended; he was then conveyed to Newgate.

June 22. The following article we received very late last night:—From the public conversation of some days past, there seems a degree of probability in its contents; at the same time we mean not to pledge ourselves for its veracity:

'The French ambassador will positively leave this country to-morrow (this) morning. A misunderstanding has certainly taken place between the two courts; it is said on account of some matters respecting the treaty; but the truth is, our having fitted out ships of war contrary to their wishes, produced an altercation; and their ambassador not having been able to procure an explicit answer, which he was directed to obtain, he followed his orders, and will absolutely quit his station to-morrow (this day). To confirm this account, Mr. Pitt's intended tour will not take place; and the resolve of both countries is, to act in opposite interest respecting the Dutch.'

June 30. The town of Rotterdam made the following proposals to the states of Holland last week, which was rendered commissorial, and was to be reported on Tuesday last the 26th inst.—

'That without prejudice to the deliberations on the proposition made by the town of Leyden, which tends to the total suspension of the prince stadtholder in all his functions, they propose that all the officers suspended or broke by the states of Holland for disobedience, do stay in the province, instead of the order given for them to quit it in 48 hours, under pain of death. And they propose likewise to issue an amnesty for all deserters; to levy as soon as possible other troops to replace those who have retired: to finish as soon as possible the secret deliberations, and to fix a short period for a final settlement; to provide armed ships on all the navigable rivers in the province of Holland, and all those on the frontiers of the said province; to order the deputies of Holland at the states general, to support the system of the province, and no other in particular, and without that, to reject absolutely any mediation.'

An advertisement is inserted in the Paris Gazette which arrived on Thursday, for all the creditors of the comte de Aranda, the Spanish ambassador, to bring in their accounts by the 24th inst. as he is going home.

The East India company have sent out this year upwards of 3000 tons of naval stores to their dock yards at Bombay, where they are building two new ships of 1000 tons burthen each, for their own commercial service. The Belvidere, captain Green, which sailed lately from Portsmouth, was wholly laden with naval stores, with which she was furnished from the king's own store house at Portsmouth, by agreement with government. This is certainly a prudent step, as the French are known to be making up a prodigious naval emporium at the island of Bourbon, next the Mauritius, where there men of war sit, and from the great improvement made there of late years, are equipped and fitted out in a manner second to none of the naval establishments in Europe itself.

The admiralty of the province of Holland have given orders for several ships of the line to be fitted out for sea with all expedition.

By the mails which were received from Holland on Saturday, we are informed of a very material event which has taken place in that distracted country; and highly inimical to the interest of the stadtholder, as a majority of the states are now decisively against him.

The following are the particulars of this astonishing revolution. Whilst a small number of individuals continued to hold, under the name of States of Utrecht, their sittings at Amersfort, an assembly was opened the 11th of June, in the city of Utrecht, the usual place of their sittings, in which were present, besides the deputies of that city, those of the cities of Wyk-a-Dunstede and of Monfort, and some members of the two first orders, namely, the barons Taet's d'Amerongen, one lord of Reeswoude, the other lord of Vliet, and the count de Boetzloer, lord of Alperent. That assembly has disavowed, by a formal placart, dated June 13, the steps taken by the assembly of Amersfort, 'commanding the troops in the repartition of the province of Utrecht, not to obey the said assembly, and also the troops of the other provinces employed by those of Amersfort, to quit the provinces of Utrecht, &c.' At the same time they have nominated deputies to the assembly of the states general, viz. the baron Taets d'Amerongen, lord of Vliet, the baron Taets d'Averhoult, and M. Strick Van Linichoten, lord of Loenderfloot. These deputies were introduced the 14th to the assembly of their high mightinesses, by the deputies of the provinces of Holland, Freisland, and Overyssel. Those of the assembly of Amersfort strove to oppose it, backed by the deputies of Gueldres and Zealand; but it was concluded by the majority, that their full powers being according to rule, there was not the least room to exclude them from their sittings. The deputies of the states of Groningen remained silent. Thus the voice of the province of Utrecht, represented by a double deputation, became thereby inactive.

These resolutions being carried to the council of state, the members of which espouse the cause of the prince of Orange, they refused to obey the orders of the states general; and what will be the consequences time alone must discover.

July 2.

A letter was received on Saturday evening from Brussels, dated June 26th, by a gentleman in this city, which contains the following intelligence:

'Our liberties have at last been confirmed by our emperor. A courier dispatched by prince Kaunitz arrived at Vienna this morning about nine o'clock, with a letter from the hand of the emperor, purporting the ratification of the resolutions taken by the states of Brabandt on the 30th of May last; by which all our birth rights and immunities, as established by an act or bill called Entree Joyeuse, are restored to us. 'Since my subjects of the Netherlands,' says his Imperial majesty, 'cannot relish my plans, I shall leave them in the enjoyment of their laws and privileges without exception.'

'Mr. de Hont, merchant, who had been arrested and conveyed by force to Vienna, contrary to our ordinances, has been released from his confinement there, and suffered to return amongst us.'

It is generally believed that the disturbances in the Austrian Netherlands will tend to accelerate his Imperial majesty's return to Vienna. The resistance which his innovations in that part meet with have compleated the disgust his majesty had to dominions at such a distance; and it certainly is in agitation to exchange, sell, or cede these provinces to some other prince, whose contiguity may enable him to keep them more strictly under controul.

The Royal Society was lately presented with a very extraordinary curiosity. It was a preservation in spirits of five children, produced at one birth, by the wife of a poor man in this metropolis. Dr. Greshow, of Oxford, was the gentleman who bottled up so very remarkable a deviation of nature.

AMERICA.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 6.

GENERAL ORDERS.

New-York, September 5, 1787.

HIS Excellency the Commander in Chief, with peculiar satisfaction, embraces this opportunity of publicly expressing his approbation of the good conduct and military appearance of the regiment of artillery, commanded by lieutenant colonel Bauman, at their annual review and inspection, which took place yesterday.

The perfect uniformity of the arms, dress and other appointments, as well as the excellent composition of this corps, are highly grateful, and do singular honor to the officers and men.

The company of brigade artillery, the battalion of grenadiers and light infantry, and the battalion formed of companies in rifle dress, or frock companies, are also entitled to great commendation, for their soldierly appearance, the uniformity of their appointments, and their good conduct in the review and evolutions of yesterday.

His excellency cannot, however, help expressing his regret, occasioned by two unfortunate accidents which happened in the firings; particularly that, to a worthy citizen, while in the line of his duty, and though he is conscious it did not result from a want of ordinary care, he hopes it may prove an additional inducement to the greatest caution upon future occasions.

NICHOLAS FISH, Adjutant General.

On Tuesday last, agreeable to the orders which were issued by S. Bauman, lieutenant colonel commandant, on the 21st ultimo, the regiment of artillery, under the command of colonel Bauman, and the volunteer companies of grenadiers, light-infantry, riflemen and brigade artillery, composing a body of about 600 men, in brilliant uniform, paraded at the burnt church, at 11 o'clock, A. M. the whole formed in one line, under the command of lieutenant colonel Bauman; the regiment of artillery on the right, commanded by major Reed, the grenadiers and light troops on the left commanded by major Chrystie; the battalion under the command of major Van Horn, in the center; and the pieces of artillery on the wings, commanded by captain Van Dyk. Thus formed, the whole body, with a band of music, drums, fifes, &c. marched down Wall-street, and up Queen-street, into the field of parade the race-ground. Here a variety of evolutions were performed, to universal applause, and the whole corps reviewed by his excellency the governor. A great concourse of spectators being collected, among whom were the foreign ambassadors, other strangers of distinction, and the first personages of our vicinity; an attack of a fort was performed, and supported on both sides with all regularity and firmness which ought to be observed in real action; the military ardour of the combatants was so great, that they almost conceived themselves in a sanguinary

battle; prisoners were taken and a fort surrendered, during the siege, which occasioned the display of trophies, and every heart glowing exultation, expressed in all the pomp of war.

The parade finished, a cold collation, at the expence of col. Bauman, was served, of which many of the gentlemen spectators, and all the officers partook; here, by rich libation of wine and mirth, the weary limbs and agitated spirits were each refreshed, and the conversation centered in the brilliancy, as well as real utility of the day's entertainment—an entertainment which is calculated to enoble, and render defensible and respected, the community at large, and stimulates even the infant to learn the art of war.

To crown the entertainments of the day, at the expence of colonel Bauman and officers, the citizens were gratified with an exhibition of Fire Works in the evening, fronting the fort, at which a numerous crowd of people of all ranks, were applauding spectators.

His most Christian majesty has buried his daughter Marie Sophie Helene Breatrix de France, who was interred in the royal vault of St. Dennis, without observing any of the ceremonials which have been constantly used at the burial of any of the royal family. The bishop of London has fallen into a relapse, which indicates his speedy dissolution.

The 16th instant being the anniversary of the battle at Bennington, was celebrated at Bennington, in a pompous and patriotic manner, by military parade, and two orations, which were delivered on the occasion.

NEW-BRUNSWICK, Sept. 4.

On Thursday evening last, about ten o'clock a slight shock of an earthquake was felt by a number of inhabitants in and about this place, but we have not heard of any damage being done.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 8.

Extract of a late letter from the Western Country.

"I returned a few days ago from Kentucke. Since my arrival, I have information of a boat coming up Ohio, below the Rapids, and attacked by Indians on both sides. Fourteen men were in the boat, thirteen of whom were killed, and the fourteenth escaped with a wound. The boat was coming from St. Vincent to Pittsburg, laden with furs, which happily were brought off, by a boat coming up immediately after, the Indians being from the spot at that moment, supposed to be gone for horses to convey the spoil away. The same boat was also attacked by a large party, but being well manned, and a swivel on board, they sustained no damage. Nothing is more certain than the hostile intentions of many of the savage tribes. The inhabitants some miles about the falls of Ohio live in continual danger. Post St. Vincent in now a wretched and distressed place. A number of innocent, industrious people, in a famishing condition, obliged to live in fortified places, and in the utmost danger cultivate only the lots in town. Whilst the troops enlisted by Gene ral Clarke remained there, the inhabitants were not molested; so much influence had the idea of armed men upon the savages: but these troops were not supported, therefore evacuated the place. Since their departure, the Indians have been more violent. Some time ago, I saw a paper, in which orders appeared to the commanding officers on Ohio to remove the troops from St. Vincent, under character of lawless men; I think they might with propriety be called useful men, if not established there by proper authority. Can authority be insensible of the situation of St Vincent? Will it not be shocking to humanity to hear (what may be expected) of the inhabitants of that town being massacred by savages, when the protection of a few soldiers would almost secure their safety: and if this is not a station vastly more important than any fortified on Ohio, I will submit to all who are acquainted with the western world. It is hoped that some salutary measures will be adopted for St. Vincent; they are citizens of the United States, and virtually claim protection."

On Monday evening the 27th ult the Theatre at Baltimore was opened by the Old American Company of Comedians, under the direction of Messrs. Hallam and Henry, with the tragedy of the Gamester, and the comic opera of the Poor Soldier.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Amsterdam to his correspondent in this city, dated June 8, 1787.

"Our situation is deplorable; we are engaged in a civil war, and the Lord knows what will become of us. Several battles have been already fought, in which our burgers gained victory; but the blood of the burgers, lost on these occasions cannot be forgiven. Plundering and uproars are all over the seven provinces. Last week the troubles began here, and in two nights about forty houses have been plundered or ruined, and among these are two burgomasters houses; it was a dreadful sight to behold; had you been here, it would have broke your heart to see their fine furniture thrown out of the windows, broke into a thousand pieces, and cast into the canals. I have seen several of the houses plundered, and was there from first to last; but I can assure you, I should not like to see such another scene; it is worse than seeing houses on fire. Last Saturday one of the mob was hanged, and fifty more are in gaol; some of them will meet the same fate. Matters are now come to such a crisis, that they cannot be settled otherwise than by the sword; and by what appears, our union will be broke, and the province of Holland, with two or three more, will become a separate state, fighting against the others as long as possible."

Extract of a letter from Charleston, dated Aug. 22.

"A few days ago, a negro man, who had a wife and children in town, was set up for sale; but not liking the man who appeared the most anxious to have him, and who was a countryman, he made an objection to him, and declared he would not go in the country from his wife and children. They paid no attention to his objections, but soon sold him to the countryman, who immediately sent him on board of a boat. Soon after, they left the wharf, when the negro plunged overboard, and endeavoured to get under the boat, but was prevented, though with great difficulty, by those on board, and brought into the boat again; but before they could tie him, he leaped over the second time, and would soon have buried himself in the watery element, had not a boat from shore prevented him. When he was taken on board again, and tied, he still persisted in his determined resolution of putting an end to his life the first opportunity; and probably ere this he has sought that relief in death, which life, when separated from all he held dear, could not afford him. Such are the cruelties, among innumerable others, that Afric's sons experience on Carolina's plains, and which would make barbarity herself recoil to hear related.

"On the 13th of last month, the mercury in Farenheit's Thermometer fell here from 89 degrees to 83 degrees, in four minutes. This very sudden transition of solar influence was followed by a violent storm of wind and rain, accompanied with awful flashes of lightning, and tremendous peals of thunder; during which, a great quantity of large hailstones fell. A person sitting in the piazza of a house a few miles from town, observed the lightning strike a large live-oak tree, at about 150 yards distance from the house, under which lay a considerable number of sheep: the animals appearing to be disturbed, it was conjectured that some of them were hurt, and upon examination, twenty-six of them were found to be killed, and several others wounded. Since the above storm, we have had (except a few days) the most agreeable weather that has been experienced these many years: though you, at the northward would think this agreeable weather almost insupportable."

In CONGRESS, New-York, July 14, 1787,

Ordered, That the board of treasury prepare and report to Congress, a requisition on the states, for the supplies necessary for the current year, including one year's interest of the foreign debt, and such parts of the principal as may become due the ensuing year; providing for the payment of one year's interest on the domestic debt, in a mode most convenient to the states, and advantageous to the union.

On Tuesday night last departed this life, after a lingering illness, Mr. DAVID SHAFFER, sugar refiner, of this city, in the 41st year of his age, and on Thursday morning his remains were interred in the Lutheran burying ground, attended by a large number of respectable citizens. He has left a sorrowful widow and six children, to bemoan the loss of a tender husband and parent.

SHIP NEWS.

Extract of a letter from New-York, September 6.

'Tuesday last the brig Diligence, captain Fairley, arrived here, after a passage of seven weeks and three days from Hull. Captain Fairley, on the 18th ult. spoke the brig Susannah, Thomas Derry from this port, bound to Dublin, in lat. 39. 52. long. 58. 80. W. all well—and on the 19th ult. spoke the ship Merchant, from this port for Cork, in lat. 39. 51. long. 61. W. all well.

'On Thursday last the ship Hector, captain Graman, arrived at Providence from Bourdeaux, last from Cape Francois.'

The ship Warren, captain Sheldon, is arrived at Marblehead from France.

Arrivals at Charleston, S. C.

August 9.	
Ship Sisters, Bennet	Honduras
Brig Samuel, Jamieson	Greenock
Trader, Warner	Philadelphia
Nancy, Shewell	Ditto
Hope, Hall	Cape Francois
Schooner Polly, Paine	Kennebeck
Thomas, Godet	Georgia
Betsey, Sowles	Ditto
Friendship, Gibbs	Ditto
Sloop Dispatch, Carman	Ditto
Betsey, Cozens	Ditto
Nancy, Farrow	Ditto
Betsey, Prudden	N Providence
Fanny, Fowle	Bristol
Dolphin, Davis	Virginia
August 13.	
Schooner Carolina, Ross	Georgia
Two Brothers, Stafford	Ditto
Mary, Aguire	St. Augustine
Two Brothers, Ladroll	Ditto
Sloop John, Evington	Philadelphia
Monmouth, Brown	N. Jersey
Happy Return, Smith	Georgia
August 16.	
Brig Tryall, Brownlow	Nevis
William Henry, Cole	Cape Francois
Schooner Elizabeth, Martinelli	St. Augustine
Charlotte, Conyars	Georgia
Savannah Packet, Dickenson	Ditto
Sunbury Packet, Robbins	Ditto
August 20.	
Ship Three Friends, Vinck	Ostend
Brig De Laide, Flandrin	Port-au Prince
Sloop Friendship, Jeffers	Rhode-Island
August 21.	
Brig Fame, Tilden	St. Martin's
Philadelphia, Strong	Philadelphia
Schooner Catharine, Moore	Georgia
Thomas, Godet	Ditto
W Packet, Swain	N. Carolina
William, Durfey	Ditto
Exchange, Troop	Cape Francois
August 23.	
Schooner Santa Catharine, Andrew	St. Augustine
Mary, Costa	Ditto
Betsey, Sowles	Georgia
Sloop Betsey, Hill	St Eustatia

Auction of valuable Books,

On *Tuesday & Wednesday Evenings* next will be held, by

WILLIAM PRICHARD,

At his *New Auction-Room* opposite his *Book-Store* and *Circulating Library*, in Market street, between Front and Second streets, next door but one to Lætitia-Court,

William Prichard intends laying before the Public, one of the best *Collections of useful modern Authors*, that has been exposed to sale in Philadelphia for many years, and hopes for the encouragement of his fellow citizens. The Room will be kept cool, and found to be commodious to Gentlemen in every respect.

Catalogues will be delivered at the Circulating-Library on *Tuesday Morning*, and at the time of sale.

September 8 d

Philadelphia, September 7, 1787.

To the *Electors* of the City and County of Philadelphia,

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING had the honor of holding the Office of Sheriff this two years past, which I have endeavoured to discharge according to the best of my abilities, and shall continue so to do (if continued therein) for which I humbly request your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, which shall be gratefully acknowledged by,

Gentlemen,
Your obedient, humble Servant,
Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

Lately Imported, and for sale by

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

FIRST and second quality St. Croix sugars in hogsheads, tierces and barrels; sweet oil in baskets of a superior quality; liquers, ratifia, and best double distilled lavender water in cases, Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons*, on the north side the subscribers' alley, with the wharf in front; also, a convenient three story Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the subscriber's—*And to be sold*, A House and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchase money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&stf

TO BE SOLD,

A Good Plantation, containing 51 acres, situate in Upper Darby township, Chester county, about 8 miles from Philadelphia. There are on the premises, a two story brick house with a kitchen and cellar, a barn, stable, a spring of good water near the door with a house over it, an orchard, 9 or 10 acres of good meadow with water for the same, also water in all the fields: it is a suitable place for a tradesman or storekeeper, being pleasantly situated close to a public road, leading to and from the city of Philadelphia, in a good neighbourhood and near most all places of worship. Any person purchasing the same may enter the premises and have a good title any time between this date and April next.

N. B. One half of the Crop of Hay goes with the place. Enquire of the subscriber, living two miles from the above place.

Sept 7 LAWRENCE HOWARD.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise on commission, disposed of at private sale. *Sept. 8.*

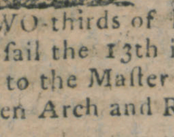
Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.



For Curacoa,

The Sloop DOLPHIN,
GASPER FOULK, Master;

TWO-thirds of her cargo is already engaged; will sail the 13th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Smith's wharf, between Arch and Race streets, or to

PETER BORGER,

Who has removed to Water street, between Arch and Race streets, where he has for sale, imported in the last vessels—Green coffee, bohea tea, rice, nutmegs, cassia, lampblack, crucibles of different kinds, coffee mills, claret in cases, chintz and calicoes, 8, 9 and 10 quarter best Flanders bedtick, Russia duck, superfine and coarse cloths, woolens, boulting cloths, looking glasses, plough share moulds Sept 7

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On the last *Tuesday* in April next, at Lewis-Town, in the county of Sussex, in the Delaware state,

A Very fine Tract of Land, situate in Baltimore hundred, in the county and state aforesaid, containing about 3000 acres, remarkably well timbered, and of a rich and fertile soil, abounding particularly in white oak, suitable for ship-building. It lies within two or three miles of two good saw mills and a grist mill, and is at the distance of one mile from a landing. It will be sold in parcels of one, two, or three hundred acres, as may best suit the purchaser. The terms of payment will be made easy. Any person inclining to purchase at private sale before the above day, or to view the premises, may apply to Mr. *George Mitchell*, at Daggsbury, in the said county of Sussex.

Martha Dagworthy, Executrix.
Lambert Cadwalader, } Executors.
George Mitchell, }

September 6 1aw3m

Daniel Tyson

Is now Opening for Sale a general Assortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable for the approaching season,

In Third street, near Arch street, and opposite the Bunch of Grapes Inn.——Consisting of

STRIPED and Rose Blankets, swanskins, flannels, coatings and baizes, ermines, lambskins and broadcloths. Also a handsome assortment of superfine cloths, double milled drabcloths from 13*s* to 45*s* per yard, druggets, duroys, corduroys, velverets and thicksets, worsted hose, leather gloves and mits, calicoes, chintzes, muslins, cambrics and lawns, sewing silks, linen and silk handkerchiefs, Britannias, hessians, platillas and checks, diapers and drillings, tickings, German sheetings, ribbons and scarf twist, Barcelona handkerchiefs, persians and sarsnets, Marseilles quiltings, mantuas and sattins, felt hats, beaver and castor hats laced and plain, camblets, calimancoes, shalloons, durants, and cutlery.

Also, a quantity of excellent *GENEVA* in cases, and a very extensive assortment of excellent *BOULTING CLOTHS*. 4t2aw

CAME to the Plantation of the subscriber, in Sadbury township, Chester county, on the ninth of June, 1787, two *stray Creatures*; the one a bright Bay Horse about 14 hands high, a natural trotter; the other a Grey Mare about 13 hands high, trots and paces. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be sold to pay the same on the first of October next. Aug 31 3sf

THOMAS SCOTT.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

LAST night the house of the subscriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A silver coffee pot, a silver tea pot, a silver cream pot marked E K. in a cyher, 5 table spoons, a soup spoon and 7 teaspoons all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table spoon marked P. R. K. three teaspoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of sugar tongs, a large silver waiter, a small silver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a silver pint Can, a silver porrenger, three silver tops taken from castors, a silver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by

REBECCA KEARNY.

Philadelphia, *September 2* 2w3taw

Five Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the subscriber, living in Sussex county, Delaware state, about the 26th of May last a Negro MAN, named *Wame*; 30 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, yellow complexion, his right leg shortest, so as to make him limp in his walk, by trade a shoemaker: he took with him one brown cloth coat, one light coloured sagathy ditto, one pair fustian trowsers, one pair striped calico ditto, one calico jacket, one yellow worsted ditto, one large cocked hat, and sundry other cloaths not recollected. He is supposed to be now in Salem, New-Jersey. Whoever takes up and secures the above Runaway, so that his master may have him again, shall be entitled to the above reward, and if brought home all reasonable charges paid, by JOHN ROBINSON.

Prime-Hook, Sussex county, Sept 4 w&s2w

Six Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber last night, an indented Irish servant MAN, named Charles Newell, about 19 years of age, a stout, clumsy fellow, five feet seven or eight inches high, swarthy complexion, short dark brown hair; had on a blue coat and vest, with white metal buttons, olive coloured fustian breeches, knit brown thread stockings, and a pair of new shoes and brass buckles. He carried off with him four shirts, two of which were new, of strong country made linen, one spotted velveret vest with linen backs, two pair trowsers, one old the other new, of striped blue and white cotton. He arrived in the ship William and George, Capt. Strawbridge, from Londonderry about 4 weeks ago. Whoever takes up the said servant, and delivers him to me, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges.

CHARLES RISK.

Philadelphia, August 12. 3spootf

VERSES

Left at the White Lion, CALAIS, supposed to be written by Mrs. PIOZZI.

OVER mountains, rivers, vallies,
Here are we return'd to Calais,
After all their taunts and malice,
Entering safe the gates of Calais,
While confin'd, our captain dallies,
Waiting for a wind at Calais,
Wand'ring muse prepare some sallies,
To divert the hours at Calais,
Turkish ships, Venetian gallies,
Have we seen since last at Calais;
But though Hogarth, rogue who rallies,
Ridicules the French at Calais,
We who've walk'd o'er many a palace,
Well content return to Calais;
For striking honestly the tallies,
There's little choice 'twixt them and Calais.

Its Companion, at the Ship Inn, DOVER, apparently by the same hand.

HE whom fair winds have wafted over,
First hails his native land at Dover,
And doubts not but he shall discover
Pleasure in every path round Dover;
Envies the happy crowns that hover
About old Shakespear's Cliff at Dover,
Nor once reflects that each young rover
Feels just the same, return'd to Dover;
Hoping, though poor, to live in clover,
Once safely pass'd the Straits of Dover:
But he alone his country's lover,
Who absent long, comes home to Dover,
And can, by fair experience, prove her
The best he has seen since last at Dover.

A Chaplain of King James I. preaching before the court at Whitehall, made use of the following quibbles in his discourse——Speaking of the depravity of the age, almost all houses were ale houses; that men made matrimony a matter of money, and placed their paradise in a pair of dice——Was it so in the days of Noah? Ah, no,

To be Sold,

At the City Auction Store,

On Tuesday next, September 11th, at 10 o'clock in the Morning, A

Quantity of Plate,

Consisting of cans, a tankard, candle cup and several other articles of plate——looking glasses, ribbons, pound pins, 100 000 needles, cottons, handkerchiefs, muslins, linens, cotton stockings, and a general assortment of Merchandise, as usual,

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

September 8.

THE Partnership of FRIES and CHANCELLOR being this day dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having demands against the said partnership are desired to bring their accounts either to John Fries, the south west corner of Market and Third streets, or to William Chancellor, at the store formerly occupied by Fries and Chancellor, where they will be paid; and all those indebted to them six months are desired to make immediate payment to either place, as above directed.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1787, 3teo

TO BE SOLD,

THE noted TAVERN in Walnut street, near Front street known by the name of the *George* and *Dragon*. Enquire of

w&stf Sept 5 JOSEPH PRICE.

This Day is Published, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market street—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.

By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.

That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains shall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The seas shall waste, the skies in smoke decay,
Rocks fall to dust and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his saving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever lasts, thy own Messiah reigns.
Pope.

The subject of the above piece, having been much canvassed of late, both in Europe and America, the the curiosity of the Public, and especially of such gentlemen of the city who are pleased with the discovery of Truth, may be excited to the perusal of the sentiments and reasoning of a fellow citizen, upon so momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Also, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;

And the BUDDS OF BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Augustus Chatterton*, esq. mws4w

Just PUBLISHED, *Sold by*

Thomas Dobson,

In Second street, between Chesnut and Market streets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne's* FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, small pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handsomely bound and lettered, *Price* 3/9

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and sciences, vol. 1st, large 4to. with six copperplates *Price* 25*s*.

2. The beauties of history, or pictures of virtue and vice drawn from real life; designed, and admirably calculated for the instruction and entertainment of youth, 2 vols. 15*s*.

3. Dr. Beattie's poems, beautifully printed on superfine writing paper—*Price only* 2/6

4. Fordyce's sermons to young ladies, a new edition, 2 vols. in 1—*Price only* 6*s*.

5. The adventures of Alphonso after the destruction of Lisbon, from the Portuguese, 1/6.

6. Smith's elegiac sonnets, 1*s*.

7. Dr. Beattie's evidences of the christian religion 3*s*.

8. The art of speaking; containing an essay on the art of speaking, and select lessons in prose and verse, calculated for the use of schools or private perusal—*Price* 6*s*.

9. Scott's lessons in elocution, or a selection of pieces in prose and verse, for the improvement of youth in reading and speaking, as well as for the perusal of persons of taste, 6*s*.

The distinguished preference which this book has obtained, both as a collection for schools, and a valuable book for private improvement, is a sufficient testimony of its superior merit. This fourth edition, now presented to the Public, is still farther improved; the compiler having brought it to its present improved state, has determined to let it remain so, to prevent the inconveniencies of too frequent variations.

N. B. A few copies of the third edition are still on hand, for the use of those schools where it is introduced.

10 Scott's introduction to reading and spelling; a new edition, very much improved, 2/6. w&stf

Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,

New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their STORES in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

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FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks. Sennica. ſnake root in hhds. &c. &c.

Benjamin Maſon

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-ſtreet,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſoal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail cloth
Alſo, mahogany fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of beſt

Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.

Auguſt 22. eptf

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

in Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale

FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes
Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New England ſoal leather. d Sept 5

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh

linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in caſes,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and Neſbitt.

September 5 d

A few beautiful Dining Setts of

Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Cheſts—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Juſt imported from India, to be ſold reaſonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

Wanted to Purchaſe,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennſylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Higheſt Price will be given.

Country People and others may be ſupplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Depoſits, and negociated ſo as to accommodate People with the Kind that may beſt ſuit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Cheſnut ſtreet, near the BANK.

Patrick Duffey,

BROKER,

Reſpectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Cheſnut ſtreet, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL.

Certificates for the Land-Office,

With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;

Dollar Money,

STATE MONEY of the Emiſſion of 1781, &c. &c.

And has alſo provided himſelf with

STORES

To receive Merchandize, which he will ſell for thoſe who pleaſe to employ him, to the beſt advantage, at a moderate Commiſſion, and will endeavour to the beſt of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himſelf that an Attention to the Intereſt of thoſe for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him ſome Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,

On approved Security, and the greateſt Secrecy and Delicaſy obſerved in the Negociation of any Buſineſs committed to his Charge. Auguſt 7 w&ſtf

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Samuel Green

Begs leave to acquaint the public in general and his friends in particular, that he has for ſale at his Bottling Store, in Cheſnut ſtreet, two doors above the Poſt-Office,

FINE bottled porter, beer, cyder, claret, red port, and excellent wine bitters, in quart and pint bottles. He has likewiſe a freſh aſſortment of olives, capers, fine white wine and pickling vinegar, brandy, ſpirits and rum, by the barrel, gallon and quart; likewiſe a quantity of the beſt Engliſh corks; all of which articles he is determined to ſell cheap.

Merchants and others, who have wines, beer, &c. to bottle, may depend upon having them done on the loweſt terms, and at the ſhorteſt notice, as the ſubſcriber not only keeps a ſufficient number of hands, but always attends himſelf, and being regularly brought up to the buſineſs, flatters himſelf he can give every ſatiſfaction.

A boy about 12 or 14 years of age wanted to the above buſineſs.

N. B. Empty bottles bought and ſold. fwf

The SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has Opened a

Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

In Front ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, two doors from Cheſnut ſtreet, on the Bank ſide.

Where he intends to carry on buſineſs in that line in the moſt regular manner in its various branches, and means to ſell on as reaſonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Ladies and Gentlemen who would be ſo kind as to favour him with their cuſtom, by leaving their meaſure may depend on having their work done in the neateſt and beſt Manner, and according to their directions, with quick diſpatch.

And for the conveniency of thoſe who want to buy ready made work, there is a good aſſortment of different qualities. ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR.

N. B. Thoſe who favour him with orders from the country, may depend on being ſerved at ſaid Manufactory on reaſonable terms, with the utmoſt punctuality. All Goods bought at ſaid Manufactory repaired on reaſonable terms. Auguſt 7 w&ſtf

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TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, conſiſting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling houſe 50 feet front, with a ſtone ſpring houſe, coach houſe, ſtables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the eſtate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, eſq; deceaſed, known by the name of *Cler Mont.* Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market ſtreet, near Fourth ſtreet, who will at any time ſhew the premiſes, and alſo give a more particular deſcription of them. July 30 eotf

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BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for ſometime paſt kept the Inn in Black Horſe Alley; is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third ſtreet. He begs leave to ſolicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and aſſures thoſe gentlemen who formerly frequented that houſe and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themſelves and horſes, ſhall be furniſhed in the beſt and moſt careful manner, and on the moſt reaſonable terms. 3tawtf.

TO BE SOLD, A

Handſome Grey Horſe

5 years old, about 15 hands and a half high, fit for a carriage or ſaddle: Alſo, a new CHAISE made of the beſt materials. They may be ſeen at ISRAEL ISRAEL's ſtable, in Cheſnut ſtreet Aug. 9. 3tw4w

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WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, ſurviving Partner of *Meaſe & Caldwell*, has made an aſſignment of his own, as well as all the eſtates, both real and perſonal, of the ſaid Partnerſhip, to *Robert Millegan*, eſq; attorney at law, and the ſubſcriber, for the uſe of their creditors —— All perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are deſired to ſettle their reſpective balances on or before the 1ſt of October next, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced againſt them without further notice: alſo, thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Partnerſhip, are requeſted to furniſh their accounts to the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Aſſignee to *Meaſe & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787. 3tawt1O

Iſaac Hazlehurſt & Co.

(In Water-ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets)

HAVE for SALE

The Following

GOODS;

Moſt of which have been imported in the lateſt veſſels from the different and moſt advantageous ports of exportation for the reſpective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in caſes of ſuperior quality } all genuine and good of their kind.
Ditto 2d ditto
Ditto inferior do
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyſon, Green, Souchng, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per ſheet
Ditto fit for ſheathing a veſſel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and braſs wire of different ſizes
Braſs kettles in neſts, Engliſh and Dutch
Briſtol window glaſs 8 by 10
A ſmall aſſortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan Houſe, at Halle in Saxony
German ſchool books of different ſorts
Ditto glaſs tumblers aſſort.
German looking glaſſes of various ſizes
Turemberg toys for children
Beſt Dutch rappee & Weſton's ſnuff
Table ſetts of china and china plates
Boxes of Engliſh glaſs ware aſſorted fit for country ſtores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German ſteel
German ſcythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetſtones
Frying pans
Shovels and ſpades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and ſhort
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glaſs pint canniſters with ſcrews
Engliſh and French ſail cloth
Pit ſaws of different ſizes
A new copper ſtill, head and neck, fit for a ſtill of 8 or 900 gallons, will be ſold cheap
A ſhip's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca ſnake root
Womens London ſhoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general aſſortment of

EUROPEAN GOODS,

In their original packages, and opened as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers; they are well adapted to the ſeaſon, and will be ſold on low terms for caſh, or at the cuſtomary credit.

They have alſo for ſale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to diſpoſe of on the loweſt terms for caſh:

Nail rods of different ſizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and ſheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and ſpades
Phæton and chair tire

They have alſo on hand a quantity of large ſap pine Scantling, which they will ſell at a reaſonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. Auguſt 18. ſ&w tf

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Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnerſhip of *Footman & Shippen* being this day diſſolved: all perſons indebted to them are earneſtly requeſted to make immediate payment.

The remaining Stock on

Hand of ſaid Partnerſhip, conſiſting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be diſpoſed of on advantageous terms, for Caſh, Paper Money of the laſt Emiſſion, or upon a ſhort Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the firſt quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8-4 bath coatings
Fine forreſt cloths
Blue and drab linſies
Striped cotton linſies and German ſtripes
Emboſſed ſerges
Plain and ſpotted ſwanſkins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kerſies and fearnoughts
Printed linſies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Caſtor and beaver hats
Superfine caſſimers
Mens and womens worſted hoſe
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens ſpotted hoſe
Mens white and brown thread hoſe
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demaſcus and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton ſhawls
Fringed ſilk handkerchiefs
A large aſſortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarſe catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, ſpotted & ſtriped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and foufflee gauzes
Black taffity and perſians
Blue and roſe coloured ſarſnets
White and pink ſattins
Rich black armozeens
White and puſe coloured mantuas
Marſeilles quilting
Ruſſia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton ſtripes
Womens black ſilk velvet
Long pile mohair pluſhes
A Variety of Stuffs, viz.
Dorſettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, moſt colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, ſhalloons & rattinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thickſetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonſopretties, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White ſtitching threads
Worſted mitts
Womens black ſilk gloves
Coloured fans
Chineſe ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twiſt
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glaſſes
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread baſkets
Japanned bottle ſtands
Womens ticking ſtays
Elegant perſian carpets
Hoſes ſhoes
Cutlery and Hardware, viz.
Steel and plated ſpurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Sciſſars and ſheats
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and piſtol capt knives
Childrens plain & ſpotted knives
Silver and braſs links
Corkſcrews, ſpectacles, combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
T hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candleſticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the caſk
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 ſ&w 3m

THE Creditors to the eſtate of Lewis Taylor, are requeſted to call on ARTHUR COLLINS, the ſecond week in September, to receive their third dividend. Auguſt 27. eo6t

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William Caldwell & Co.

At their ſtore, the ſouth ſide of Market-ſtreet wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.

Have juſt Opened a Large Aſſortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Conſiſting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Aſſortment of the beſt Goods of every kind, ſuitable for country ſtorekeepers, as well as for private families, and to ſell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4, 1787. mwſ 1m

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *Houſe, Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water ſtreet between Arch and Race ſtreets. Enquire of John Thompſon, merchant, in Front ſtreet. 3taw3w

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To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a houſe in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Cheſnut ſtreets, or for a good veſſel,

Two new well-finiſhed Brick Houſes;

Situate on Eleventh and Locuſt ſtreets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingſton.

eotm Auguſt 17

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. Auguſt 25 d

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TO BE LET,

A Commodious three ſtory Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market ſtreet, between Front and Second ſtreets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

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Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

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A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan,
John Barclay, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.
John Miller,

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

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TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill, in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. eptf

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Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22. eptf

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;

On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——— —Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiſer.

[Price Four-Pence.] MONDAY, September 10, 1787. [No. 2682.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 10th Inſtant—At the
Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,
Preciſely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of an
Aſſortment of Merchandize;
Among which are,
An elegant aſſortment of needle worked and plain
Lawns, Gauzes, &c.
An elegant ſuit of CURTAINS; and on *Monday next* a good CART with Geers for two horſes.
The ſtated days of ſale are *Mondays* and *Fridays.*
Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture,
and other out door Goods, will be received and ſold every *Monday Morning,* and no other time. *Sept.* 10.
C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General
Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.
The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays*
Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 10 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

To be Sold,

At the City Auction Store,
TO-MORROW, September 11th, at 10 o'clock in the Morning, A
Quantity of Plate,
Conſiſting of cans, a tankard, candle cup and ſeveral other articles of plate——looking glaſſes, ribbons, pound pins, 100,000 needles, cottons, handkerchiefs, muſlins, linens, cotton ſtockings, and a general aſſortment of Merchandiſe, as uſual,
Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.
September 10.

Auction of valuable Books,

To Morrow and *Wedneſday Evenings,* will be held, by
WILLIAM PRICHARD,
At his *New Auction Room* oppoſite his *Book Store* and *Circulating Library,* in Market ſtreet, between Front and Second ſtreets, next door but one to Lætitia-Court,

William Prichard intends laying before the Public, one of the beſt *Collections of uſeful modern Authors* that has been expoſed to ſale in Philadelphia for many years, and hopes for the encouragement of his fellow citizens. The Room will be kept cool, and found to be commodious to Gentlemen in every reſpect.

Catalogues will be delivered at the Circulating-Library on *Tueſday Morning,* and at the time of ſale.
September 10 d

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Eſtate.

At the Old Coffee-Houſe, on Friday the 21ſt day of the preſent month, at 7 o'clock in the evening,
Will be Sold to the higheſt Bidder,

THE Life Eſtate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt, in the following Property:

An undivided fourth part of 243 acres of improved Land in Charleſton townſhip, Cheſter county, now in the tenure of Thomas Robinſon, and rented at 25*l.* per annum

An undivided fourth part of 400 acres of improved Land at Tohickon, in Bucks county, now rented at 20*l.* per annum.

One half of a Ground Rent of 56*ſ.* per annum, iſſuing out of a lot in Arch-ſtreet, near Fifth-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, payable by ——— Parker.

One half of a Ground Rent of 50*ſ.* per annum, iſſuing out of a lot in Fifth-ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet.

One half of 397 acres of Woodland lying near the Blue Mountains, in Northampton county.

One half of 150 acres of unimproved Land in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, now rented to colonel Parke for the payment of the annual taxes.

One half of 4300 acres of unimproved pine Land in Salem county, New-Jerſey.

One half of a ſhare in a propriety of Weſt Jerſey; alſo, a ſhare in the Library Company of Philadelphia, belonging to the eſtate of the ſaid Bankrupt.

Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Aſſignee
Of the eſtate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid Bankrupt, are required to make immediate to the ſubſcriber.
September 7, 1787. R. R. 2aw

Public ſale of Bankrupt's real Eſtate,

At the Old Coffee-Houſe,
On TUESDAY the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, a Valuable
Tract of Land,

SITUATE in Wheatfield townſhip, in the valley of Ligonier, and county of Weſtmoreland, containing 405 acres and 5-8ths, with allowance. This land was warranted and ſurveyed in the year 1786, for Claudius Paul Raguet, and is now ſold as property belonging to his eſtate. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered to the purchaſer free from any expence. Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Aſſignee of the eſtate of Claudius Paul Raguet, A Bankrupt.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid bankrupt, are deſired to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, who will be under the neceſſity of commencing ſuits, in a ſhort time, againſt all delinquents.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 30, 1787. R. R. 2aw

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the Southwark Auction-Store,
Will commence the ſale of a Large and Freſh
Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.
JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.
N. B. All kinds of Merchandiſe on commiſſion, diſpoſed of at private ſale. *Sept.* 10.

A QUANTITY OF
Well aſſorted SHOT,
TO BE SOLD BY
Leonard Dorſey,
At the corner of Third and Arch ſtreets.
Auguſt 29. 3ſp1aw2w.

Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the laſt importation from the Eaſt-Indies,
To be Sold by Charles Wharton,
At his Store near the Drawbridge,
Who has alſo for ſale, a large aſſortment of
Figured and Plain MUSLINS
By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Liſbon Wine in quarter caſks, Weſt-India Rum, Muſcovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c. 2aw5w

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Mordecai Lewis and Co.

HAVE FOR SALE,
HYSON and ſouchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spaniſh brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spaniſh brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of ſaltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
Engliſh and Swediſh ſteel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware aſſorted in packages
Tin ware in hogſheads
Grindſtones
A parcel of gold and ſilver watches
Ruſſia matts and oacum
Ditto ſailcloth
Haircloth for malſters
A quantity of feathers
And a very large Aſſortment of DRY GOODS.
Auguſt 29 2aw6w

For Charleſton,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,
William Jones, Maſter;
To ſail the 15th inſtant. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Clifford's wharf, or
James & Shoemaker;
Who have for ſale, rice, tobacco, indigo and ſoal leather, imported in the ſaid ſhip; alſo, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few caſks of ſnuff in bottles, 20 barrels roſin, and a ſmall invoice of Iriſh printed Goods.
9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR,*
William Brougham, Maſter;
A STOUT Britiſh ſhip, with a new Mediterranean paſs; has good accommodations for paſſengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to ſail September 25th. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Sims's wharf, near Cheſnut-ſtreet, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Iſlands,
THE BRIG
BETSEY,
Of London,
BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine veſſel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to
Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS.

FOR SALE,
The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to
July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,
A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co.
A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-ſtreet—Who have for Sale,
A few Hogſheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,
George Roach, Maſter;
ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to
HAYNES & CRAWFORD,
Who are landing out of ſaid ſhip, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will ſell on reaſonable terms.

For Amſterdam,

(Will ſail in the courſe of next week)
The Dutch Ship COLUMBIA,
C. Vulpius, Maſter;
For freight apply to JACOB GERARD KOCH,
Who is now landing from on board ſaid ſhip, laying at Meſſrs. *Turnbull, Marmie & Co's* wharf—Beſt *HOLLAND GIN* in pipes. Sept 6 3ſp

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For Charter,

The Brig NANCY *and* FANNY,
(Burthen about 90 tons)
NOW lying at Dawes's wharf. For terms apply to JOHN FRY, of Third, between Market and Arch ſtreets.
Sept 5 3ſp

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White
CHINA,
Congo Tea in Cheſts—And a Quantity of
CASSIA,
Juſt imported from India, to be ſold reaſonably by
Pickering & Hodgdon,
Sept 5 d

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by
BERTIER & Co.
Alſo *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in caſes—and
A Variety of Dry Goods.

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his ſtore in Water-ſtreet, below Market-ſtreet,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, ſilks and ſilk ſtockings, fans, fine and ſecond cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an aſſortement of looking glaſſes framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Laſt Importation from Marſeilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old ſherry wine in quarter caſks, muſcat wine of a ſuperior quality in hogſheads, ſoft and hard ſhell almonds, ratafia in boxes, ſugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniſeed, liquorice ball, an aſſortment of grind ſtones. Likewiſe, Eſſences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of Lacaze and Mallet are deſired to make payment to ſaid James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the aſſignees of ſaid houſe, to ſue for the ſame. Auguſt 30. 2awtf

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James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-ſtreet,
HAVE FOR SALE
A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;
ALSO,
BOurdeaux Claret, of the firſt quality, in caſes
Port wine
Weſt India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron ſhovels, ditto
Pork Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few caſks of rice
Salmon
Lynn ſhoes
Boſton iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Braſs kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

Duncan Ingraham, junr.

HAS FOR SALE,
LOW-PRICED German calicoes
Table linen of all ſizes
Napkin diapers
Clouting ditto
Corduroys
Table knives and forks
Hammer Cutteaus
Deſk and drawer locks
HL hinges
A variety of blank books
Window glaſs 7 by 9 and 8 by 10
Sheathing and drawing nails
Scupper ditto
6d ſharps ditto
2s flat point ditto
3, 3 1-4, 3 1-2, and 3 3-4 inch cordage
White and tarred ſpunyarn
Marline and houſline
Holland geneva of a ſuperior quality in caſes
Genuine Madeira wine of London particular and London market qualities, in butts, pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks
Muſquets
Soll brimſtone in caſks
Rotten ſtone in ditto
Liſbon ſalt, &c. &c. Auguſt 27 eodtf

James Newport,

At his Diſtillery-Store, in Front-ſtreet (weſt ſide) ſix Doors above Arch-ſtreet,
Has by Wholeſale and Retail, of very beſt Quality, at the loweſt Rates,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Teneriffe } Wines	Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Jamaica Spirits	Cinnamon Water
Weſt India Rum	Anniſeed ditto
Philadelphia & New England Rum	Clove ditto
Plain Brandy	Orange ditto
Raſberry ditto	Pepper-mint ditto
Cherry ditto	All-Fours
Gin in caſks and caſes	Spirits of Wine

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.
N. B. Good Allowance is made to thoſe who buy to ſell again. Aug. 18. 2awtf

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TO BE SOLD BY
John Telles and Co.

In Water-ſtreet, a little below the Drawbridge,
The Cargo of the Brig St. John
Baptiſt, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal:
Conſiſting of
Port and Fayal Wines,
Four years old, in pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks:
ALSO,
A large Aſſortment of India Silks, viz.
Sattins
Silk ſerges
Slain and ſtriped luteſtrings
Seelongs
Saduaſoys and ſpotted ſilks
} of various colours
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, ſome barrels beſt gunpowder, and a few hogſheads of New-England Rum. 2aw

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Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;
No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,
Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in caſes,
TO BE SOLD BY
Stewart and *Neſbitt.*
September 5 d

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

In Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale
FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes
Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England ſoal leather d Sept 5

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,
At their ſtore on Meaſe's wharf, the ſecond below the Drawbridge,
Pennſylvania refined Barr Iron,
Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughſhare moulds with and without bars
Engliſh, German, and American ſteel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate
Small ditto
Franklin and
Rittenhouſe
} *STOVES*
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other caſtings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, ſugar, coffee, &c. Auguſt 29. eotm

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt. Power, from Lisbon, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF
Salt, Wine and Lemons,
FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,
PORT WINE,
In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,
LONDON PARTICULAR
Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of beſt
Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.
Auguſt 22. eptf

Benjamin Maſon

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-ſtreet,
MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſoal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail-cloth
Alſo, mahogany, fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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FOR SALE BY
Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,
ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks, Senneca, ſnake root in hhds. &c. &c.

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,
MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon dtf

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Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut-ſtreet wharf,
A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,
New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.
They have alſo for Sale or Charter,
A very fine SLOOP,
That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

A few REAMS of excellent
HATTERS PAPER,
For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Foreign Intelligence.

LONDON-DERRY, June 19.

A Number of vessels now lying at our quay, are prevented from discharging their cargoes by the new law called the Manifest Act.

It is said, that a general exchange, or removal of all revenue officers thro' the kingdom will take place in a short time, and that this kind of removal will hereafter be annual. A court writer ascribes this new measure to the wisdom of Mr. Beresford, who, he says, 'seldom thinks of any matter that is not attended with very salutary effects!'

BELFAST, June 12.

As an instance of the rising spirit of manufacture in this county, we find that Mr. James Wallace of Lisburn has opened a muslin manufacture, having taken into partnership a person well versed in the business, from Scotland. Fifty looms are already at work.

DUBLIN, June 14.

The earl of Bristol is not more remarkable for his liberality and public spirit, than for the gentlest virtues of private life, and with a mind active and unwearied for the general benefit. The wants and distresses of the most retired individual, are not unnoticed or unrelieved. His residence at Downhill, and the immense sums he has expended there, and is now expending in building another magnificent palace at Balaghy, have contributed to improve and enrish all the country around him. His acts of private bounty are not less noble than they are numerous. An instance of his lordship's benevolence to the widow of a clergyman in his diocese, we are happy in being able to communicate. The husband of this unfortunate lady was possessed of a living in the co. Tyrone, and some time in May last died suddenly, leaving a widow and eight children totally unprovided for. His lordship on receiving intelligence of the event, although he had not any particular acquaintance with her or her late husband, determined to forward her claims for some provision from the fund established by the clergy of his diocese, for such purposes; and on the day of his being informed of her husband's death, remitted her 100 guineas from his private purse, as a present relief.

A cut of communication from the Grand Canal to the navigable part of the river Boyne, we hear, is in contemplation, and will be set about before the end of the present summer.

LONDON, June 30.

On the 4th of June, in lat. 45. N. long. 46. 59, W. captain Fayrer, of the Mossey Hill, arrived at Liverpool, was surprised by the man at the helm calling out, Land! when, on his coming on deck, he perceived, to his utter astonishment, the vessel to be within (as he supposed) 200 yards of a tremendous rock, or island of ice, which appeared to be three times higher than the ship's top gallant mast heads, the circumference as much as the ground on which the town of Liverpool stands, was grounded in 35 fathoms, and had the most rude, horrid and terrifying appearance possible to be conceived, it seemed to overhang the vessel, threatning to overwhelm her; the terrors of which were considerably heightened by huge massy fragments loosening from its top, which falling down, and striking against its craggy sides, raised such a smoke as ascended in columns magnificently grand and awful. On the next morning he fell in with another island of ice, but not so great in magnitude as the former, it being not more than one third its size: its appearance far different; the top and sides being formed into beautiful plains and slopes, and the sun beams playing on it, gave it the appearance of polished silver; and which being discovered at such a distance as to create no suspicions of danger, was viewed with great pleasure by the ship's company.

Extract of a letter from Algiers May 6.

'They had stipulated with Don Juan Thomas, commissary of the court of Naples, a truce of two months; but after having thus agreed, they shut their port, and notified to him that his truce respected vessels of war and not merchant ships. As soon as Don Juan Thomas learned this evasion, he waited on the dey, and testified his surprise at this breach of word and engagements already entered into by formal writings. The dey answered that the copyist of the writing had inserted more than he was ordered; that the interests of government must direct his conduct; and to them he must conform. Don Juan Thomas, finding no arguments avail to make the dey allow the injustice of his proceedings, requested leave to send a Spanish vessel with the intelligence to his court of the alteration of the terms of his engagement; but this was refused, 'because it was contrary to custom to permit any strange vessel to depart, when the port was shut, until one of their corsairs returned with a prize.' A Neapolitan prize entered a few days after.'

Preparations are making at Windsor Castle for the reception of some distinguished personages who are expected in England from the Continent, on a visit to their majesties. The duke of York, with his retinue, is of course to be included in the number.

Advices from Dresden say, that all the frontier towns belonging to the electorate of Saxony are ordered to be reinforced with troops and artillery to a considerable degree of additional strength.

It is asserted in some circles about the court, that a very considerable sum of money has been advanced here by way of loan, to his serene highness the prince of Orange. The sum is stated to amount to no less than 120,000l. sterling. This, it is said, was not advanced as a national loan from Great Britain, but as a private one out of the *Epargne*, or savings of certain electoral revenues.

Such a loan could not not be wanted by the stadtholder merely for the support of his family and houshold: his own private estates, exclusive of his civil and military employments in the republic, are more than sufficient for the maintenance of his highness's family in becoming splendor. The necessity of such a loan, therefore, must arise from the opposition made to him by the provincial states of Holland and West Friesland, which opposition the sum of 120,000l. may possibly enable him to overthrow, if judiciously employed. And indeed Great Britain ought to wish his highness may be able to withstand the attacks of the Hollanders, as they were drawn upon him principally by his unshaken attachment to this country.

The Dutch grow more and more violent in their party disputes, it pervades every branch of their civil and pleasurable society. The literary corporation of Haerlem have been at loggerheads, and the battle of the books has been realized, to the injury of much fine binding, and the destruction of many curious editions.

Advices from Dantzick say, that the magistracy of that city have determined to lay a new duty of 5 per cent. on all foreign goods imported there.

Letters from Stockholm say, that several Swedish ships of war are now fitting out at Carlescroon and other ports of that kingdom.

July 2.

The insolence of the Algerines has arisen to so great a pitch, that the dey, or sovereign of that petty state, makes no scruple of treating the representatives of the crowned heads of Europe with the most supercilious contempt and indignity. This behaviour was manifested in a late application concerning a treaty between that Barbarian and his Neapolitan majesty, whose ambassador, having only demanded a strict compliance with the terms stipulated between the two powers, was treated with the grossest insults, and told in the plainest language that they would fulfil their engagements no farther than correspondent with their own interests. What a shame! that the Europeans should suffer that paltry, insignificant state to levy indiscriminate contributions on their commerce! and this too with a petiful navy, consisting of seven or eight ships, the largest not carrying more than 40 guns!

Extract of a letter from Amsterdam, June 18.

'We are still in the utmost confusion; the patriots are determined to destroy the power of the stadtholder, and the prince wishes not tamely to give up his hereditary rights; and every man suspects his neighbour; trade is at a stand, and the whole country must soon be ruined, if a period is not put to these disturbances; whoever speaks respectfully of the stadtholder is in danger of being massacred; a few days since a gentleman was buffeted, spit upon, and afterwards put in prison by the mob, only for happening to have an orange ribbon in his cane. The minds of the people on both sides of the question are now so much inflamed, that the clubs and societies which heretofore met for convivial purposes, find it impossible to sit peaceably together, from the prevailing differences on political subjects. France seems to be at the bottom of this business, and the heads of the patriots are certainly supported by that artful and intriguing nation.'

AMERICA.

SHELBURNE, August 23.

Letters from Jamaica, inform us, that the herring caught and cured at the Tuskets, in this county, were so much approved of in Jamaica, that they sold for four dollars and a half a barrel, by the cargo, when the very best mackarel sold but for four dollars.

On Tuesday also arrived the schooner Lady Dorchester, captain James, from Quebec. By her we have papers to the 19th ult. but they contain nothing new. Captain James, in coming down the river St. Lawrence, fell in off the Isle de Coudre with the fleet from Halifax, under commodore Sawyer. The Pegasus, with his royal highness prince William Henry, was not with the fleet, but captain James imagines he saw her off Gaspee, going up the river.

WORCESTER, August 30.

Besides the accounts published in this Magazine, of the effects of the late tremenduous whirlwinds, we have received the several others, which, except the following, for want of room, must be omitted until next week.

'The remarkable storm on Wednesday the 15th instant, among other instances, had considerable effect in several parts of the town of Oakham, by several veins in the manner of a whirlwind, tearing up and throwing down trees, fences and corn, damaging buildings, &c. The house of James Hasset, in the southerly part of this town, was wholly uncaped, and the body much shattered. Mr. Hasset himself, his wife and two children, were all considerably bruised and wounded by the hurling of timber, &c. but their lives remarkably spared, and they are in a hopeful way of recovery; his barn, about 30 or 40 feet, though nearly full of hay and grain, was wholly shivered to pieces, not one stick standing; also his corn house in the same manner; one large iron bar about six feet, and two other bars of iron about four feet in length, were carried ten rods: boards, shingles, timber, &c. scattered in pieces of all sizes for near two miles easterly. 'Is not a tribute of praise, for continual preserving mercy, due to him who has not only his way in the great deep, but also in the mighty wind?'

ALBANY, August 30.

In the storm on Tuesday, the 21st instant, at New Scotland, the lightning struck the barn of Mr. Henry Albrough, and entirely consumed the same, with two adjoining barracks. They contained 5000 sheaves of wheat and near 100 loads of hay; of which 350 sheaves of wheat only were saved from the devouring flames.

POUGHKEEPSIE, August 22.

We are informed that in the thunder squall we had from the north west last Wednesday evening, the wind blew so violent in Connecticut, not far from the borders of this state, that several houses, barns, fences and trees were blown down. In one house three men were killed, by its falling on them.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 5.

We are sorry to observe, that during the manoeuvres of the militia yesterday afternoon, as one of the artillery was driving home the charge, the gun went off, and tore his arm from his body; and a negro servant, belonging to Messrs. Robert and Peter Bruce, was shot through the body with a ram rod; it went in at his right shoulder, and came out at his left side: they both lay in a most deplorable condition, and it is not expected that either will live.

Extract of a letter from Rutland, Massachusetts, August 27.

'As no particular account of the ravages of the late violent tornado has yet appeared, it may not be unpleasing to communicate to those who cannot see the awful vestiges of its ruins, and who would wish to smypathise with the unfortunate, the distress which it occasioned a captain Bent of this town. This narrow column of air, not more perhaps than the 5th of a mile in width, came in a south westerly direction, through a lot of deep rooted white oak trees, and cleared a wide passage for itself, twisting the sturdiest of the trees from their roots, and scattering them in every direction. From thence it passed through a field of corn, back of his house, and destroyed nearly half of it. Seemingly collecting new fury, it continued its course down the side hill, just struck a corner of his house, and played its terrible artillery upon the barn and orchard. The barn, filled with hay, was lifted into the air, several large heavy timbers thrown a considerable distance, and four or five tons of hay lost; a blacksmith's shop and part of a shed carried off entirely; near 200 flourishing apple trees, with the greater part of the walls and fences round the house, levelled to the ground; a wide heap of rubbish now appears where once were the smiling fruits of chearful industry, and the dear earned labours of long and tedious years.'

BALTIMORE, September 4.

The public attention and conversation of this place having been, for several days past, a good deal engaged about a dispute, which happened between Mr. John Smith, jun. of this town, and Mr. Joseph Hadfield, from England; and as it terminated to the perfect satisfaction of both parties, it is proper that it should be make known.

Mr. Smith and Mr. Hadfield agreed to meet at six o'clock on Sunday morning, in a field behind the poor house, both parties met at the time appointed, and after discharging each a brace of pistols, at the distance of nine steps, (happily without accident to either) they returned to town in perfect good humour. It is necessary to add, that it had been agreed upon by the seconds, previous to the meeting, that the discharge of a brace of pistols should determine the point of honor. Both the gentlemen behaved with a cool and determined spirit.

NEW-LONDON, August 24.

Arrived the 17th instant, sloop Polly, Christopher Prince, from Savannah, (Georgia) in 14 days. Captain Prince spoke a sloop from the Musquito Shore, with upwards of 40 persons on board, bound to Georgia. The Musquito Shore being given up by the British to the Spaniards, has occasioned a precipitate evacuation. They being in want of water, Capt. Prince supplied them.

BOSTON, August 31.

Some of the insurgents express a displeasure at the election of the supreme executive magistrate; others a pleasure. Though this proves want of union and consistency among them, it proves also want of affection to a vigorous administration. The whole taken together teaches us that little good is to be expected from weakness rather than firmness—from the suspension rather than the execution of justice; that would our rulers be the terror of their enemies, the comfort of their friends, the support of government, an honor to their office, as the due unto their people, and return to private life with dignity, they must promote the public welfare, tho' they offend their constituents and lose their suffrages.

On Friday last the honorable Caleb Strong, esq; one of the delegates from this commonwealth to the Grand Convention, passed through Springfield on his return to Northampton.

By the return of the honorable Mr. Strong we learn, that the convention (after having unanimously agreed on a system for the future government of the United States) were expected to rise some time last week.

A letter from North-Carolina, dated July 30, says 'We have no intelligence particular—but the delightful prospect of as good crops as ever was known in this country.'

Died at Deptford, England, captain Archibald Mathers, aged 103, upwards of 60 years in the W. India trade.

——In Ireland, Mr. Jonas Warren, aged 107, He had practised the business of a fisherman ninety five years, in which time he had but two fits of sickness.

Sept. 1. We have the pleasure of informing the public, that on Wednesday last arrived in this town, colonel Lyman, commanding officer of the troops raised for the support of government, and the protection of the peaceable and well affected inhabitants in the western counties. The intelligence by this gentleman is extremely agreeable————Almost all the persons who have been in open opposition to the laws, have taken the oath of allegiance, and returned to the bosom of their country, in consequence of the late generous offer of pardon and indemnity. We are further assured, that a degree of good humour and tranquility subsists in those parts, so lately the scene of outrage and dissention, beyond what was generally expected—The insurgents almost universally discovering a strong disposition to enjoy the blessings of the free and happy government by which they are protected. There have been, indeed, a few, who have not yet shewn open marks of contrition, which those of better characters have been free to acknowledge—but these are of less consequence, and are every day becoming more attentive to their private concerns, and less discontended and uneasy from their political situation. The harvest has been remarkably favorable, and every circumstance seems to announce the immediate restoration and establishment of peace and good government.

Sept. 3. In addition to the many accounts which have been published in the papers of different hurricanes which happened on the 15th inst. we have the following: That in the afternoon of that day, a hurricane was perceived to advance towards a house in Dunbarton, state of New Hampshire; on discovering its approach, the owner of the house ran in and intreated all to go down cellar while it passed. The house was entirely new, and had no glass to the windows. The owner in attempting to put a board up at a window which was in the room where the family were a few moments before, was taken with the board by the hurricane, from that window and driven across the room, out at another, but without materially injuring him. The house was very considerably damaged, as was likewise a barn, which also was new, and stood in the range of the hurricane. From Dunbarton, it proceeded to New Concord, on Merrimack river, in the same state, destroying in that town, several houses, barns, fields of corn, &c. and orchards, and more or less damaging a number of others. From hence, the hurricane entered on the river, taking along with it a cyder mill house, which stood at some distance from the shore, and completely set it adrift on the water. A ferry boat passing at the same time, was taken up and carried a considerable distance, and dropped again on the river. The agitation on the water was surprisingly great. The hurricane is supposed to have passed off in the river, as no traces could be discovered of it afterwards.

The small pox is not in town. The rumour of last week must have sprung altogether from the arrival of Parson Walter—but he has brought no servant with him for the old purpose of spreading that infection.

Tuesday the 21st ult. a valuable yoke of oxen, and a cow, belonging to Mr. Thomas Page, of Marlborough, were killed by lightning.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 10.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Wednesday, September 5, 1787.

THE house met, and having appointed a committee to inform the Executive Council that they were ready to receive any communications. Adjourned till to-morrow morning at half past nine o'clock.

Thursday, September 6.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A petition was presented from 230 inhabitants of York county, stating certain grievances in the present mode of collecting debts by legal process, and praying the revival of an act passed in 1778, which empowered the county courts to appoint appraisers of goods taken in execution, at whose appraisement the creditor was obliged to receive them. The petition likewise prayed that the constables might be made elective by qualified freeholders of the respective townships, and empowered to serve process at the rates which they now receive, as well as the sheriffs officers.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition was presented from the ministers of the Scotch Presbyterian church in Philadelphia, praying that the act which is intended to discharge and annul the declaration of trust to that congregation, so far as it presumes them to be subject to any foreign jurisdiction, might be suspended until the determination of the proceedings at law, now depending in the supreme court.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from the associated congregation of Piquea and Brandewine, of a similar import, was presented, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

The committee appointed yesterday to wait on the Executive Council informed the house that they had discharged that duty; and that the council would in a short time, transmit an address to the house.

The bill for incorporating the German Reformed congregation in Oxford township, Philadelphia county, was taken up for a third reading, part of it debated by paragraphs, but afterwards upon motion postponed.

A message from the Vice-President and the Supreme Executive Council to the General Assembly:

Gentlemen,

THE secretary will lay before you a letter from the secretary for foreign affairs, of the 3d of July, inclosing extracts of sundry letters transmitted by the Hon. Mr. Adams—two letters from Charles Thomson, Esq; of the 2d and 21st of July, inclosing some returns of the state of representation in Congress—an ordinance of Congress respecting public accounts, which remain unliquidated, and a copy of the treaty of peace with the Emperor of Morocco—a report of the board of treasury of the United States—sundry resolutions of Congress; one of them recommending the repeal of all legislative acts, repugnant to the treaty of peace with Great Britain; one other relating to pensions due to officers in the late army; and a third, allowing further time for exhibiting claims against the United States—a transcript of the record of the conviction of Thomas Dyer, a justice of the peace, in Bucks county, for an assault and battery upon Joseph Thomas of the said county—a memorial from divers claimants of land, in the county of Luzerne—and a petition from Anne Downey.

In a message from this board to your honorable house in November last, we recommended the sale of the reserved tract opposite to Pittsburgh—a bill for this purpose, has been published for consideration, and ordered to be engrossed. We are of opinion it will be of advantage to the state, if this bill is enacted into a law during this session.

Council-Chamber, CHA. BIDDLE, V. P.
Philadelphia, Sept 6, 1787.

Referred to Messrs. Wynkoop, Whitehill, and Findley.

A bill for granting to George Wall, junior, the exclusive right of making and vending a certain mathematical instrument invented by him for 21 years, was read a third time, debated by paragraphs, and ordered to be engrossed.

A bill to confirm and amend the charter of incorporation of the Swedish Lutheran church of Wiacacoa, Kingsessing and Upper Merion, called Gloria Dei, Saint James, and Christ Church, was read a third time, debated by paragraphs and ordered to be engrossed.

The house adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at half past 9 o'clock.

Friday, September 7.

The house met pursuant to adjournment

A petition was presented from 62 inhabitants of Washington county, praying that Chartiers Creek might be declared a public road.

Ordered to lie on the table.

A petition from Lewis Castleman, aged 109 years, was presented, in which he stated that he had been defrauded of a plantation by George Wood, who had imposed a conveyance instead of a power of attorney upon him, and prayed the house to interpose for his relief.

Ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for appointing trustees to dispose of certain lands belonging to the Episcopal church of Philadelphia, was taken up for a third reading, when a petition from the heirs at law of the late doctor Kearsly, stating a claim to the premises, being likewise read, the further consideration of the bill was postponed upon motion of Mr. D. Clymer.

The bill for the future endowment of the Pittsburgh Academy was taken up for a third reading on the motion of Mr. Brackenridge. Some difference of opinion arose as to the quantum of unappropriated land which should be given to the academy, and it was successively moved to make it 10,000, 5000 and 2000 acres. In favour of the greatest quantity, it was argued that the object of this donation was noble, and interesting, and ought not to be affected by any new and parsimonious disposition on the part of the state. The grants to the institutions of Lancaster and Carlisle, and the Episcopal Academy in this city, seem indeed to have marked the extent to which the public favour ought to carried; no reason can be fairly assigned, why it should be diminished on this occasion, unless it is proved that the state has so little land left to bestow that she should, in prudence circumscribe her bounty—or that the land itself has so increased in value, that 2000 acres proposed to be now granted to Pittsburgh, are equal in worth to the 10,000 formerly granted to Lancaster and Carlisle. The truth is that the public stock of unappropriated territory

is ſtill conſiderably more than adequate to the calls upon it; and we may juſtly ſuppoſe, that the warrants executed in favour of earlier applicants have been ſo judiciouſly located, that the lands which they have left to the choice of future grantees, muſt be inferior in quality and leſs eligible in ſituation.

If arguments to lead this houſe into a preference of any diſtrict, could with propriety be introduced, the circumſtances and proſpects of Pittſburgh would afford an ample field. Remote from every ſeminary of learning, and not only ſeparated by the diſtance, but by the badneſs of the roads from the more refined parts of the ſtate, that town has a peculiar claim for encouragement and ſupport in all her efforts to cultivate the ſciences, and to reap the fruit of knowledge from her own ſoil. As the center of a vaſt country, communicating with other ſovereignties, ſhe muſt one day hold an important ſtation in the commonwealth, and too much cannot be done by means of education to ſecure her allegiance in every poſſible contingency. The queſtion being put, it was reſolved that 5000 acres ſhould be inſerted in the bill, which was afterwards ordered to be engroſſed.

The bill for empowering Peter Legeaux to erect a private ferry on the Schuylkill, was read a third time and ordered to be engroſſed.

On motion of ſeveral members, Tueſday next is appointed for taking up the bill to amend the election law, and to prevent frauds therein, Wedneſday for the bill to regulate auctions aud vendues, Thurſday for the eſcheat bill, and Friday for the bill to erect parts of Weſtmoreland and Waſhington counties into a ſeparate county,

The houſe adjourned till to-morrow morning at half paſt 9 o'clock.

Two days ago the treaſurer of Fayette county, in this ſtate, obtained from the ſtate treaſurer a receipt in full for the quota of his county, of the funding taxes up to the firſt of July laſt. How wiſely do the officers of this new county, which is ſituated beyond the Allegany mountain, exert themſelves to prevent the accumulation of uncollected taxes upon the inhabitants; an evil which has ſo greatly diſtreſſed the interior diſtricts of the ſtate, and forced multitudes to remove away, from the falſe indulgence of tardy collectors! Theſe emigrants might have anſwered the public calls on them, as they became due, but had no proſpect of being able to diſcharge the arrears of years.

A gentleman who favours the public with his remarks on the means of promoting federal ſentiments in the United States, makes this appeal:

"Every part of this federal empire was gained by the ſword, by diſtreſs and ſlaughter——the land, from Georgia to New-Hampſhire, has drank American blood—the blood hounds of the weſtern foreſts have torn many babes from the mother's breaſt, many wives from the arms of huſbands, ſcalped and burned them in lingering fires. What American can without horror, indignation and grief, reflect that a fatal diſunion may baſely throw under foreign dominion the plains of Saratoga, York-Town, or the Cowpens. Here methinks I ſee every ſordid wretch hang his head, and every brave American clap his hand to his ſword, and ſwear by the aſhes of all their fellow ſoldiers, and by their own noble hearts, it ſhall not be."

A correſpondent remarks, that the caſe of colonel Farrington is in ſome reſpects ſimilar to that of the celebrated Doctor Dodd. They were both men of good moral character, neither of them intended eventually to defraud the perſons whoſe names they had forged, and as the mal-practices of the one were proved by his own pupil, thoſe of the other have been convicted by his moſt intimate friends.

The European prints are charged with curious conjectures reſpecting the event of the conteſt between Shays and the government of Maſſachuſetts. Some place him in the ſeat of authority, and others ignorantly league him with the patriotic Hancock, as if that wretched rebel had acted upon any principle which could invite the ſupport of a wiſe and good man. Theſe miſrepreſentations, reſpecting the ſcenes tranſacted in our own country, ſhould point out the probable fallacy of the voluminous and contradictory accounts received from Holland.

Louis Caſtleman, who yeſterday preſented a petition to the General Aſſembly, is ſo ſingular a character on account of his great age (109 years) that the following account of him cannot be uninteresting. He was born in the Palatinate, and when about 18 years old, went to England, reſiding near London-bridge, in the county of Surry, for the ſpace of two years. As he did not ſucceed in his object in that country, he directed his hopes towards America, and ſailed on a Chriſtmas-day for New-York; but driven by tempeſts to the Weſt Indies, he did not arrive at that port till the Chriſtmas following, which he aſcertains, by obſerving, that Queen Ann lived ſix years afterwards.

Caſtleman then reſided for ſome time at Conajohany, near Albany; but was at laſt tempted to ſell his improvements in that quarter to colonel (Sir William) Johnſtone, for 600l. and to proceed down the Suſquehannah, from the Great Lick at the head of the river to Harris's ferry. Here he lived for ſix months, rent free, in a houſe belonging to Eſther Harris, and at the expiration of that time journeyed to Virginia on horſeback. On his arrival he purchaſed 1400 acres of land from Lord Fairfax, at five pounds per hundred acres, which he afterwards diſpoſed of to his ſecond wife's children. In Virginia he remained till within the laſt thirty years, and had accumulated ſome property, which however was greatly impaired in the laſt French war. His home is now on Denning's Creek, in Bedford County, from which he came to this city on horſeback, ſometimes riding 30 miles a day. He has been twice married; by his firſt wife, a native of Schoharz, he had twelve children, of whom 3 men and 2 women are living; and by his ſecond wife, a native of New-England, he had 7 children, of which a daughter is ſtill living.

Louis Caſtleman is about 5 feet 10 inches high, he ſtoops a little, is not more wrinkled than men uſually are at 80, though his mouth is much fallen in, and the ſagittal ſuture, in the back part of his head, is ſeparated and ſunken. His head is bald, his ſight conſiderably impaired, and his power of retaining urine very weak. But, after ſo long a life, in which he ſays indeed that he never felt ſo much ſickneſs as to confine him, it is with aſtoniſhment we add, that his voice and articulation are ſtrong and diſtinct; he hears accurately, walks briſkly and with a firm ſtep, and ſtill enjoys an excellent appetite. To this account we are ſorry to ſubjoin, that if there is any truth in the complaint which he has made to the legiſlature—it is not within their juriſdiction to relieve him: but how far he ſhould be conſidered as an object of public bounty, may with great faith be left to the liberality of the houſe.

By a private letter from the city of Leyden in Holland, we are informed that, directly after the declaration of the Stadtholder, the inhabitants of the great cities in the ſeveral provinces were all rouſed, and ready to offer life and property in the cauſe of liberty, particularly at Rotterdam and Amſterdam. In the laſt town the day after the Stadtholder's manifeſt, the five colonels and ſixty captains of the reſpective regiments and companies of the burgeſſes preſented a requeſt, ſigned by almoſt all the capital merchants and other gentlemen of character, joined with the votes of the citizens in arms (which were in good order ranged at the Bam before the city-houſe) to Burgomaſter Hoof, juſt as he was coming out of the council, wherein they prayed with due reſpect, that the nine counſellors ſhould be ſcraped out of the liſt, and that nine from reſpectable citizens ſhould be immediately choſen in their room, they would then, ſay they in that requeſt notwithſtanding their bad conduct, protect their perſons, family or property, againſt all inſults, on condition, that they did promote and ſign to be ſatisfied never to meddle themſelves with any branch of government, and lived quietly and peaceably, which was accepted by them. And they further declared, in the name of the citizens, that in caſe the ſtates would not ſanctify this reſolution, they as republicans and freeborn Netherlanders, would inſiſt on having it done. Notwithſtanding theſe facts in Rotterdam as well as in Amſterdam, and the little etiquette obſerved in ſtopping her Royal Highneſs on her way to the Hague, there are ſome who pretend that the king of Pruſſia will certainly aſſiſt the Stadtholder with a hundred thouſand regular troops, and twenty thouſand black huſſars, with death's heads on their bearſkin caps, and the king of Great Britain will likewiſe aſſiſt them with a hundred thouſand millions ſterling money.

A gentleman in this city has received accounts from France, that the cabinets of Verſailles and London had mutually agreed not to interfere in the Dutch conteſts. This arrangement, withdrawing a friend from either party, leaves the patriots and Stadtholderians upon equal terms, and ſecures the bleſſings of peace to the nations, who have wiſely adopted it.

The comet, ſays a correſpondent, which the European Aſtronomers have declared will be viſible to the inhabitants of this globe in the preſent year, made its appearance in 1532 and in 1661, its period being 129 years, will in all probability be ſeen again either near the cloſe of the year 1789, or in the beginning of the year 1790, and not before.

S H I P   N E W S.

The Betſey, Keown, from l'Orient; Lady Jane, Newton, from Antigua; Sally, Lingo, from St. Euſtatia; Little Betſey, Minor, from Philadelphia, and Tryal, Hammond, from New York, are arrived at Norfolk.

The Betſey, Salter, from St. Bartholomew; Succeſs, Jackſon, from St. Euſtatia; Cooper, Sellers, from Demarara, and Fanny, Dalgee, from Hiſpaniola, are arrived at Piſcataqua.

The Patty, Lee, from St. Martins; Sally, Tryon, from Cape Francois, and Friendſhip, Magill, from Martinico, are arrived at Middletown.

The Friendſhip, M'Lean, from Jamaica; Young Man's Endeavour, Sawyer, from Currituck; Poſſum, Webb, from Roanoake, and Sally, Newby, from North Carolina, are arrived at Baltimore.

The Polly and Hetty, Gilpin, from Wilmington, is arrived at Liverpool after 28 days paſſage.

The May, Montgomery, for Liverpool, and Maria, Morris, for St. Euſtatia, ſailed from Wilmington September 5.

The Diligence, Fairlie, from Hull; ——, Clauſen, from Liverpool; Mary, Robinſon, from Martha Brae; Philadelphia and New York Packet, Bayley, and Philadelphia Packet, Bird, from Philadelphia; Green, Godfrey, from Rhode Iſland; John and Jane, Johnſton, from Shelburne, and Betſey, Lawton, from Halifax, are arrived at New York.

The Polly, Williamſon, for Philadelphia, was to ſail from Hull July 10.

The Adventure, Stevens, is arrived at Galway, from New York, in 30 days.

Captain Leader, on his paſſage from Jamaica to Shelburne, on the 11th ult. in lat. 29. 47. long 73. 24. ſpoke the ſchooner Good Fortune, captain Godfrey, belonging to Liverpool, Nova Scotia, and bound from Port Antonio (Jamaica) to Baltimore; ſhe had ſprung her mainmaſt three days before, but was otherwiſe all well.

Extract of a letter from Boſton, September 1.

"On Saturday laſt arrived here Captain Thomas Newall, and the crew of the ſhip Active, which ſailed from Savannah, in Georgia, bound to Europe, on the 7th of Auguſt ult. and on the 17th, in lat. 40. long. 64. about 100 leagues from Nantucket, foundered in a heavy gale of wind, in the Gulph ſtream. On the ſhip's going down, the captain and crew took to their boats, in which they continued five days——when after ſuffering 18 hours in a hard gale of wind, attended with rain, and in a moment too when deſtruction appeared to them inevitable, they providentially fell in with a fiſhing veſſel, off the ſouth eaſt part of George's Bank, which took them on board."

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.

A BEACON being deemed neceſſary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation: Notice is hereby given, that Propoſals will be received at this Office until the 1ſt day of October next, from ſuch perſons as may be diſpoſed to undertake the ſame by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at ſaid Office. 3taw

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by aſſignment made over his Eſtate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the ſubſcribers, as aſſignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Thoſe having demands are requeſted to furniſh their accounts; and all who are indebted, are earneſtly deſired to make ſpeedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting aſſignee—Who has for ſale on the moſt advantageous terms for caſh, at James Wilſon's ſtore, Second, between Market and Arch ſtreets, a general Aſſortment of ſeaſonable DRY GOODS.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Beaven.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8, 1787. 3taw4w.

Boot & Shoe Manufactory.

THE ſubſcriber informs his Friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his Shop from oppoſite the *City-Tavern*, to the oppoſite ſide, two doors below the ſaid tavern, and next door to the corner of Walnut ſtreet, where he continues to carry on his Manufactory in all its various branches. He thanks his Friends and the Public in general, for their generous encouragement ſince his commencement in buſineſs. He truſts that the quality of his work is ſuch as has already demonſtrated his fidelity in his undertaking. He likewiſe continues to ſell his work at the following prices: BOOTS of the firſt quality 48/9, foxed ditto for 56/3, gentlemens' beſt bound SHOES 12/ ſtitched ſeats 14/6, mens common ſtrong SHOES from 8/4 to 11/3, ladies SILK SHOES of the firſt quality 20/, ditto made only, having the ſilk found, for 12/, ladies STUFF SHOES of the firſt quality 12/, common ditto from 8/4 to 10/, childrens SHOES, and all other branches in proportion to the above. Thoſe Ladies or Gentlemen that will pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend upon being ſupplied according to their orders with the greateſt punctuality.

Sept 10 2aw5t *NATHANIEL PRENTIS.*

Taunton Iron-Works

F O R   S A L E:

CONSISTING of a Furnace, and Forge adjoining, in exceeding good order; Part of a Saw Mill; 3000 Cords of Wood already cut, and every Article neceſſary for carrying on ſaid Works, with the Tract of Woodland which the Works are upon, and a very large Body of good Ore; the Caſtings and Bar Iron are well known to be equal to any at market.

The above Works are ſituate in Burlington county, Weſt-Jerſey, diſtant 17 miles from Philadelphia and 8 miles from a navigable creek leading to the ſame.

Bar or Pig Iron will be received in payment for a conſiderable part of the purchaſe. For further particulars pleaſe apply at ſaid Works, to

Taunton, May 29. 1awtf. GEORGE HASTINGS.

To be Sold at Auction,

On Saturday the 22d day of September, inſtant, at the old Coffee-Houſe in the city of Philadelphia; the ſales to commence at 12 o'clock on that day,

Seventeen City Lots,

SITUATE on the weſt ſide of Eigth-ſtreet from Delaware, and between Cherry-ſtreet and Race-ſtreet.

Alſo, an annual Rent Charge of £.10 Pennſylvania currency per annum, iſſuing out of a lot on the weſt ſide of Eighth-ſtreet aforeſaid, between Race-ſtreet and Cherry ſtreet, now in the tenure of Andrew Walker.

The purchaſe money, which will be received in gold, ſilver, or paper money of this ſtate of the laſt emiſſion, to be paid within 8 days after the ſale, or the premiſes to revert, and the bidder ſuſtain any loſs which may accrue on a ſecond ſale.

A plan of the lots aforeſaid may be ſeen at the ſaid Coffee-Houſe.

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, September 8, 1787. eotf

STRAYED or ſtolen from the meadows of William Craig, on Greenwich iſland, two OXEN; the one a dark red with a white ſpot in his forehead, about 5 years old; the other a ſtag with ſhort horns, of a dun colour, about 9 years old, and ſuppoſed to weigh about 500 and a half each. Whoſoever will take up and deliver ſaid Cattle to us the ſubſcribers, ſhall have *TWENTY SHILLINGS REWARD*, or if ſtolen, and the thief brought to juſtice, *THREE POUNDS* and all reaſonable charges.

WILLIAM CRAIG,
Philadelphia, Aug 24. RICHARD PRICE.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22. eptf

EDUCTAION.

THE ſubſcriber preſents his beſt compliments to his friends, as well as the public, and alſo begs leave to inform them, that he has ſome time ſince removed to the houſe where Mr. Jack lately gave inſtruction, in the arduous taſk of an inſtructor of youth, formerly known by the appellation of colonel Porter's ſchool-houſe, ſituate in Union-ſtreet, between Second and Third ſtreets, where he continues to initiate youth in every uſeful part of erudition, and in a particular manner Engliſh grammar in all its parts. Being fully convinced of the many vague and fictitious opinions with regard to Engliſh grammar, in a great meaſure occaſioned by the ſeveral treatiſes lately extant, diametrically oppoſite,—he therefore intends to teach his pupils the elements of the Latin Language, in order to corroborate their judgment in the Engliſh, (with no additional charge, by which method they will be able to attain a conſummate knowledge of the beauties of the Engliſh, and prevent their being miſled by caprice, innovations, &c. PATRICK BRADY.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 1, 1787.

He intends Opening an *Evening-School* on the 1ſt of October.

T O   B E   S O L D   F O R

Negroes, Merchandize, or Caſh,

THAT valuable tract of land at North Eaſt, Cæcil county, Maryland, whereon the ſubſcriber now lives containing 200 acres: on which are erected, a good dwelling houſe, barn, ſtables and every other offices neceſſary for a farmer, tavern, or ſtorekeeper; there is alſo on ſaid tract 10 or 11 acres of excellent upland meadow of timothy and clover, and a very valuable fiſhery, that can be attended with very little expence, being cloſe to the dwelling houſe, a good bearing orchard, and 100 grafted trees planted laſt year; the place now in excellent repair and under good fence: the ſituation of this place is ſo well known that it needs no comment, being only 3 miles from Charles-Nown and 7 from the Head of Elk, where there is always a ſure market for every kind of produce, and immediately ſeated on the head of tide water of the Cheſapeak bay, and on the great road between Baltimore and Philadelphia: there is alſo a griſt and ſaw mill within a few hundred yards of the dwelling houſe (though diſtant from the waters of their dams) and within a quarter of a mile of an epiſcopal church. The beauty and pleaſantneſs of the ſituation is not exceeded (I may ſay) by any country place on the continent. Alſo, a healthy young life in a tract of land containing 232½ acres, one mile diſtant from the above, laying on North Eaſt river, whereon is a ſmall dwelling houſe and two barracks for hay: there alſo belongs to this place an excellent fiſhery for ſhad and herring, and 22 acres of mowable meadow, timothy and marſh graſs, and has a very conſiderable quantity of excellent timber. Alſo, a piece of woodland laying between the two tracts, the quantity not yet aſcertained: all which will be ſold for the property abovementioned, and poſſeſſion given when demanded. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe may apply to the ſubſcriber, who will ſhew the premiſes. *May* 23 t

J. HARFORD MONTGOMERY.

THE Subſcribers having been duly choſen Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of *Mathias Slough*, of the borough of Lancaſter, in the county of Lancaſter, according to an Act of Aſſembly of Pennſylvania, entitled, "An Act for the Regulation of Bankruptcy:" Therefore all perſons indebted to the ſaid *Mathias Slough*, by Bond, Note, Book Debt, or otherwiſe, are required to make payment unto *Joſeph Hubley*, of the borough of Lancaſter, or to *Richard Footman*, Philadelphia, before the firſt day of November next, or they will be proceeded againſt as the law directs.

Richard Footman,	Aſſignees.
Caleb Foulke,	
James Abercrombie,	
Owen Jones, junr.	
Robert Coleman,	
Joſeph Hubley,	
Sebaſtian Graff,	
Alexander Lowry,	

Lancaſter, Auguſt 16, 1787. 1aw10w

From the MARYLAND GAZETTE.

The following PROLOGUE, written by a Gentleman in Baltimore, was intended to have been ſpoken at the opening of the THEATRE, on Wedneſday evening laſt, but having come to hand too late, it was unavoidably omitted.

PUNCTUAL as lovers to the hour declared
Gameſters to rendezvous all haſte prepar'd;
All hearts elate;—all ſanguine hopes conceive,
T' accompliſh which, each would his friend deceive;
His friend!—does he that ſacred name deſerve,
Who robs his friend without the leaſt reſerve?
Sure not; 'tis friendſhip's better—nobler end
T' enrich—not ſtrip the pockets of a friend.

Engag'd at play, their throats no longer roar,
Attentive all to win the glitt'ring ore,
Except when fortune frowns—the eyes then roll;
And then the wretch with curſes ſinks his ſoul,
Within rude anarchy tumultuous reigns;
Hope intervenes;—his breaſt its peace regains.
Like on the boiſt'rous main when billows laſh
The ſtrong rib'd bark, and waves againſt her daſh,
Then fear all courage from the breaſt expells;—
Anon!—ſome part appears which fear diſpells.

Hope urges him again his fate t'attempt,
Still fortune frowns till all his caſh is ſpent,
Now thought intrudes; a dull unpleaſing gueſt;
Now keen remorſe—and anguiſh rend his breaſt,
His fame;—his peace of mind—his fortune gone,
He's left his fate and folly to bemoan.
Perhaps he wanders now a vagrant curſt,
A foe to all, but to himſelf the worſt.
Perhaps an aged parent claims his care;
That aged parent heightens his deſpair.
A tender wife; perhaps a child requires,
This one an huſband's aid; and that the ſire's;
Hopeleſs himſelf, reduc'd, without a friend,
To wife nor child can he aſſiſtance lend:
Like Beverly perhaps, with horror fraught,
He drinks, like Beverly, the poiſon'd draught.

A N E C D O T E.

MR. Moore, the author of many ingenious pieces, being a long time under an expenſive proſecution in Doctors Commons for marrying two ſiſters, was called upon one morning by his Proctor, as he was writing his excellent tragedy of the Gameſter: the Proctor having a leiſure hour, Mr. Moore read him four acts of his piece, which were all at that time finiſhed; which the Proctor found himſelf ſo affected by, that he exclaimed, "Good God! how can you poſſibly add to this couple's diſtreſs in the laſt act?" "Oh! very eaſily, (ſays the poet) there I intend to put them both into the Spiritual Court."

Britiſh Veſſels.

THE Maſter of every Britiſh Veſſel, entering the Port of Philadelphia, is requeſted to make report of his arrival to his Britannic Majeſty's Conſul.

Second-ſtreet, Sept. 8, 1787. ep4w.

To be Sold at Private Sale.

THAT valuable PLANTATION formerly the property of Wilſon Hunt, Eſquire, in the townſhip of Maidenhead and county of Hunterdon, New Jerſey, lying on the poſt road between New York and Philadelphia, eight miles from Trenton, and four from Princeton, containing upwards of four hundred and twenty acres of excellent land, one hundred and fifty of which is good Engliſh meadow, which will produce one hundred and ſeventy tons of hay annually; the upland is rich and fine for any kind of grain, and very natural to graſs; forty-five acres of fine thrifty timber, of the beſt kind, a large bearing orchard of the beſt grafted fruit, two good barns, and a new hovel, that will contain upon the upper ſtory ten tons of hay; a well of good water near the dwelling-houſe, and about the middle of the plantation is a delightful eminence, that commands at one view the whole farm. For terms apply to William Nielſon, Eſquire, New-York, Abraham Hunt, Trenton, Archibald Mercer, Millſtone, or the Subſcriber on the premiſes.

May 22. 1awtf JOHN P. SCHENK.

Patent Medicines

S O L D   B Y

WILLIAM POYNTELL,

In Second ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, the Corner of Black-Horſe alley:

MAREDANT's Antiſcorbutic Drops; a ſovereign remedy for the ſea and land ſcurvy, pimpled faces, ſcorbutic gout, rheumatiſm, inflamation of the eyes, and all diſorders ariſing from the foulneſs of the blood.

DOCTOR MORRIS's celebrated Fever Drops; a certain cure for every ſpecies of fevers, old inveterate coughs, conſumptive habits, complaints of the ſtomach and bowels, nervous head-achs, and intermitting fevers and agues.

The above two medicines are in high reputation in Great-Britain, as affording certain relief in the above diſorders; and it is not doubted but a fair trial of them would afford eſſential relief to the afflicted in this weſtern world—Pamphlets, containing innumerable, but well atteſted extraordinary cures performed by them, may be had of ſaid *Poyntell*, where the diſordered may probably find many caſes ſimilar to their own. A conſtant ſupply of the above two invaluable Medicines will be kept for ſale, and a generous allowance made to Country Apothecaries who buy wholeſale.

At ſame Place may alſo be had—Bateman's drops, Anderſon's Scots pills, Hooper's pills, Britiſh oil, Godfrey's cordial, Turlington's Balſam, Hungary water, Stoughton's elixir, Haerlem oil, Dr. James's fever powders, eſſence of pepper mint, Greenough's tincture for the teeth and gums, Hill's Balſam of honey, Hill's American balſam, ſpirits of ſal volat, Van Helmet's fever and ague pills. 1aw12w

Juſt arrived, and now landing from on board the ſloop Apollo, Wm. Place, maſter, from St. Vincent's and Grenada, now lying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf,

A parcel of excellent Rum,

And a few hogſheads and barrels of

Muſcovado Sugar,

Which will be diſpoſed of on reaſonable terms, by

Conyngham, Neſbitt & Co.

Auguſt 25

T O   B E   S O L D,

THE Time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has to ſerve about one year and a half. She is a ſtrong hearty working girl, and would ſuit beſt in the country. She is ſold for no fault, but for impertinence to her miſtreſs. Apply to

JESSE CROSLEY, Keeper.

Philadelphia Work Houſe, Auguſt 10. 2awtf

Daniel Tyſon

Is now Opening for Sale a general Aſſortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable for the approaching ſeaſon,
In Third ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet, and oppoſite the Bunch of Grapes Inn.——Conſiſting of

STRIPED and Roſe Blankets, ſwanſkins, flannels, coatings and baizes, ermines, lambſkins and broadcloths. Alſo a handſome aſſortment of ſuperfine cloths, double milled drabcloths from 13/ to 45/ per yard, druggets, duroys, corduroys, velverets and thickſets, worſted hoſe, leather gloves and mits, calicoes, chintzes, muſlins, cambrics and lawns, ſewing ſilks, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs, Britannias, heſſans, platillas and checks, diapers and drillings, tickings, German ſheetings, ribbons and ſcarf twiſt, Barcelona handkerchiefs, perſians and ſarſnets, Marſeilles quiltings, mantuas and ſattins, felt hats, beaver and caſtor hats laced and plain, camblets, calimancoes, ſhalloons, durants, and cutlery.

Alſo, a quantity of excellent *GENEVA* in caſes, and a very extenſive aſſortment of excellent *BOULTING CLOTHS.* 4t2aw

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William Caldwell & Co.

At their ſtore, the ſouth ſide of Market ſtreet wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.
Have juſt Opened a Large Aſſortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,
Conſiſting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Aſſortment of the beſt Goods of every kind, ſuitable for country ſtorekeepers, as well as for private families, and to ſell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4. 1787. mwſ 1m

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogſheads.

Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;

Copper Kettles, juſt arrived, and for Sale by

Roſs and Vaughan.

Auguſt 22. etf

To be Sold at Private Sale,
A ſmall and very General Aſſortment of Freſh

Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may have them on the moſt reaſonable terms, by applying to

N. DORSEY,

In Front, two doors below Walnut ſtreet. Aug 23wtf

William Compton,

In Third-ſtreet, between Race and Vine ſtreets, has for ſale on very low terms, for caſh or ſhort credit,

LONDON pewter, in caſks, well aſſorted
Engliſh ſail-cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A caſe of boys hats, of various colours
A ſmall invoice of beſt London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, ſhalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.

ALSO,

Garden ſeeds of different kinds, rape and canary ſeeds, &c mwſtf

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High Proof RUM

In Puncheons,
Muſcovado SUGAR in Hogſheads, and a few

Bags beſt Green Coffee,

Juſt arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by

Robert M'Clenachan,

At his Wet Good Store, in Third ſtreet, S. W. corner of Arch-ſtreet; where he has alſo for ſale ſundry other

Articles in the Grocery Line.

July 23. mwſtf

Rundle and Murgatroyd,

Water-ſtreet, juſt above Market-ſtreet,
Have received for ſale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and ſheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d ſterling per yard
Ruſſia ſheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glaſſes
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool ſalt, and
Excellent London bottled porter
Alſo, an INVOICE, conſiſting of
Luſtereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.
To be ſold at a very low advance. mwſ

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have juſt Imported in the ſchooner Fox, Joſeph Lowrey, maſter, from Kingſton, Jamaica,

JAMAICA ſpirits in porter hogſheads and caſks; Coffee in barrels of a ſuperior quality; Limes and Cocoa Nutts. Sept 7 d

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Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4 4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c &c which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1 dtf

A Lad Wanted.

Wanted in a Compting-Houſe, a Lad about 14 years of age, of good character, he muſt write a fair hand, underſtand figures, and be well acquainted in the city. Enquire of the Printers, 2awtf

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Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars

REWARD.

WAS Broke Open laſt night, the houſe of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the ſundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spaniſh milled Dollars
1 China faced ſilver Watch with a ſteel chain, and a ſilver ſeal repreſenting Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold ſattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years intereſt paid on each:

No. 10717	Reede and Forde, for	£. 176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Iſaac Melcher, Eſquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£ 5306	1	7

2 Funded Jerſey Certificates, one endorſed with intereſt paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourſe's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Maſon to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a ſtate of tranſactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of looſe Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the deſk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, ſuppoſed to be taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Caſh, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no queſtions aſked. PETER KNIGHT.

Wanted to Purchaſe,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennſylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Higheſt Price will be given.

Country People and others may

be ſupplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on ap-

proved Notes or Depoſits, and negociated ſo as to accommodate People with the Kind that may beſt ſuit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Cheſnut ſtreet, near the BANK.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in compleat order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-aux Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. Auguſt 25 d

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TO BE LET,

A Commodious three ſtory Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market ſtreet, between Front and Second ſtreets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

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TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. eptf

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In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is repreſented to this board that there are many of the line of this ſtate intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themſelves, or ſent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a reſolution of this Board, of the 31ſt day of Auguſt, 1786, they will be precluded, unleſs the time is prolonged ſo as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Reſolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1ſt day of October next, and that this reſolution be publiſhed, ſo that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,

JAMES TRIMBLE,
2awtO For John Armſtrong, jun. Secretary.

FOR the information of the Citizens of Pennſylvania, who are creditors of the United States, Notice is hereby given, that agreeably to an act of General Aſſembly, paſſed the firſt day of March, 1786, the loan thereby opened, where certificates of debts of the United States may be funded by this ſtate, will be cloſed with the laſt day of February next. JOHN NICHOLSON,

Comptroller-General's Office,
Philadelphia, Auguſt 30, 1787.

The different printers of newſpapers in Pennſylvania are requeſted to inſert the above in their papers once a month until the ſaid loan be cloſed.

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand Lodge of Pennſylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inſt. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the ſeveral Lodges under their juriſdiction are requeſted punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and ſolicit a Continuance thereof at the enſuing Election, for the *Coroner's* Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 25, 1787. eotf

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has two years and 4 months to ſerve: ſhe is a hearty, ſtrong, induſtrious girl, and would ſuit for either town or country: ſhe is ſold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

Auguſt 30 eotf

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE;

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

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A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw-Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan,
John Barclay, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.
John Miller,

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

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John Murduck, 9

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Roſe*, in Walnut, between Second and Third ſtreets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has juſt received a variety of high ſcented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will diſpoſe of on very reaſonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the preſent opportunity of returning thanks to thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who have been ſo good as to favour him with their cuſtom, and flatters himſelf his conduct will be ſuch as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the firſt quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be ſold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry's*, Cheſnut ſtreet, No. 19, between Second and Front ſtreets.

Auguſt 13 2awtf

JAMES WITHY,

HATMAKER,

RETURNS his ſincere thanks to his Friends and Cuſtomers, and informs them, he has removed to Third-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, the fourth door from Church Alley, oppoſite Mr. John Dorſey's; where he continues to carry on the Hat Manufactory, as uſual, of beaver, caſtor, half caſtor and felt hats: and makes as great allowance as poſſible to thoſe who purchaſe to ſell again.

N. B. A very good Malt Houſe, Wharf, Stores, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in Marcus Hook, to be diſpoſed of for caſh, or bartered for goods, country produce or manufactures. 2aw7t

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To be Sold at Private Sale,

A Three ſtory Brick HOUSE in Third ſtreet, two doors below the Bunch of Grapes tavern, now in the tenure of Meſſrs. *Bertier & Co.* fronting on Third ſtreet 15 feet. The terms of payment will be made remarkably eaſy to the purchaſer. For further information apply to ISAAC BARTRAM, Druggiſt, in Third ſtreet. Sept 6 3teo

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TO BE SOLD,

A CHESNUT coloured MARE, 14 hands high, 4 years old, has been broke for a lady; alſo, a Brown MARE of the ſame ſize and age: they are warranted ſound, and ſold for no fault but the Gentleman whoſe property they are is going to Europe. To be ſeen at Blake's Livery-ſtables, in Black Horſe alley, between Cheſnut and Market ſtreets in Front ſtreets Sept 6 ſmw

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This Day is Publiſhed, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market ſtreet—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.
By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.
That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains ſhall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The ſeas ſhall waſte, the ſkies in ſmoke decay,
Rocks fall to duſt and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his ſaving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever laſts, thy own Meſſiah reigns.
Pope.

The ſubject of the above piece, having been much canvaſſed of late, both in Europe and America, the curioſity of the Public, and eſpecially of ſuch gentlemen of the city who are pleaſed with the diſcovery of Truth, may be excited to the peruſal of the ſentiments and reaſoning of a fellow citizen, upon ſo momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Alſo, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;
And the BUDDS OF BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Auguſtus Chatterton*, eſq. mwſ4w

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Wants a Place in a Store,

A Young MAN of a good family, who arrived from Germany laſt year, was brought up in the mercantile line, underſtands and writes a good hand in the German, French and Engliſh Languages. Enquire of the Printers. Sept 6 3teo

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A Gentleman having about two or three months leaſure time, would be happy to employ it in *Tranſcribing Writings* in Engliſh or French, or *adjuſting Accounts*. A line directed to A. B. to be left at the Printers, will be immediately attended to. Sept 6 eo3t

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ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *Richard Tarbet*, late of this city, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted to make payment of their balances as ſoon as poſſible; and thoſe who have demands upon ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to produce them to

Iſabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguſon, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for ſale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet's* Importation, in part conſiſting of ſtriped and plain kentings of ſundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be ſold wholeſale, at prime coſt, for caſh.

Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

TO BE LET,

A convenient three-ſtory Brick

HOUSE,

In UNION-STREET.

Alſo, a ſmall TENEMENT in Pine ſtreet. The preſent tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.

Auguſt 1. 2awtf

For Griſt Mills & other Water Works

On an extenſive Plan,
One of the beſt ſituations in America is offered

FOR SALE,

Together With

Batſto Iron-Works,

At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the moſt healthy ſpots in New Jerſey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours ſail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the ſea by the beſt inlet on the Jerſey coaſt, is navigable for veſſels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; thoſe of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and ſcows carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The uſual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 ſhillings per ton. The furnace ſtream affords plenty of water, in the dryeſt ſeaſon, for 3 or 4 pair of mill ſtones, beſides ſupplying the iron works.——An excellent dam, which has been increaſing in ſtrength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well ſecured from the danger of freſhes, and the works are ſcarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or backwater, though the tide ſwells to the foot of the dam: mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are neceſſarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the ſame time illy adapted to the raiſing of grain for their ſupport, there is, and muſt continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, ſhorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the conveniency of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more diſtant markets, will not be overlooked nor conſidered as of ſmall importance, eſpecially as there are few mill ſeats of any conſiderable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently ſupplied with ſuperfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this ſeat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jerſey, and New York with greater eaſe and convenience than to almoſt any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extenſive lands annexed to it, is abundantly ſupplied with wood and ore, is now in blaſt, and is noted for producing the beſt hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of caſtings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron.

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the eſtate, and ſtands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine ſtream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been diſuſed for the laſt two or three years, may want ſome repairs to prepare it for uſe; but the forebays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper ſpot for griſt mills, may be appropriated to that uſe.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a ſmall Griſt Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly ſituated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the ſurrounding buildings belonging to the eſtate, ſuch as barns, ſtables, coal houſes, workſhops, ſtorehouſes and dwellings for workmen. Adjoining the manſion houſe is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well ſtored with choſen fruit trees; alſo a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, moſtly grafted.

Theſe excellent accommodations for extenſive and profitable manufactories, are offered to ſale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the eaſe of the purchaſer, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the ſaid Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomſbury near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] TUESDAY, September 11, 1787. [No. 2683.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise on commission, disposed of at private sale Sept. 11.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock

Sept. 11 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

To be Sold,

At the City Auction Store,

THIS DAY, September 11th, at 10 o'clock in the Morning. A

Quantity of Plate,

Consisting of cans, a tankard, caudle cup and several other articles of plate——looking glasses, ribbons, pound pins, 100,000 needles, cottons, handkerchiefs, muslins, linens, cotton stockings, and a general assortment of Merchandise, as usual.

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

September 11.

On Friday Next,

The 14th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,

Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept.* 10.

C. Febiger & Co: Auctioneers.

Sales of Forfeited Estates

IN PENNSYLVANIA.

WHEREAS the estate of Christian Hook, late of the city of Philadelphia, attorney at law, hath been forfeited to this Commonwealth, by his attainder, for treason: I the subscriber, agent for the county of Northampton, do hereby give notice, that the following estate late of said Christian Hook, in the county aforesaid, will be sold by Public Vendue at the Court-house, in Easton, in the said county, on *Thursday* the 20th day of September next; the Sales to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and to continue until all be sold, viz.

No 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, being 6 contiguous tracts of land, situate on a branch of Lehawanick Creek, adjoining lands of Reuben Haines, Isaac Wikoff, and others; No 1, containing 387 acres, 77 perches, and allowance; No 2, 301 acres, 141 perches, and allowance; No 3, 4, 5, and 6, each containing a like quantity, the whole being patented to said Hook, Nov. 5th, 1776.

7, A tract of land situate on Shahawken Creek, about two miles and a quarter from Delaware river, containing 271 and a half acres, patented to said Hook, Aug 21st, 1776.

The terms of sale will be according to law as follows, viz. one-fourth part of the purchase money to be paid within 10 days after sale, and the remainder within 30 days after sale, or the premises to revert to the state, and the bidder to forfeit one-fourth part of the purchase money—On a certificate being produced from the agent, of the payment of the purchase money, a deed will be given as by law directed.

Draughts of the several tracts, may be seen at the old Coffee-house, in the city of Philadelphia, and in Easton, on the day of sale.

And I, the agent, do also pursuant to law, notify all the claimants of the said premises: and the creditors of the said Christian Hook, to exhibit their claims and demands to the justices of the supreme court, within the time limited by law, or they will be for ever debarred from recovery thereof. July 24, 1787.

JOHN M'NAIR, Jun. Agent.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House*, on *Tuesday* the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening,

Will be Sold to the Highest Bidder,

The Life Estate of Joshua Pusey,

A Bankrupt, in the following Property:

A WELL finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, on the north side of Pine street, between Second and Front street, now in the tenure of Mrs. York, and rents at 50l. and the taxes per annum: the house is 20 feet front by 32 feet deep, and built over an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide, of which it has a privilege. The lot is 80 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of 40s. sterling per annum.

A well finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, situate on the south side of Queen street, in the Southern-liberties of this city, between Front street continued and Swanson street, now in the tenure of Mr. Frederick Bird, and rents at 35l. per annum: the house is 22 feet front by about 30 feet deep, with the privilege of an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide. The lot is 90 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of ——— per annum.

A lot on Stamper's lane, in the township of Movamensing, and about two miles from the city, containing two and a half acres of good meadow ground, is now leased to Mr. William Bronger, for the term of 5 years from the 1st day of March, 1784, at the rent of 15l. specie per annum. Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the estate of Joshua Pusey, a Bankrupt.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are required to make payment to the subscriber, on or before the 1st day of October next. Those who neglect to comply with this request will be proceeded against as the law directs. R. R.

Philadelphia, Aug. 29, 1787 th&tu.tf

Auction of valuable Books;

This and To-Morrow Evenings, will be held, by

WILLIAM PRICHARD,

At his *New Auction-Room*, opposite his *Book Store* and *Circulating Library*, in Market street between Front and Second streets, next door but one to Lætitia-Court,

William Prichard intends laying before the Public, one of the best *Collections of useful modern Authors*, that has been exposed to sale in Philadelphia for many years, and hopes for the encouragement of his fellow citizens. The Room will be kept cool, and found to be commodious to Gentlemen in every respect.

Catalogues will be delivered at the Circulating-Library on *Tuesday Morning*, and at the time of sale.

September 11 d

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On Saturday the 15th of Sept. between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock,

A Convenient two story Brick HOUSE, situated on the north side of Prune-street, between Fourth and Fifth streets from Delaware, in breadth on the said Prune-street, 48 feet, and in length or depth 70 feet, bounded southward by Prune-street, eastward and northward by ground of William Shippen, and westward by the back end of said Shippen's ground, and of Fifth street. Subject to a yearly rent of 36 Spanish milled dollars. Any person inclined to purchase at private sale, may know the terms by applying to the auctioneer, or Bartholomew Baker, on the premises. The purchase money to be paid in three payments; 1 3d to be paid at the time of purchase; the 2d payment in 3 months, and the 2d payment in the next 3 months following

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On the last *Tuesday* in April next at Lewis Town in the county of Sussex in the Delaware state,

A Very fine Tract of Land, situate in Baltimore hundred, in the county and state aforesaid, containing about 3000 acres, remarkably well timbered, and of a rich and fertile soil, abounding particularly in white oak, suitable for ship-building. It lies within two or three miles of two good saw mills and a grist mill, and is at the distance of one mile from a landing. It will be sold in parcels of one, two, or three hundred acres, as may best suit the purchaser. The terms of payment will be made easy. Any person inclining to purchase at private sale before the above day, or to view the premises, may apply to Mr. *George Mitchell*, at Daggsbury, in the said county of Sussex.

Martha Dagworthy, Executrix.
Lambert Cadwalader, } Executors.
George Mitchell, }

September 6 1aw3m

For LONDON,

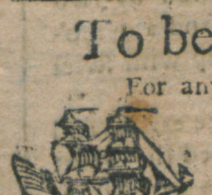
The Ship *MEDIATOR*,

William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Islands,



THE BRIG

BETSEY,

Of LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine vessel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to

Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf. BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co.

A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. etf

For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,

GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

For Curacoa,

The Sloop DOLPHIN,

GASPER FOULK, Master;

TWO-thirds of her cargo is already engaged; will sail the 13th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Smith's wharf, between Arch and Race streets, or to

PETER BORGER,

Who has removed to Water street, between Arch and Race streets, where he has for sale, imported in the last vessels—Green coffee, bohea tea, rice, nutmegs, cassia, lampblack, crucibles of different kinds, coffee mills, claret in cases, chintz and calicoes, 8, 9 and 10 quarter best Flanders bedtick, Russia duck, superfine and coarse cloths, woolens, boulting cloths, looking glasses, plough share moulds Sept 7

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,

William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

Philadelphia, September 7, 1787.

To the *Electors* of the City and County of Philadelphia,

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING had the honor of holding the Office of Sheriff this two years past, which I have endeavoured to discharge according to the best of my abilities, and shall continue so to do (if continued therein) for which I humbly request your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, which shall be gratefully acknowledged by,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient, humble Servant,

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

MY warmest thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by choosing me one of your Representatives in the General Assembly these three years past; permit me now earnestly to solicit the favour of your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen*,

Your most obedient and most humble Servant

William Will.

Philadelphia, August 6, 1787

THE Partnership of FRIES and CHANCELLOR being this day dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having demands against the said partnership are desired to bring their accounts either to John Fries, the south west corner of Market and Third streets, or to William Chancellor, at the store formerly occupied by Fries and Chancellor, where they will be paid; and all those indebted to them six months are desired to make immediate payment to either place, as above directed.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1787, 3teo

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *House*, *Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water street between Arch and Race streets. Enquire of John Thompson, merchant, in Front street. 3taw3w

To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a house in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Chesnut streets, or for a good vessel,

Two new well-finished Brick Houses;

Situate on Eleventh and Locust streets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingston.

eotm August 17

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for sometime past kept the Inn in Black Horse Alley: is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third street. He begs leave to solicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and assures those gentlemen who formerly frequented that house and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themselves and horses, shall be furnished in the best and most careful manner, and on the most reasonable terms. 3tawtf

Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars REWARD.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 96 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 96 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

		£.	s.	d.
No. 10717	Reede and Forde, for	176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£.5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

British Vessels.

THE Master of every British Vessel, entering the Port of Philadelphia, is requested to make report of his arrival to his Britannic Majesty's Consul.

Second-street, Sept. 8, 1787. ep4w.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *George Redpath*, late of this city, deceased, are desired to make immediate payment; and those who have any demands against said estate, are requested to bring them in, *legally attested*, for settlement, to *PETER JANUARY*. Administrator

August 28.

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, surviving Partner of *Mease & Caldwell*, has made an assignment of his own, as well as all the estates, both real and personal, of the said Partnership, to *Robert Millegan*, esq; attorney at law, and the subscriber, for the use of their creditors —— All persons indebted to the said Partnership, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are desired to settle their respective balances on or before the 1st of October next, otherwise suits will be commenced against them without further notice: also, those who have any demands against the said Partnership, are requested to furnish their accounts to the subscriber in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Assignee to *Mease & Caldwell*.

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787. 3tawtf10

TO BE SOLD,

A Good Plantation, containing 51 acres, situate in Upper Darby township, Chester county, about 8 miles from Philadelphia. There are on the premises, a two story brick house with a kitchen and cellar, a barn, stable, a spring of good water near the door with a house over it, an orchard, 9 or 10 acres of good meadow with water for the same, also water in all the fields: it is a suitable place for a tradesman or storekeeper, being pleasantly situated close to a public road, leading to and from the city of Philadelphia, in a good neighbourhood and near most all places of worship. Any person purchasing the same may enter the premises and have a good title any time between this date and April next.

N. B. One half of the Crop of Hay goes with the place. Enquire of the subscriber, living two miles from the above place.

Sept 7 LAWRENCE HOWARD.

Philadelphia, August 27, 1787

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the south west corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

TO BE LET,

A Commodious three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market street, between Front and Second streets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be sold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, and state of Pennsylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making superfine flour, having two pair of stones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, also very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Susquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on said river. The Saw-Mill was new built last spring, and is also in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on said place a good stone dwelling house with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the possession of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premises, or to the subscribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan, } Assignees of
John Barclay, } T. B. Hugo.
John Miller, }

N. B. If they are not sold before the 17th September, they will on that day be exposed to Public Sale on the spot, by the subscribers. *Sept.* 3 d

Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality

Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, shalk, &c. &c.

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Foreign Intelligence.

LEYDEN, *June* 25.

THEY write from Utrecht, that a detachment of the dragoons cantoned at Zeiſt, having, on the 21ſt in the night, approached as far as one of the advanced poſts of the city of Utrecht, the burgher Chaſſeurs of Campden fired; that the ſkirmiſh laſted ſome time; but that, at laſt, the dragoons retired, carrying off with them one of their officers wounded. We have been informed ſince, that this officer is the baron de Verſchur, chief of the regiment of dragoon guards of the ſtates of Holland, who, violating his oath, has not only diſobeyed the ſtates of Holland, his maſters, who had ordered him to quit Gueldres with his corps, where he then was in garriſon, but who has even carried his offence ſo far, as to make theſe troops ſerve againſt the ſovereign authority, of which they were deſtined to be the guardians. Colonel de Lannoy, commandant en ſecond, not willing to participate in a proceeding ſo degrading to a military man, acquainted with the rules of honor, has demanded his diſmiſſion.

VIENNA, *June* 20.

The laſt letters from the Crimea, dated the 5th inſtant, mention that their Imperial majeſties had viſited Kaffa, and were on their return to Kerſon by way of Parcecop, which latter city it was ſuppoſed they would reach about the 12th or 13th of this month.

LONDON, *May* 5.

At the Wheel in Heckington on Wedneſday ſe'nnight, a farmer laid a wager he could eat two dozen of penny mutton pies, and drink a gallon of ale in half an hour, which he performed with eaſe in half the time, and ſaid he had a ſcanty ſupper, and wiſhed for ſomething more; in leſs than half an hour after he eat a three penny loaf and a pound of cheeſe, and ſtill ſwore he was hungry; the landlord, unwilling to ſtarve his delicate gueſt, ſet before him a leg of pork, which his voracious appetite gormandized with great compoſure, he thanked the landlord for his civility, and ſaid, "I hate to go to bed with an empty ſtomach."

July 2.

Yeſterday evening the reverend Mr. Romaine preached an excellent ſermon at St. Dunſtan's church for the benefit of the Humane Society, from the 15th chapt. of St. Luke, and the 24th verſe. 'For this my ſon was dead, and is alive again; he was loſt and is found. And they began to be merry.' After which a liberal collection was made in favour of that valuable ſociety.

The following humourous deception was lately practiſed upon a blind man a few miles from town, who, it ſeems, was pretty well noted for capacity of ſtomach; and as he generally breakfaſted upon 2 quarts of boiled milk, ſome young men in the ſame houſe procured three quarts more, which they gradually conveyed into the gormandizer's pan without any ſuſpicion on his part; however, after he had nearly diſpoſed of it all, he laid by his ſpoon, ſaying,——'Pray Heaven no ill betide me, but ſome how or other I cannot eat my food this morning.'

Sir Richard Barckley, in 1598, publiſhed the following in a Diſcourſe of the Felicitie of Man, from which it is ſuppoſed Shakeſpear took the idea of his Taming of the Shrew.

'I remember, (ſays Barckley) a pretie experiment practiſed by the Emperour Charles the Fifth upon a drunkard. As this Emperour on a time entered into Gaunt, there lay a drunken fellow ouerthwart the ſtreets, as though he had bene dead; who, leaſt the horſemen ſhould ouer him, was drawen out of the way by the legges, and could by no means be wakened, which when the Emperour ſaw, he cauſed him to be taken vp and carried him home to his pallace and vſed as he had appointed. He was brought into a faire chamber hanged with coſtly arras, his clothes taken off and laid in a ſtately bed meet for the Emperour himſelf. He continued in ſleepe vntil the next day almoſt noone. When he awaked and lyen wondring a while to ſee himſelf in ſuch a place, and diuerſe brave gentlemen attending upon him, they took him out of the bed, and apperelled him like a prince, in verie coſtly garments, and all this was done with verie great ſilence on everie ſide. When he was ready there was a table ſet and furniſhed with verie daintie meats, and he ſet in a chair to eate, attended vpon with brave courtiers, and ſerued as if the Emperour had bin preſent, the cuphoord full of gold plate and diuerſe ſorts of wines. When he ſaw ſuch a preparation made for him, he left any longer to wonder and thought it not good to examine the matter any further, but tooke his fortune as it came, and fell to his meate. His wayters with gaeat reuerence and dutie obſerued diligently his nods and becks, which were his ſignes to call for that he lacked, for words he vſed none. As he thus ſat in his majeſtic eating and drinking, he tooke in his cups ſo freelie, that he fel faſt aſleepe againe, as he ſat in his chaire. His attendants ſtripped him out of his freſh apparel, and arayed him with his own ragges againe, and carried him to the place where they found him, where he lay aſleeping vntil the next day. After he was awakened, and fell into the companie of his acquaintance, being aſked where he had bene; he anſwered that he had bene aſleepe, and had the pleaſanteſt dream that ever he had in his life; and told them all that paſſed, thinking that it had bene nothing but a dream.'

The following are inſtances of the value of money in this country at different periods——leaving to the reader to make his own reflections on conſidering its proportion to the preſent ſtandard.

About the year 900, king Alfred left to each of his daughters 100l. in money.

In 1221, Joan, eldeſt daughter to king John, upon her marriage with Alexander, king of Scotland, had a dowry of 1000l. per annum,

In 1278, Edward the Firſt, gave with his daughter Joan, contracted to the ſon of the king of the Romans, 10 000 marks ſterling, but this to be reſtored in caſe the prince died before her.

In 1314. Elizabeth, conſort of Robert Bruce, king of Scotland, being impriſoned in England, was allowed for herſelf and family twenty ſhillings a week.

In 1350, Joan of Oxford, nurſe to the Black Prince, had a penſion of 10l. per annum, and Maud Plumpton, a rocker, had ten marks.

The penſions allowed by the king to the cardinals and great officers of the Pope, who were in a manner retained by the court of England, were, at the moſt, 50 marks a year.

In 1351, workmen were to take their wages in wheat, at the rate of 10d. a buſhel; a maſter carpenter, maſon or tiler, was allowed by the day 3d. their journeymen 2d. and their ſervants or boys, 1d. 1-2.

In 1402. the ſalary of a lord chief juſtice of the king's bench, was 40l. per annum.

In 1408, the lord chief juſtice of the common pleas had 55 marks per annum.

In 1545, the chief juſtice of the king's bench had an addition of 30l. to his ſalary; and each juſtice of the ſame bench and common pleas, twenty pounds.

In Henry the Seventh's time, which, in order ought to have been mentioned before, an admiral, if a knight, had, while at ſea, 4s. per day; if a baron 6s. 8d. and if an earl 13s. 5d.

Extract of a letter from Shrewſbury, June 19.

'On Monday laſt a violent ſtorm of hail, attended with thunder and lightning, fell at High Ercall. A light bolt fell into a blackſmith's chimney, which knocked it down; and a boy being in the houſe, was nearly ſuffocated by the ſulphur that iſſued from it.'

The convicts appear to have profited much from advice & inſtructions tranſmitted to them in Newgate by lord George Gordon, advice being received by a ſhip which met them on their paſſage to Botany Bay, that their behaviour on board had been a conſtant ſcene of mutiny and riot. What a pity it is his lordſhip had not been embarked on a ſimilar expedition prior to the year 1780.

July 5. Yeſterday ſe'nnight, in and about York city, there was as violent a ſtorm of thunder, lightning, hail and rain, as ever was remembered. The miller at Aſkam was ſtruck down by the lightning and lay for ſome time to all appearance dead; but is now in a fair way of recovery: The mill alſo was very much damaged. About the ſame time a fine galloway, the property of the reverend Mr. Dealtry, was ſtruck dead in a field at Wiggington.

Extract of a letter from Dublin, June 29.

"Friday laſt, the Adventure, of New York, captain Stephens, arrived at Galway, with a cargo of lumber, barrel ſtaves, hoops, flaxſeed, and a few other commodities, the produce of that colony. She made her paſſage in 25 days, and has brought the American papers down to the 28th of May, the day ſhe failed:

"The maſter of a veſſel arrived from Bourdeaux, reports that on Sunday the 17th inſtant, being then four leagues from Uſhant, he fell in with a French fleet of five large ſhips, and two frigates, ſteering S. S. W. wind moderate at N. W. They told him they were to cruize for a month in the latitude of the Canaries, to try ſome new ſhips, and exerciſe the ſailors, but it ſeems more probable they are bound for Mauritius or Pondicherry."

"Some of the convicts which were ſent from hence to join captain Phillips's fleet for Botany Bay, and who were indulged with the benefit of the deck, have written to their friends by a Portugueſe veſſel from Madeira, where the veſſels touched. They repreſent their treatment good, and the tranſports healthy; but are informed that ſcarcely ſeven months will bring them to the place of deſtination.

"As the ſubject of tithes and the privileges of the clergy have lately made more noiſe in this kingdom, and drawn more numerous pens than ever was known on a ſimilar occaſion, we have been favored by an eminent civilian with the following curious particulars, which ſet this matter in a more clear, conciſe, and ſimple point of view than has been hitherto publiſhed on the occaſion:—

"The firſt kings of England had all the lands in that kingdom in demeſne. The ſecond ſole monarch among the Saxon kings, Ethelwolphus, in the year 855, by the advice of his nobles, gave for ever to God and the church, both the tithe of all goods and the tenth part of the lands of England, free from all ſecular ſervice, taxations and impoſitions whatſoever. The charter of donations is to be ſeen in Ingulphus and other authors which end thus; 'He that ſhall add to our donation, may the Almighty God increaſe his happy days; but if any one ſhall preſume to change or diminiſh it, let him know that he muſt give an account thereof at the tribunal of Chriſt.'

"This ſolemn ſanction was afterwards confirmed in the following reigns, as of Edmund, Edgar, Etheldred, Alfred, and William the Conqueror; ſo that the clergy, whether they have *jus divinum* or not, have a more ancient right by the common law to their tithes, than any lay ſubject can ſhew for his lands in fee ſimple.

"William the Conqueror, on his coming to England, found the biſhopricks then in being ſo richly endowed with lands, that he erected them all into baronies, and every barony then conſiſted of thirteen knights fees at leaſt.

"The revenues of the biſhops are very much impaired ſince the reformation; for the great men, in the beginning of queen Elizabeth's reign, forced the biſhops of ſeveral ſees to ſurrender many of their beſt manors, and in lieu of them to accept appropriated tithes, and in ſome places ſo compenſation at all. By this means ſome ſees were exceedingly impoveriſhed, as Exeter and Llandaff, and others very much hurt.

"Tenths and firſt fruits were anciently paid to the ſeveral dioceſans, as was continued to the biſhop of Norwich till Henry the 8th deprived him thereof. There are many large eſtates wholly exempt from paying tithes, as lands belonging to monaſteries, of which 190 were diſſolved in Henry the 8th's time of between 200l. and 3500l. per annum each, which, at a medium of 1500l. each, amounts to 285,000l. per annum tithe free, beſides all the leſſer priories, abbies and monaſteries, which ſhews the immenſe revenue which once had been in the hands of the clergy.

"The eccleſiaſtical conſtitution of Ireland underwent the ſame revolution as that of England, ſo that the hiſtory of one comprehends that of both.

"Some late accounts from Jamaica gave favourable accounts of the progreſs made in the cultivation of the wild cinnamon, which is little ſhort of the Ceylon kind, when reared in proper ſhade of ſoil, ſo as to produce all the material virtues of that elegant ſpice. The Spaniards, before the iſland was taken by admiral Venables, in the protectorſhip of Cromwell, reared the tree with great ſucceſs, but the Engliſh being ignorant of its proper culture, ſuffered the bark to gain too much ſtrength, and then it was called Lignum Caſſia. Mr. Woollery, within a few years paſt, has ſtript the bark from the ſhrub on his eſtate, in a young ſtate, and it has turned out of a ſpecies ſcarcely to be diſtinguiſhed from the Oriental kind.

"The Mr. Woollery abovementioned is father to the female performer of that name, who appeared two years ſince on Smock-alley theatre, and tho' afterwards reduced in his circumſtances, in the year 1777 poſſeſſed property in the iſland to the amount of one hundred thouſand pounds."

Yeſterday morning the 13 malefactors (Magaret Wood, for a burglary in the houſe of Sarah Wood, having been reprieved ſince the report) were executed on a ſcaffold erected before Newgate.

AMERICA.

BALTIMORE, Sept. 4.

'It has been a great ſource of error,' ſays a ſenſible Boſtonian, 'among our politicians, to have the republics of Greece and Rome, floating in their dazzled view, as models for America, when there is ſcarce a point of parity between them and us. One of the Spartan virtues, was adroit thieving; and the great object of Roman patriotiſm was the conqueſt of their nieghbours. Theſe republics made peace, but with a view of going to war again, and where they ſaw a proſpect of plunder, they never wanted a motive. In failure of a common enemy, they uſed to fight with each other, and Athens and Lacedemon, have been ſeen in alternate proſperity and diſtreſs by their mutual depredations. The genius of America, on the contrary, is peace; arts, agriculture and commerce, are her great ſources of wealth and happineſs; theſe can never flouriſh but in a free, yet energitic government; and this is all that is wanting to complete our public felicity.'

A correſpondent obſerves, that when we conſider the magnitude of the buſineſs which now employs the attention of the grand federal convention, we cannot expect they will haſtily finiſh and ſend forth the reſult of their important diſcuſſions, which muſt be greatly intereſting to the welfare of thirteen ſtates, ſome of whom are more extenſive than many kingdoms in Europe. Rouſſeau ſeems to have an idea of this arduous taſk, when he ſays, 'To inveſtigate thoſe conditions of ſociety which may beſt anſwer the purpoſes of nations, would require the abilities of ſome ſuperior intelligence, who ſhould be witneſs to all the paſſions of men, but be ſubject itſelf to none, who ſhould have no connections with human nature but ſhould have a perfect knowledge of it: A being, in ſhort, whoſe happineſs ſhould be independant of us and who would nevertheleſs employ itſelf about us. 'It is the province of Gods to make laws for men.

Man is a changeable being, his reaſon is imperfect and ſubject to error and deluſion; his opinions of religion, government and life, are frequently ſhifting, and thus in different periods of his exiſtence, he hardly appears to be influenced by the ſame principles of action. Various have been the ſentiments of men, relative to the Britiſh conſtitution; ſome have pointed out its imperfections, while others have extolled it as a maſter-piece of human wiſdom. Among thoſe who have ventured to write againſt it, we may reckon Burgh and the author of Common Senſe, who in that performance, ridiculous the balance, to which ſome of our modern politicians begin to be attached—he tells us, that the 'prejudices of Engliſhmen in favor of king, lords and commons ariſes as much or more from national pride than reaſon'—and that the Britiſh conſtitution 'is incapable to produce what it ſeems to promiſe.'

Among the writers for the ſuperior excellence of this conſtitution, we may reckon Monteſquieu, Voltaire and Hume: but though theſe celebrated geniuſes have expreſſed many handſome encomiums on this ſubject, yet our countryman and ambaſſador, Mr. Adams, far exceeds them all. This will be manifeſt from numberleſs paſſages which might be extracted from his late work entitled, 'A Defence of the Conſtitutions of Government of the United States of America.' We ſhall give a few of them as follows:—'According to Cicero, (Frag. de Repub.) a ſimple monarchy, if it could in reality be what it pretends to be—a government of laws, might be juſtly denominated a republic.' A limited monarchy, therefore, eſpecially when limited by two independent branches, an ariſtocratical and a democratical power in the conſtitution, may with ſtrict propriety be called by that name.

If Cicero and Tacitus could reviſit the earth, and learn that the Engliſh nation had reduced the great idea to practice, and brought it nearly to perfection, by giving each diviſion a power to defend itſelf by a negative; had found it the moſt ſolid and durable government, as well as the moſt free, had obtained by means of it a proſperity among civilized nations, in an enlightened age, like that of the Romans among barbarians; that the Americans, after having enjoyed the benefits of ſuch a conſtitution a century and a half, were adviſed by ſome of the greateſt, philoſophers and politicians of the age to renounce it, and ſet up the governments of ancient Goths and modern Indians: what would they ſay?—The Americans would be more reprehenſible than the Cappadocians, if they ſhould liſten to ſuch advice.' Again, 'What is the ingredients which in England has preſerved the democratical authority? The balances and that only. The Engliſh have in reality blended together the feudal inſtitutions with thoſe of the Greeks and Romans; and out of all have made that noble compoſition which avoids the inconveniencies, and retains the advantages of both. The inſtitutions now made in America will never wear wholly out for thouſands of years; it is of the laſt importance then that they ſhould begin right; if they ſet out wrong, they will never be able to return, unleſs it be by accident to the right path. After having known the hiſtory of Europe, and of England in particular, it would be the height of folly to go back to the inſtitutions of Woden and of Thor, as they are adviſed to do: If they had been counſelled to adopt a ſimple monarchy at once, it would have been leſs myſterious.'

From theſe quotations we may perceive the great admiration and attachment which this writer entertains for the principles of the Britiſh government. He ſeems to wiſh that we would univerſally adopt the balance, and relinguiſh our preſent eſtabliſhed ſyſtems, founded on the inſtitutions of Woden and Thor, and therefore altogether improper of this illuminated age of the world. A ſtrong executive is his favourite maxim, but as he is for a diſtinct equilibrium of power, we do not ſee the propriety of diſtinguiſhing the executive with the epithet ſtrong; for if the executive is to be ſtrong, the other branches of government muſt be the ſame to preſerve the balance. This ſubtil and learned man would alſo have us judge of the excellence of ancient conſtitutions from their duration—this perhaps might not always be juſt, as many cauſes that had no relation to their political ſyſtem, and which do not exiſt with us, might tend to deſtroy and overturn their governments. If we conſider the progreſs of the empires that have hitherto ſubſiſted in the world, we ſhall find the ſhort duration of their moſt glorious periods, owing to cauſes which will not operate againſt that of North America——Thoſe empires were formed by conqueſt; a great many nations, different in character, language and ideas, were by force jumbled into one heterogeneous power: it is moſt ſurpriſing that ſuch diſſonant parts ſhould hold together ſo long. But when the band of union, force, has weakened, they returned to their original and natural ſeparation. Language and national character formed many ſovereignties out of the former connected varieties. America hath an advantage deciſive of its duration. This great continent was chiefly peopled by Britiſh ſubjects whoſe language and national character were the ſame. The foreigners who emigrated here, or were imported by us, were confounded by the general population and the whole people, phyſically ſpeaking became one—ſo that thoſe ſeeds of decay ſown in the very formation of the ancient empires will have no exiſtence here.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 11.

Yeſterday arrived the ſhip Pigou, captain Sutton, from London, after 38 days paſſage. We are obliged to poſtpone our Advices by her till to morrow.

At a meeting of the officers of "The Pennſylvania Society for the Encouragement of Manufactures and the uſeful Arts."

PRESENT

Thomas Mifflin, Preſident, Samuel Miles, Vice-Preſident, John Nixon, Treaſurer, Geo. Fox, Secretary.

MANAGERS.

Benjamin Ruſh	Frederick Kuhl
John Wilcocks	John Wharton
John Kaighn	William Robinſon, junior
Robert Hare	Mordecai Lewis
Philip Wager	William Rawle

The return of an election, held agreeably to the conſtitution of the ſociety, was read, by which it appeared, that the following gentlemen were duly elected, viz.

Thomas Mifflin, Preſident.

VICE-PRESIDENTS.

David Rittenhouſe	Henry Drinker
Samuel Miles	Samuel Powel

John Nixon, Treaſurer

William Barton, George Fox, Secretaries.

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The conſtitution of the ſociety, as agreed upon at a general meeting at the Univerſity, being read, the board appointed the monthly meetings of the officers to be held on the firſt Wedneſday in every month, at ſix o'clock P. M. the chair to be taken at half paſt ſix.

On motion reſolved, That Colonel Miles and Mr. Kuhl be a committee to provide a proper place for holding the monthly meetings, and that they report their proceedings at the next meeting.

On motion reſolved, That every member of this board who ſhall abſent himſelf from the ſtated meetings ſhall be fined one ſhilling and ſixpence—no excuſe to be admitted.

On motion reſolved, That Meſſ. Robinſon, Rawle and Hare be a committee of correſpondence, with inſtructions to write to ſuch perſons in the ſeveral ſtates as have it in their power to forward the views of this inſtitution—to tranſmit copies of the Conſtitution and Addreſs to their correſpondents, and to requeſt mutual communications.

On motion reſolved, That Mr. Kaighn, Colonel Miles, Mr. Bingham, Mr. Tench Coxe and Mr. Wharton, be a committee to enquire what articles of American manufacture may require the aid of premiums; what thoſe premiums ſhould be; as alſo to obtain every neceſſary information in their power reſpecting manufactures in general.

On motion reſolved, That the ſecretary be directed to requeſt, by advertiſement, thoſe gentlemen, who were appointed to receive ſubſcriptions, to collect the money ſubſcribed, and to pay what money they may have received into the hands of the treaſurer.

On motion reſolved, That the minutes of the preſent meeting, ſigned by the ſecretary, be publiſhed.

The board then adjourned, to meet in the Aſſembly-room at the State-Houſe, on Thurſday next, at ſix o'clock P. M. GEO. FOX, Secretary.

SHIP NEWS.

The brig Sophia, Captain Burrows, is arrived at L'Orient, after a paſſage of 31 days from this port.

On the deceaſe of Miſs PEGGY ROSS,

September 1787.

OH! haſt thou ſeen amid the bloom of ſpring
Some lovely flowret lift its youthful head,
Then in a moment drop its painted wing,
And fall untimely on its native bed?
Or haſt thou ſeen ſome ruthleſs ſtorm invade
In unexpected hour the ſylvan ſcene,
To dreary waſtes converting all the ſhade,
And ſpreading havock o'er the chearful green?
Such was this ſtroke of Death's relentleſs arm,
Which neither youth nor innocence can ſtay,
Prone with the duſt it levels every charm,
And bends the ſtrong beneath its iron ſway.
What grief to think the dreary grave ſhould cloſe
O'er ROSS, ſo late to every grace allied,
O'er worth that flouriſh'd like the vernal roſe,
Of all her friends, the ſolace and the pride!
But not to dumb forgetfulneſs a prey,
Does Heav'n her virtues or her charms reſign;
Theſe yet ſhall flouriſh in celeſtial day,
And through the lapſe of ages bright ſhall ſhine!
Oh ſay, ſweet nymph! amid ætherial ſkies,
How vain and empty do life's joys appear;
Compar'd with thoſe which taſte the good and wiſe,
Within the limits of their ſplendid ſphere.
What joy to mingle with thoſe ſaints in light,
Thoſe perfect ſpirits which ſurround the throne,
Who taſte the rivers of unmix'd delight,
And call a paradiſe of bliſs their own!
Oh! while we deck with flow'ry tribute due,
And ſhed the tear pathetic on thy urn,
May we to Heav'n direct our conſtant view,
And thither all our wiſhes wiſely turn.

Adam Hubley,

In Third ſtreet, a few doors below Market-ſtreet,

Has for Sale,

LONDON particular Madeira Wine, 5 years old,
Old Hock in bottles
Port wine in bottles and caſks
Liſbon and other wines
Spirit 3 years old
Imperial, hyſon, ſouchong, and bohea teas
Raiſins in jarrs, and Holland Gineva in caſes
Syrups of capilaire, &c. nutmegs, allſpice
Sweet Oil, Barbadoes Cayenne, &c.

ALSO,

A few hogſheads high proof Jamaica ſpirits, and [illegible]

THIS DAY,

AT THE

City Vendue Sore.

At 9 o'clock in the forenoon, *Will be Sold*

A Quantity of

Spelling Books,

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

☞ Mr. Peale's respectful compliments to the gentlemen sportsmen of Philadelphia, and will be obliged to them for such Birds and Beasts as are not yet preserved in Mr. Peale's Museum.

‖‡‖ The friends to equal liberty in the county of Montgomery, are requested to meet on Monday the 17th inst. at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the hourse of George Egert, in the township of White-Marsh, upon business relative to the ensuing election.

September 4 1787.

THOSE gentlemen who are appointed to receive subscriptions for the encouragement of American manufactures, are requested to collect the money subscribed, and to pay whatsoever monies they may have received, into the hands of John Nixon, esquire, treasurer, as soon as possible.

By direction of the Board.

GEO. FOX, Sec'ry.

WAS found, and supposed to be stolen, sundry articles, viz. One small silver watch, with an enamelled face: one French gold seal: about 30 yards of coarse unbleached linen: one large 2 gallon copper can, and six cross bar'd handkerchiefs. Whoever has lost the above articles, by proving property and paying charges, may have them again by applying to

11w3t ALEXANDER CARLISLE

RAN-AWAY this morning at 11 o'clock, from the subscriber, an *Indented Negro LAD*, named *JACK*, who is about 19 years of age, and was born in Virginia. It is expected he will attempt the sea, as he was *retaken* last year and brought from the capes of Delaware: he is short and thick of stature; has a remarkably large mouth, is active, plausible, and exceedingly deceitful: he had on a white linen shirt, a light coloured broadcloth coattee, a spotted yellow plush vest, brown linen trowsers, good shoes with large metal buckles, and a castor hat; and took with him another hat, one striped gingham vest, one fustian and one pair of nankeen breeches, two other linen shirts, and a pair of boots, which were his usual apparel; also, a violin, his own property; besides, he stole and carried off, one large linen cloaths bag, one small looking glass, a double milled cloth great coat, one black and one pair corduroy breeches, 3 or 4 fine linen shirts, one red camblet coat, one new bandano handkerchief, and an old blanket. He is suspected of having a plenty of money, of another persons from the same bad cause, as several purchases he made have been discovered since his elopement. Whoever will apprehend this unprincipled Fellow, and restore him to me, shall have *FOUR DOLLARS REWARD* and reasonable charges.

JOSEPH WHARTON.

Philadelphia, September 8.

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by

Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6 1787. dtf.

TO BE SOLD,

FIFTY-SIX acres of good marsh meadow on the island of Tinicum, in two different lots, one of which is about 44 acres, divided into four divisions, chiefly by good drains, lying on the main road leading through the township of Tinicum, and is chiefly in clover, blue grass and timothy. The bank belonging to these meadows is in good order, and easy to be maintained. The other lot is upwards of 12 acres, bounded on the river Delaware, and near the other lot. It is enclosed all round with good ditches, and in excellent mowing order, and produces large crops.

Or if more agreeable to a purchaser, the subscriber would sell the plantation whereon he now dwells, being about six miles from Philadelphia, on the main road from thence to the lower counties. This place contains about eighty five acres, upwards of ten acres of orchard of the best of grafted fruit, nearly in its prime; a large proportion of it is in clover, and the remainder suitable for gardening or any kind of grain. There is on this place about twenty acres of woodland, mostly enclosed for a pasture. The house is large and well situate, having an extensive view of the rivers Delaware and Schuylkill, &c. The barn is large, and there is stabling for upwards of forty creatures; with most other necessary out-buildings. The purchaser may have any reasonable time for payment of a considerable part of the purchase money, for either the meadow or plantation. For further particulars enquire of the subscriber, PHILIP PRICE.

Kingsess, 5th mo. 19, 1787. 1awtf

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Honorable *Thomas M'Kean*, Esquire, Doctor of Laws, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, and of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for the said State; the Honorable *William Augustus Atlee*, Esquire, and the Honorable *George Bryan*, Esquire, Justices of the said Courts, have issued their precept, bearing date the 2d day of August (instant) to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, at the State-House in the city of Philadelphia, on Monday the 17th day of September next.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Justices of the Peace, the Coroners, Escheator and Constables, within the said city and county, that they be then and there in their own persons, and with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; also all they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the gaol of the said city and county, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 3d day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and in the twelfth year of American independence.

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

God Save the Commonwealth.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

LAST night the house of the subscriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A silver coffee pot, a silver tea pot, a silver cream pot marked E K. in a cyher, 5 table spoons, a soup spoon and 7 teaspoons, all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table spoon marked P. R. K. three teaspoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of sugar tongs, a large silver waiter, a small silver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a silver pint Can, a silver porrenger, three silver tops taken from castors, a silver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by

REBECCA KEARNY.

Philadelphia, September 2 2w3taw

THE subscriber is now executing a *MEZZOTINTO PRINT*, from a Portrait of His Excellency General *Washington*, which has been painted since the sitting of the present Convention. This Print is the Size of the Prints of His Excellency *Benjamin Franklin*, and the Marquis *De la Fayette*, done by the subscriber.

Whoever is desirous of getting the best impressions, by becoming subscribers, are desired to apply soon—It is expected that this Print will be ready for delivery in two weeks.

Those Gentlemen who have been so obliging as to engage to take a Print from every Plate which the subscriber may be able to execute from his Collection of Portraits of Illustrious Personages, shall be faithfully served by their humble Servant, C. W. PEALE.

Corner of Lombard and Third streets. August 15

AGREEABLY to a Resolution of the Society for alleviating the Miseries of Public Prisons, passed on Monday Evening the 13th inst. Notice is hereby given, That Mr. JOHN OLDDEN is duly appointed Secretary to the Acting Committe of the said Society; so that all persons who may conceive themselves entitled to benefit from the humane designs of this Institution, may direct their applications to him, in Second, near Market street, where the same will be received, and laid before the Acting Committee at their next Meeting, who will take such order therein as may be proper and necessary.

J SWANWICK, *Sec'ry to the Society.*

August 14, 1787.

TO BE SOLD,

A Two story Brick House and Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, situate on the west side of Front street, Southwark, now in the tenure of Alexander Dowe, shoemaker. The lot is 16 feet front and 90 feet in depth, subject to a ground rent of 6l. per annum.

Also, for Sale—Sundry *Tracts of Land* in Northumberland and Bedford counties, Pennsylvania, which are of an excellent quality and abound with beaver dams, so as to render them valuable for grazing. Likewise, several other *Tracts of Back Lands*, the whole being the property of *Hubley & Graff*, and by them assigned over for the discharge of their debts: wherefore, any person inclining to purchase any part of the aforesaid property, are desired to apply to *Benjamin Fuller*, *John Donnaldson*, or *Benjamin Sweit*, who earnestly desire all persons indebted to the aforesaid *Hubley & Graff*, or either of them, to discharge their respective debts to prevent further trouble. 1aw2m

John Martin,

TAYLOR;

Next Door to the Indian Queen, in Fourth street, Philadelphia,

BEGS leave to inform the Public in general, and his old Customers in particular, that he continues to carry on his Business, and executes his work with the utmost neatness, punctuality and dispatch, on moderate terms for cash or produce. For the accommodation of such of his Friends as live in the country, and chuse to have their Cloaths made in the city, and also to encourage (as far as in his power) the Home Manufactures, he will receive Flax, Hemp, or Linen, at Cash Price.

Sain *Martin* respectfully intreats those who are indebted to him more than six months, to be speedy in their payments. August 14 6t1aw

John Sparhawk,

On the north side of Market-street, second door east of Second-street,

HAS FOR SALE,

ROYAL Bibles for churches, family bibles of various sizes, ditto with cuts, Cooke's voyages round the world, particularly the last, with plates, Abbe Raynall's history of the Indies, 8 vols, Gibbon, on the decline, &c. of the Roman empire, 6 vols, the history of modern Europe, Burgoyne's expedition from Canada in 1777, Guthrie's geography, Salmon's ditto, new edition, Martin's philosophy, Rowning's ditto, Nicholson's ditto, Cruden's concordance, Sherwin's tables, Stone's Euclid, Cunn's ditto, Simpson's ditto, Hammond's algebra, Robertson's navigation, Moore's ditto, annual register, Spanish dictionaries and grammars, French ditto, English ditto, Ferguson's astronomy and lectures, preceptor, Burn's justice, Blackstone's commentaries, Gilbert's law of evidence, Crompton's practice, Van Swieten's commentaries, Cullen's works, Potts' ditto, the medical commentaries, Lewis's new dispensatory, Quincy's medical lexicon, Flemyng's physiology, Astrue, Chapman, Falck and Hunter on the venerial disease, Morgagni on diseases, Hulm and White on child bed women, school books, &c. &c.—Cases of shaving equipage, the best razors, nine inch globes, twelve inch ditto, mathematical instruments, two-pole chains, carpenters mensuration rules, gauging rules, thermometers, ivory hydrometers for proving spirits, the best spectacles in steel and silver, concave ditto for near sights, reading glasses, pocket telescopes and microscopes, gold leaf, miniature picture cases, surgeons pocket instruments—A general assortment of drugs and medicines, green and white phials sorted, or the small sizes may be had separate, specie bottles, from one to six quarts, receivers, from three to five gallons, glass globes, cylinders and tubes for electricity.

N. B. Fine castor oil in bottles.

TO BE RENTED,

A large commodious House in Second street, above Arch-street, the corner of Elfrith's Alley.

WE, the subscribers, being appointed Auditors by the court of common pleas of Philadelphia county, to audit the accounts and adjust the demands of all the creditors of *Peter Smallwood*, late of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, shoemaker, and to make sale and dispose of the Estate and Effects lately seized upon a domestic attachment, wherein *Thomas Towne* is plaintiff, and the said *Peter Smallwood* defendant, do hereby give Notice, that we shall meet at the house of *Nathan Boys*, in Front street, opposite Union street, on *Monday* the 10th of day of September next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the business aforesaid, where the respective creditors are desired to attend with their demands legally proved.

MARK WILLCOX,
WILLIAM PRICE,
JOHN DAVIS.

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A Genteel *House*, *Brew-House*, and *Lot of Ground*, situate on the Delaware, in the city of Burlington, about 400 yards below the town wharf, commonly known and called by the name of *Green Bank*, commanding a most beautiful and agreeable prospect of the river Delaware and borough of Bristol. The *House* is well finished, two stories high, 50 feet front, two handsome parlours below, and three chambers, besides garrets with fire places for servants; each room hath a handsome tiled chimney place and marble hearths, an excellent kitchen, good cellar, a pump of good water in the yard, which is paved with brick, a very convenient milk house, smoke house, stable and carriage house (the loft of which will hold eight tons of hay) with other useful out buildings. The garden is stocked with a variety of plumb, pear, cherry English walnut, and other fruit trees, besides currants, rasberries, gooseberries, strawberries, &c. The *Lot* is 50 feet front, 400 feet deep, and 73 feet back, and is now in good order. In the *Brew-House* (built only last summer) is a copper kettle which will hold upwards of 20 barrels, besides every necessary apparatus, entirely new, in compleat order and fit for immediate use. A view of the premises will give a proper idea of its value, and the most substantial recommendation that can be had. Apply to Colonel *Cox*, at Trenton, or Messrs *Richard Wells* and *William Sykes*, Merchants, in *Philadelphia*, who have lived in the house.—The terms of payment will be made easy, as the money is not immediately wanted.

JOSEPH BLOOMFIELD.

Burlington, August 30. 5t1aw

August Magazine.

THIS DAY IS PUBLISHED,
(Price a Quarter Dollar)

THE

Columbian Magazine,

For AUGUST, 1787.

EMBELLISHED WITH
A VIEW OF GRAY'S FERRY on the Schuylkill.

CONTAINING,

1 THE Foresters: an historical tale (continued)
2 Reflections on the different humours of mankind
3 The prisoner: a sentimental novel
4 A treatise on religion (continued)
5 Extract from Mr. Jefferson's notes on Virginia with additional remarks by Mr. Charles Thomson
6 And essay on friendship
7 The benefits of charity: a dream
8 On the nature and origin of peat or turf, and the propriety of cultivating it in America
9 Experiments and observations on the evaporation of water—By S. Latham Mitchel, M. D.
10 An essay on flattery
11 The trifler
——Concordia's letter on the similitude of manners requisite for matrimonial happiness
——B's reason for declining to give his name to a friend's child
12 The dog of the tombs
13 Fretana's complaint against a studious husband
14 Account of paternal authority still subsisting in Egypt
15 History of Amelia, or malevolence defeated: a novel

Historical Scraps.

16 The rank which negroes hold in the Spanish colonies
17 The rise and progress of colonization in America, and early opinions upon the subject
18 The character of Zenobia

Anecdote.

19 Of a rational parrot, cited from a learned author—By the celebrated Mr Locke

The Columbian Parnassiad.

20 Verses upon Gray's ferry
21 On humanity
22 Part of the osciad versified
23 Part of the same
24 On a walk in the state-house yard
25 Verses on the death of a child; addressed by a friend
26 Ænigma
27 A Rebus
28 Foreign intelligence
29 Domestic intelligence
30 Bankrupts
31 Marriages
32 Deaths

To which is prefixed a Meteorological Table for the Month of July, 1787.

Philadelphia: Printed for Messrs. Seddon, Spotswood, Cist. and Trenchard; and sold by the principal booksellers in Pennsylvania; at Boston by Messrs. Larkin and Hall, booksellers; at New-York by Mess. Berry and Rogers, and Samuel and John Loudon; at Baltimore by Messrs. Spotswood and Clakre, booksellers; at Annapolis by Mr. Green, Printer; at Richmond and Williamsburg by Messrs. Hunt and Adams; at Charleston, South-Carolina, by Messrs. Wright & Co. at Savannah by Mr. Philip Hearne, bookseller.

‡ The present Magazine closing the year, it is thought proper, by the proprietors, to inform the Public, that the renewal of the subscriptions will not be solicited till the first of January next; when, including the price of the intermediate numbers for September, October, November and December, the sum to be paid will be sixteen shillings and eight-pence. With the Appendix, in December, will be delivered an Index and Frontispiece, to compleat the first vol. of the Columbian Magazine.

For Sale on Moderate Terms,
A Variety of Elegant

Mahogany Furniture,

AT

THOMAS BOWEN's

CABINET MANUFACTORY, No. 20.

In Spruce street near Second street;
Where every sort and fashion of Mahogany Goods are made with Care and Dispatch. Aug 31 3sf

New Paper Hanging

MANUFACTORY,

BY

H. Ryves, J. Ashmead & W. Poyntell,

WHO respectfully inform the Public, that no attention or expence will be spared to render the Variety respectable, the Workmanship good, and the Prices low: and to enable them to prosecute it with that spirit they wish, they hope to share the favours of all who are pleased to Patronise the American Arts.

May be had, in any Quantity, at said *Poyntell*'s Store in Second street, the corner of Black-Horse alley—Who has on hand, the largest Assortment ever offered for sale in these States.

May also be had at *Ryves & Ashmead's*, the corner of Third and Spruce streets.

Orders from Merchants in any of the neighbouring States, will be executed on such terms as to ensure a continuance of their favours.

Philadelphia June 25, 1787. 1awtf

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

EPITAPH on a YOUNG LADY.

BENEATH this little heap, this senseless stone,
In peaceful sleep, to living guilt unknown,
Rest the last relics of a heavenly form,
That once had power the coldest breast to warm.
Not twenty years the planetary earth
Round the bright sun in journeys mark'd her birth,
Yet judgment, lively sense, and prudence, join'd
With innate goodness, long possess'd her mind.
By conscious beauty, kept from envy free,
Another's merit she would joy to see.
Thus fair and innocent, she left the stage,
A pattern, e'en in death, to riper age.
Mourn, sister Graces, for your charge is fled,
Your once best hope, the lovely PEGGY's dead.
No more the blushing rose can paint her cheek,
No more the lively eye her thoughts can speak:
Or when to others' woe she lent an ear,
Drop from each beauteous orb the pearly tear;
Mute is that voice, whose sweet persuasive sound
From every hearer strict attention found;
Her pure, her virgin heart no more can beat,
For cold's the breast that Virtue made its seat.
O! ye who knew her worth, who knew her well,
To every thoughtless fair her story tell;
Tell them that Death, grown wanton with his power,
Cropt from the parent tree this blooming flower;
Tell them, her youth, her beauty could not save,
Nor could your friendship shield her from the grave.
But weep no more, too selfish the concern,
'Tis not for her, but for yourselves ye mourn;
To happier regions is the spirit fled,
Nor ought of her but mould'ring clay is dead;
In Heav'n she lives, where you will one day meet,
And joy eternal make your bliss complete.

RACHAEL and her LAMB,

A SENTIMENTAL FRAGMENT.

* * * * * * SO Rachael and I sat down on the bank; and wherefore, said I, hast thou gathered that bunch of rosemary?

Alas, said she, it is to strew on William's grave! I sat there last night, and I thought his hand came thro' the turf—that hand which had so often grasped mine; but I could not touch it;——perhaps it was the sickly dream of my own fancy, which is sometimes strangely disordered.

And what has brought that misfortune on thee, my child?——

That sheep, said she, which now crops the herb at my feet, was then a lamb——for he loved me and every thing that was mine. We were walking together by the river, and the lamb fell into the stream: William plunged into the water to save him; but the lamb got somehow to the bank——and William was carried by the eddy to the mill: the horrid wheel crushed him as he passed, and he spoke no more; but I could not even chide the lamb, for it licked his hands as he lay dead on the bank.

As Rachael spoke, I felt a tear upon my cheek: she saw it, and taking an handkerchief from her pocket, gently wiped it away.

Ah, continued she, strangers weep for me, and I cannot weep for myself!——The stream of sorrow would relieve me; but Heaven has locked up the source of my tears, though my heart is thirsty, and would be refreshed by them.

And how do you employ your time, my fair Rachael?——You might surely amuse your sadness by the occupations of your past life, whatever they have been.

My friends are very good to me, Sir, said she;——they have done every thing to relieve my sorrow; but finding that all their efforts have been vain, they leave me to myself——to wander about with my sheep, who never forsakes me. The villagers all know and seem to respect my misery:——they are all kind to me, and molest me not——sometimes, indeed I spin a little flax at the wheel; and sometimes I fetch the kine from the moor——and that is all; but if I stay, William's grave will want its offering——and I must not omit the dues I shall daily pay it, till Heaven makes it my own.

So Rachael walked gently away;—and I sat still on the bank——

Three Pounds Reward.

RAN-AWAY on the 4th instant from the subscriber, in Front street near Arch street, an Apprentice LAD, named *Isaac Garrson*, a taylor by trade, between 17 and 18 years of age, 5 feet 4 inches high, somewhat chunky, frekled faced, dark brown hair, his forefinger on the left hand disfigured by cut when a child: he took no cloaths with him but what he had on, which were, a fustian coattee and vest, striped trowsers, check shirt, round hat, and new shoes: he was formerly a drummer in the continental army, and as there is a fifer gone off with him (for whom there is a reward of 6 dollars offered) it is supposed they are gone to New-York or Baltimore. Whoever apprehends said Boy, and secures him so that I get him again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by

JOHN HALZZEL.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 10

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A LOT of GROUND, situate on the west side of Fourth street continued in the Northern-Liberties, being in length 668 feet 6 inches, from Brown street to Poplar lane, being the east front of the following lots of ground, viz. in the front of John Young, junr's. lot 136 feet 9 inches; in the front of Thomas Coats's lot 178 feet 6 inches; in the front of the estate of Samuel Burge, deceased, 198 feet 6 inches and in front of the estate of John Hughes, deceased, 145 feet 9 inches.

The subscriber will also sell the *ANNUAL INTEREST* of from 1000 to 5000l. in Ground-Rents, the whole having good securities. Any person inclining to purchase 300l. per ann. may have several years credit, paying one-third of the purchase money down.

To be Let on Ground-Rent forever,

A number of valuable *LOTS* of *GROUND*, situate on Third, Fourth, Coats, Brown, Budds, St. John, and Charlotte streets. For terms apply to the subscriber, or Mr. *Peter Thomson*, Scrivener, in Race street, or Mr. *Richard Whitehead*, Scrivener, in Front street, where Plans of said Lots may be seen. 3tawtf

Philadelphia, June 20 WILLIAM COATS

THE SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the public and his friends in particular, that he carries on a

Boot & Shoe Manufactory

In Second-street, two doors below Chesnut-street, on the East side,

WHERE he intends to carry on business in that line in the most regular manner, and means to sell on as reasonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Any gentlemen who please to favor him with their custom, by leaving their measure, may depend on having their work done in the neatest and best manner, according to their direction, with the utmost dispatch.

For the convenience of those who want to buy ready made work, he has a good assortment, of different kinds and qualities.

Those who favor him with orders from the country may depend on being served on reasonable terms, with the utmost punctuality. 1aw3 THOMAS RIMO.

Wanted to Purchaſe,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennſylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Higheſt Price will be given.

Country People and others may be ſupplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Depoſits, and negociated ſo as to accommodate People with the Kind that may beſt ſuit them.—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Cheſnut ſtreet, near the BANK.

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market ſtreets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on depoſits or ſatisfactory ſecurity.

LIKEWISE,

Buys and Sells on Commiſſion,

Bank Stock, Nicholſon's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Stelle's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper iſſued by Pennſylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,

A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, ſuitable for a country ſeat, or a perſon wiſhing to attend the market—Likewiſe, a *LOT* in Market ſtreet, a good ſtand for buſineſs

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THE SUBSCRIBER

Moſt reſpectfully acquaints the Public, that he has commenced the Buſineſs of a

Notary Public, Conveyancer & Broker,

And has alſo opened an *Office* for the purchaſe and ſale of *Real Eſtates.* He flatters himſelf, that the utility of uniting thoſe ſeveral branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours uſeful.

As the buſineſs of a *Broker* has in a great meaſure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchaſing and ſelling of *Stock*, the ſubſcriber has ſeen the inconveniencies which both citizens and ſtrangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a conſiderable part of his preſent plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himſelf he ſhall prove a uſeful inſtrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to ſuch foreigners and ſtrangers as may have occaſion for his ſervices. He has therefore prepared himſelf for the receiving, buying and ſelling every kind of *Merchandize* on commiſſion, for procuring freight for veſſels, and hiring veſſels on charter. He will alſo purchaſe and ſell, on commiſſion, bills of exchange, bank ſtock, and all kinds of public ſecurities; in which ſeveral tranſactions his employers may implicitly rely on his beſt endeavours for their intereſts, on the moſt inviolable ſecrecy, and every poſſible diſpatch.

Third-ſtreet, below Market-ſtreet, June 2 } EDWARD FOX.

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Edward Fox,

NOTARY-PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER & BROKER,
Weſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, the firſt Houſe below Market-ſtreet.

BUYS and SELLS on Commiſſion, every Kind of

Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,

Public Securities, Bank Stock,
And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States.

He procures Freight for Veſſels,

And hires Veſſels on Charter:
Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan:

Diſcounts Bills and Notes:

Purchaſes and Sells REAL ESTATES:
Draws all Kinds of Deeds, Proteſts, Charter Parties, and other Inſtruments of Writing.

By a punctual attendance on the ſeveral duties which he undertakes, and a ſcrupulous regard to the intereſts of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of thoſe gentlemen who may from time to time have occaſion for his ſervices, in any or all of the above branches.

☞ Excellent Stores are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw-mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet.

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Steemer, Albright & Lahn,

HAVING eſtabliſhed a *Weekly* GERMAN NEWSPAPER, at Lancaſter, which circulates through almoſt every part of Pennſylvania and Maryland (particularly through the interior parts of Pennſylvania) inform thoſe who wiſh to communicate intelligence reſpecting the ſale of houſes, lands, and other property, or any other kind of information, to the *Germans*, that Advertiſements are inſerted in the ſaid Paper, on the ſame terms as in the Philadelphia Papers—the tranſlation *gratis*. Application may be made to Mr. CHARLES CIST, Printer, in Race ſtreet, a few doors below Second ſtreet, Philadelphia, who will forward inſtructions for the above purpoſe.

They likewiſe perform all kinds of Printing Work in the Engliſh and German language, on moderate terms, with care and expedition: and conſtantly have for ſale, an aſſortment of Engliſh, German, French, Latin and other School-Books; Books of Entertainment; Blank-Books, and all kinds of Stationary.

N. B. They alſo keep a valuable *German* CIRCULATING LIBRARY. Aug. 24. 1awtf

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PROPOSALS

For Printing by Subſcription,

Necker's Treatiſe

ON THE

Adminiſtration of the Finances of France.

Ubi igitur animus meus ex multis miſeriis & periculis requievit, non fuit conſilium ſocordia atque deſidia bonum otium conterere. SALLUST.

Tranſlated from the genuine French Edition,
By THOMAS MORTIMER, Eſquire,
Author of the *Elements of Commerce, Politics & Finance.*

CONDITIONS.

I. This Work will be printed on a fine paper and good type, in two volumes large octavo.

II. The price to ſubſcribers will be *fourteen ſhillings* per volume, neatly bound and lettered.

III. As ſoon as 200 ſubſcribers patronize the Work, it ſhall be immediately put to preſs, and finiſhed with expedition.

IV. A liſt of the names of encouragers to this Publication will be printed at the beginning of the ſecond volume.

††† *No money required from the ſubſcribers till the delivery of both volumes.*

SUBSCRIPTIONS are taken in by *Thomas Dobſon* and *William Young*, Philadelphia; *Samuel Campbell*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charleſton; *Benjamin Guild*, Boſton; and all other Gentlemen who will be entruſted with Propoſals.

TO THE PUBLIC.

The following EXTRACTS *may ſerve as a Recommendation, &c. to Gentlemen unacquainted with the Character or Nature of this celebrated Work.*

THIS valuable treatiſe contains a laborious and acute inveſtigation of the domeſtic policy of France; illuſtrated with a variety of remarks, and hints of improvement, the ſuggeſtions of liberality and humanity. M. Necker has prefixed a moſt inſtructive introduction to his work, in which he treats of the qualifications, duties and virtues of a public miniſter of finances; abounding with wholeſome maxims, among which *honeſty* is allowed the preeminence. M. Necker's chapter on WAR, breathes the ſpirit of true patriotic humanity; it exhibits more, it ſhews him to be the friend of human nature at large; and we ſhould with much pleaſure give the ſpeech he puts into the mouth of an honeſt miniſter, ſuppoſed to be in council when a king is adviſed to war on political calculations, had we not enlarged too copiouſly already. The tranſlator of M. Necker's treatiſe, appears to have done juſtice to his excellent principal; for on the whole, the work makes a reſpectable appearance in its Engliſh dreſs—*Monthly Review*, vol. 74, p. 542.

"It is incumbent on the tranſlator to convey ſome material heads of information to Engliſh readers, which may ſerve to point out the very great utility of this excellent work to every nation; and to explain and illuſtrate ſome parts of the treatiſe as well as ſome circumſtances attending it, which not being known, might caſt a veil of obſcurity over a performance which ought to be as intelligent as it is eminent, eſpecially as the great talents of the author are acknowledged and admired by all ſenſible men in moſt nations of Europe. In the firſt place it is neceſſary to obſerve, that the general principles of finance laid down by M. Necker, are not confined to France; they are equally applicable to every country, whoſe reſources chiefly depend on public credit, manufactures and commerce: every page offers ſome great political, commercial, or financial truth, or throws ſome new light on the adminiſtration of affairs in France, which it is eſſential for every gentleman, merchant, and manufacturer to know.——*Advert. by the Tranſlator.*

⁎ The above work has been tranſlated into the Dutch and German languages, and ſeveral thouſands have been ſold in Britain as well as in France. The price in London is 24ſ. ſterling, and this American edition will only be *Three Dollars and a Half.*

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German; is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22. eptf

Philadelphia, June 6, 1787.

Twenty Dollars Reward.

WAS STOLEN or LOTS, either on the Common or in this City, on Monday Afternoon, the 4th inſtant—A *Parchment POCKET-BOOK*, containing the following Paper Money and Certificates—

Seven pounds paper money, *new* emiſſion,
Fifteen dollars, dollar money, of the ſtate of Maryland,
And the following Certificates, ſigned by *Joſeph Nourſe*,
One for 1967 dollars, dated March 11, 1785, in favour of *Samuel Young*,
One for 181 66 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 65 45 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 36 48 ditto, dated March 11, 1785, favour of ditto,
One for 1000 dollars, dated June 27, 1786, favour of *Simon Fiſhbaugh*; Alſo,
One loan-office, certificate, for 1000 dollars, of the ſtate of South Carolina,
One loan-office ditto for 500 dollars, ſtate of Virginia,
One loan-office dit. for 300 dol. ſtate of Pennſylvania,
And 1580 dollars in Virginia money;

Together with ſome other money not yet aſcertained, and ſundry papers of no uſe but to the owner. Whoever has found the ſame, and will deliver them to the ſubſcriber, ſhall receive the above Reward, or in proportion for any part thereof. The different Offices are requeſted to ſtop them, ſhould they be offered for ſale. *SAMUEL YOUNG.* 1awtf.

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones waranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks. Senneca, ſnake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Thomas Mackie & Co:

Have juſt Imported in the ſchooner Fox, Joſeph Lowrey, maſter, from Kingſton, Jamaica,

JAMAICA ſpirits in porter hogſheads and caſks; Coffee in barrels of a ſuperior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d.

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1 dtf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogſheads.

Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;

Copper Kettles, juſt arrived, and for Sale by

Roſs and Vaughan.

Auguſt 22. etf

Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,

New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Kiteſoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,

FOR SALE BY

Thomas Leiper, Tobacconiſt,

In Water ſtreet, the ſeventh door above Market ſtreet,

Alſo, as Uſual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Juſt arrived and to be ſold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of

Cape of Good Hope WINES.

September 7. 2w3taw

A Cargo of Excellent

MOLASSES,

FOR SALE BY

Wynkoop and *Siemen*,

LIKEWISE,

ALBANY PEAS,

In caſks of 7 buſhels each, fit for ſhipping.

September 5 eo3t

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

STORE,

In Third ſtreet, oppoſite Church alley——A freſh Aſſortment of

Muſlins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glaſs, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Liſbon, Port, Calcavella and Weſtern Iſland Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soap, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf,

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Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the beſt choſen

GROCERIES:

As ſago, oatmeal, barley, ſpices, Malmſey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, ſoy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, ſallad oil, &c.

FOR SALE BY

John Dorſey.

Sept 4 3w3taw

Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-ſhare moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate } STOVES
Small ditto } STOVES
Franklin and Rittenhouſe } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings
Jamaica ſpirit } by the hogſhead
Weſt-India and country rum } by the hogſhead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, } Staves and Heading
Hogſhead and } Staves and Heading
Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 4 3tawtf

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

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A few beautiful Dining Setts of

Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Cheſts—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Juſt imported from India, to be ſold reaſonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Alſo *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in caſes—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, ld Holland Gin in caſes,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Neſbitt.*

September 5 d

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

In Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale

FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes

Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New England ſoal leather d Sept 5

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of beſt

Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.

Auguſt 22 eptf

Richard Adams

Is now OPENING for SALE, a General

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitts
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow, red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
6 and 7-4 bedtunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, morcens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3tawIm

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PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;

On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] WEDNESDAY, September 12, 1787. [No. 2684.]

Sales at Auction.

Auction of valuable Books,

This Evening, will be held, by

WILLIAM PRICHARD,

At his *New Auction-Room*, opposite his *Book-Store* and *Circulating-Library*, in Market street, between Front and Second streets, next door but one to Lætitia-Court,

William Prichard intends laying before the Public, one of the best *Collections of useful modern Authors* that has been exposed to sale in Philadelphia for many years, and hopes for the encouragement of his fellow citizens. The Room will be kept cool, and found to be commodious to Gentlemen in every respect.

Catalogues will be delivered at the Circulating-Library.

September 12 d

To be SOLD *by Public Vendue*

At the Old Coffee-House, this Evening, the 12th Inst. September, at 7 o'clock, being the 4th day of the week, the following

Lots and Messuages,

Being Part of the Estate of Joseph Marriott, deceased, VIZ.

A LOT in Moyamensing Township, containing 2 and a half acres, whereon is a frame dwelling house, garden, &c. adjoining land of Thomas Walling, Esq; Thomas Shoemaker, and the estate of George Emlen, deceased.

One other Lot in said township, on the Passyunk road, containing 4 acres, with a two story brick kitchen, &c. thereon, adjoining lands of Thomas Willing, Esq; estate of George Emlen, deceased, and the tavern formerly known by the sign of the Horse and Dray.

Likewise, sundry Lots in Southwark, and a Lot of 3 acres and 60 perches on the Germantown road, near Fair Hill, adjoining lands of John Dickinson, Esq; There are on the premises a good two story stone dwelling house and two other stone buildings, a tanyard out of repair, an orchard, a piece of meadow, and a good stone quarry.

Attendance will be given, and terms and other particulars made known at the time and place of sale, by

THOMAS MARRIOTT, *Executor.*

TO-MORROW,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays and Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 12 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

On Friday Next,

The 14th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,

Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept.* 10.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,

On Tuesday, the 25th of Sept.

At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, surveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunswick township, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and some small streams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A considerable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are several mill seats.

No 2. 421 5 8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, surveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Christian Dethong, being in the same township, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract also; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well settled country, this and the foregoing tract must be very valuable.

No 3. 353 acres of patented Land surveyed in pursuance of a warrant No 1633. dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, situate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the east side of a path leading from Little Juniata to Susquehanna, having an excellent mill seat and some small improvements thereon.

No 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock township, Berks county, 58 miles distant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the last mentioned place to Lancaster, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the best fruit trees, and a cider press, a good log house, large barn, spring house, and other out houses thereon. Under and subject to the payment of the first purchase money, &c.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,

Assignee of the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or suits will be commenced for the recovery of the same. R. R.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787. w&stf

To be Sold at Auction,

On Saturday the 22d day of September, instant, at the old Coffee-House in the city of Philadelphia; the sales to commence at 12 o'clock on that day,

Seventeen City Lots,

SITUATE on the west side of Eigth-street from Delaware, and between Cherry street and Race-street.

Also, an annual Rent Charge of £.10 Pennsylvania currency per annum, issuing out of a lot on the west side of Eighth-street aforesaid, between Race-street and Cherry street, now in the tenure of Andrew Walker.

The purchase money, which will be received in gold, silver, or paper money of this state of the last emission, to be paid within 8 days after the sale, or the premises to revert, and the bidder sustain any loss which may accrue on a second sale.

A plan of the lots aforesaid may be seen at the said Coffee-House

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, September 8, 1787 cotf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your suffrages at the last Election, in placing me on the return with the present Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the ensuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,

And Humble Servant,

James Ash.

Philadelphia, August 7, 1787 w&stf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and solicit a Continuance thereof as the ensuing Election, for the *Coroner*'s Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, August 25 1787 eotf

To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORES adjoining, situate in Penn and Water streets, between Lombard and South streets

July 18 w&s JOHN ANGUS.

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has two years and 4 months to serve: she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

August 30 cotf

TO BE SOLD,

THE noted TAVERN in Walnut street, near Front street, known by the name of the *George and Dragon*. Enquire of

w&stf Sept 5 JOSEPH PRICE.

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennsylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the several Lodges under their jurisdiction are requested punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

To be Let on Freight,

For any of the Windward Islands,

THE BRIG

BETSEY,

OF LONDON,

BURTHEN about 1500 barrels; a very fine vessel, and ready to receive a cargo. For terms apply to

Sept. 1. T. FITZSIMONS.

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,

GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,

William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,

William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.

A BEACON being deemed necessary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation: Notice is hereby given, that Proposals will be received at this Office until the 1st day of October next, from such persons as may be disposed to undertake the same by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at said Office. 3taw

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British Vessels.

THE Master of every British Vessel, entering the Port of Philadelphia, is requested to make report of his arrival to his Britannic Majesty's Consul.

Second-street, Sept. 8, 1787. ep4w.

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses,

New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.

Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,

A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will sell low for Cash, at their Store [illegible]

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1 dtf

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks: Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

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Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

A few beautiful Dining Setts of Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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To be Sold at Private Sale,

A small and very General Assortment of Fresh

Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any person inclining to purchase, may have them on the most reasonable terms, by applying to

N. DORSEY,

In Front, two doors below Walnut street. Aug. 23wtf

Patrick Duffey,

BROKER,

Respectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Chesnut street, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL

Certificates for the Land-Office,

With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;

Dollar Money,

STATE MONEY of the Emission of 1781, &c. &c.

And has also provided himself with

STORES

To receive Merchandize, which he will sell for those who please to employ him, to the best advantage, at a moderate Commission, and will endeavour to the best of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himself that an Attention to the Interest of those for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him some Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,

On approved Security, and the greatest Secrecy and Delicacy observed in the Negociation of any Business committed to his Charge. August 7 w&stf

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Wanted to Purchase,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennsylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Highest Price will be given.

Country People and others may be supplied with Certificates and Shilling Money to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Deposits, and negociated so as to accommodate People with the Kind that may best suit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Chesnut street, near the BANK.

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New England soal leather. d Sept 5

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

William Compton,

In Third-street, between Race and Vine streets, has for sale on very low terms, for cash or short credit.

LONDON pewter, in casks, well assorted
English sail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A case of boys hats, of various colours
A small invoice of best London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, shalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.

ALSO,

Garden seeds of different kinds, rape and canary seeds, &c. mwstf

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High Proof RUM

In Puncheons,

Muscovado SUGAR in Hogsheads, and a few

Bags best Green Coffee,

Just arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica, And to be SOLD by

Robert M'Clenachan,

At his Wet Good Store, in Third street, S. W. corner of Arch-street; where he has also for sale sundry other

Articles in the Grocery Line.

July 23. mwstf

Rundle and Murgatroyd,

Water-street, just above Market-street, Have received for sale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and sheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d sterling per yard
Russia sheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool salt, and
Excellent London bottled porter

Also, an INVOICE, consisting of Lustereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.

To be sold at a very low advance. mwf

Laſt Monday arrived here the ſhip Pigou, captain Sutton, in 45 days from London.——By this veſſel we have London News-Papers to the 24th of July, from which the following are extracts :—

BERLIN, June 26.

HIS Pruſſian majeſty has conſtituted a ſupreme council of war, of which his ſupreme highneſs the Duke of Brunſwick is appointed preſident in chief, general Moellendorff, vice preſident in chief, lieutenant general Rohdich, preſident, and firſt miniſter of war, and major general Kauneworff, vice preſident.

The king has iſſued orders for the entire abolition of the tax on rye, and for reducing the tranſit duties on Ruſſian products tranſported down the Oder and Elbe, from five to eight, to two and three per cent. reſpectively.

UTRECHT, July 1.

We have been informed by a channel not likely to err, that there are 15,000 French troops ready to march at a moment's warning, in order to form a camp of obſervation in the neighbourhood of Maeſtricht.

HAGUE, July 1.

The day before yeſterday an extraordinary aſſembly of the ſtates general was held, on account of their having received advice that morning that her royal highneſs the princeſs of Orange, who was expected at her houſe at Bois (called Oranjezaal) had been ſtopped at Haaſtrecht. three miles from the town of Guoda, by a detachment of auxiliary burgeſſes. An aſſembly extraordinary was alſo held this morning.

Her royal highneſs the princeſs of Orange, we underſtand, ſet out yeſterday morning at half an hour after 5, from Schoonhoven through Leerdam, in order to return to Nimeguen, where her royal highneſs, we learn, arrived yeſterday evening between 8 and 9 o'clock.

We learn alſo that his ſerene highneſs the prince ſtadtholder has addreſſed a letter to the ſtates general.

Letter from her royal highneſs the princeſs of Orange to Mr. Regiſter Fagel.

THE ſingular accident which has happened to me this day, has occaſioned me to write the letter here encloſed to the Penſionary of Holland, containing the motives of my arrival, and requeſting him to lay them before their high mightineſſes. I have alſo thought it my duty to make you acquainted with the event, to enable you to inform their high mightineſſes of it, in the manner you may think moſt proper. I ſhall enter into no obſervations upon the caſe. Every one who knows me will readily comprehend how much I muſt be affected by an event ſo little, according with my ſentiments and intentions. Hoping to be ſoon at liberty to purſue the latter, with the zeal and fidelity which the true intereſt of my dear country and my family, the ſupport of the conſtitution, and the re-eſtabliſhment of peace and order demand from me.

I am, &c.

(Signed) WILHELMINA.

Letter from her royal highneſs the princeſs of Orange to the Penſionary of Holland.

THE moſt ardent wiſhes of my heart, at this moment of danger and alarm to the republic, (the prince being hindred from coming himſelf) to contribute by my intervention, if any way poſſible, to prevent a civil war which is threatened, and compoſe the preſent differences upon the principles of the eſtabliſhed conſtitution, were the only motives of my journey towards the Hague, which I flatter myſelf would have remained a ſecret, until my arrival at the houſe of Oranjzaal, from whence I would have immediately communicated my deſign to their noble and grand mightineſſes, as well as to the ſtates general. I never could have believed that I ſhould ſee this ſalutary aim miſcarry before I was enabled to uſe and employ my beſt efforts for this purpoſe. You will be informed by this time how I am prevented from continuing on my journey; nevertheleſs, I truſt that this delay will not totally defeat the object in view; and I have thought proper to make you acquainted with the real motives of my journey into Holland, requeſting you to communicate them to their noble and grand powers.

I am, &c.

(Signed) WILHELMINA.

Schoonhoven, June 28, 1787.

LONDON.

July 3. It is a fact, that during ſeveral weeks laſt paſt, Mr. Drummond, of Stanmore, has employed in and about his grounds, upwards of five hundred perſons. This is being of real ſervice to the poor, as it keeps them out of habits of idleneſs, at the ſame time that their wants are relieved, and their family ſupplied.

GRATITUDE. *An Anecdote.*—The above mentioned gentleman having a living of 500l. per ann. in his gift a few years ſince, preſented it to a clergyman who had formerly been his tutor, and for whom the act itſelf proves, he had a particular regard. The rector took poſſeſſion, and after ſome little time purchaſed a houſe in Mr. D's. neighbourhood for 600l. Upon a late occaſion, when Mr. D. was making ſome capital improvements on his eſtate, he requeſted the parſon would accomodate him with a ſurrender of his new purchaſe, offering him twelve hundred pounds, for what had coſt his reverence but half the money; but the ſon of the church would by no means comply with his patron's requeſt, but on the contrary, declared that he would by an item in his will, prevent his heir at law parting with the premiſes in queſtion. It is but juſtice further to remark, that the ſon of this divine was ſent out to the Eaſt Indies, through Mr. Ds. intereſt, where he amaſſed a capital fortune! 'Ingratitude is worſe than the ſin of witchcraft.'

Extract of a letter from Dublin, June 26.

'On Sunday laſt the revered Walter Blake Kirwan, the gentleman who conformed from the Roman Catholic to the eſtabliſhed religion, preached his initiatory ſermon to the laſt communion at St. Peter's church His text was taken from the Epiſtle of St. Paul to the Epheſians, 6th chapter and 4th verſe, 'And ye fathers provoke not your children to wrath, but bring them up in the nurturing and admonition of the Lord.' His diſcourſe was on the advantages of a good education, contraſted with that of a bad one. He was in the pulpit an hour and three minutes. The crowd was ſo great that it was found neceſſary to procure Mr. Sheriff Fleming to attend, to preſerve order and decency in the church.

'Mr. Kirwin's ſermon on Sunday laſt makes no ſmall a degree of noiſe in town, not only by thoſe who compoſed the congregation, but alſo by the many diſappointed in hearing him. He is the ſon of a gentleman of ancient family and conſiderable fortune in the county of Galway, and was entered as a minor friar in the Franciſcan convent of Galway by his uncle, the preſent titular primate of Ireland.

'Yeſterday about two o'clock there fell a great ſhower of hail, accompanied with thunder, and afterwards rain. This hail has deſtroyed the little remains of wall-fruit which ſurvived the blaſting winds of the ſeaſon.'

July 4. Letters from Vienna, June 9, ſay, 'Private advices from Cherſon make no mention either of the coronation, or the performing of homage, or any other ceremony of this ſort. The empreſs the day after her arrival in this city, went, followed by all her court, to the Metropolitan church, where ſhe aſſiſted at the ſervice as well as at the Te Deum, which was ſolemnly ſung there. At the ſame time her majeſty ſtood ſponcer to two Tartars children who had embraced the chriſtian religion, and this ceremony was performed with the greateſt magnificence. One of the fineſt ſpectacles the auguſt travellers enjoyed during their abode at Cherſon, was the launching of three ſhips of the line; this operation was performed May 26, in the preſence of the two ſovereigns, accompanied by their reſpective ſuites, and before an immenſe crowd of ſpectators, with a ſucceſs that would have honored the moſt complete and beſt regulated dock-yards in Europe; the firſt of theſe veſſels was a three-decker, and carried 80 guns of the largeſt ſize: the ſecond a 70, and the laſt a 50.

July 6. Yeſterday the right hon. the lord mayor, ſheriffs, and aldermen, attended by the other city officers, met in the council chamber, Guildhall, and went from thence on the huſtings and held a common hall, for the election of a ſheriff for this city and county of Middleſex, in the room of William Farringdon, Eſq; who has ſworn himſelf off, when Mathew Bloxham, Eſq; citizen and ſtationer, was choſen without oppoſition. Samuel Swain, Eſq; the new elected alderman of Biſhopſgate Ward, was preſented to his lordſhip and the court of aldermen, and will be ſworn into his office the next court.

Extract of a letter from the Hague, June 26.

'The deſertion of the troops is become almoſt as conſiderable in the little ſtadtholderian army, as it was in our line. The ſoldiers arrive in bands to profit by the amneſty, and the high pay which the commiſſion of defence has granted to thoſe who ſhall return to their duty, as well as to thoſe who remained loyal. That deſertion has increaſed to ſuch a degree, that the prince has been obliged to form a line of cavalry, to prevent the battalions of Stuart and Grenier from returning to their old garriſon.

'The province of Holland, and the city of Utrecht, is at preſent guarded by burgher ſoldiers; the prince dares not leave his 5 or 6000 men againſt 15 or 20,000 patriots well armed and diſciplined, who in leſs than a day's time may unite in a body, and form an army that may perhaps carry their vengeance farther, if they find themſelves attacked.

'The court of Pruſſia wiſhes to operate a mediation, but is far from intending to take up arms againſt Holland. We ſhall ſee what the French mediation will produce, if however the other provinces will accept of it.

The ſtates of Zealand cannot agree; they quarrel among themſelves, and alſo with their ſupreme dictator. Their forces are not ſo conſiderable as is given out, and the officers are obliged to keep their ſoldiers in awe with a piſtol at their head, to prevent their deſerting. They have but 30 pence a week, and their comrades have now 50, in Holland and Utrecht.'

Among the cottages of the village of Peterdale, in Weſtmoreland, there is a houſe belonging to a perſon of ſomewhat better condition, whoſe little eſtate, which he occupies himſelf, lies in the neighbourhood. As his property, inconſiderable as it is, is better than that of any of his neighbours, it has gained him the title of king of Peterdale, in which his family name is loſt. His anceſtors have long enjoyed the title before him. We had the honor (ſays Mr. Gilpin) of ſeeing this prince, as he took the diverſion of fiſhing on the lake; and I could not help thinking, that if I was inclined to envy the ſituation of any potentate in Europe, it would be that of the king of Peterdale. The pride of Windſor and Verſailles would ſhrink on a compariſon, with the magnificence of his dominion.

So favourable a year as the preſent, both for graſs and corn, has not been known by the oldeſt perſon living; and there is the greateſt proſpect of plenty ever remembered: the prices of corn and grain in the ſouth are much fallen, and likely to fall more, as the crops there are very promiſing; and we do not find that there is any demand for ſending corn abroad.

An officer in a very gallant manner obliged Louis XIV. to do him juſtice. An ancient officer, whoſe diſtinguiſhed merit and ſervices had eſcaped the attention of that prince in a promotion of officers, went and moſt reſpectfully addreſſed him, ſaying—'I had expected no other than to die in the ſervice of your majeſty—but I did not think it would be with grief' The king, always equitable and grateful, took the firſt means of rewarding him with a promotion equal to his ſpirit and gallantry.

Extract of a letter from Liſbon, June 10.

'The archbiſhop patriarch has lately laid before the queen in her eccleſiaſtical cabinet, a plan for a thorough reform amongſt the religious orders of this kingdom, which has ſo long been wanted; by which it is intended to diſcharge all the lay brethren from out of the monaſteries; and to put the religious orders upon a footing entirely new. There are, it ſeems, political reaſons for keeping up the court of the inquiſition, but its powers are much reduced, and perſecution for religious opinions loſes ground at length, even in this country.'

On Saturday evening, about ſix o'clock, as Mr. Hard, the landlord of the Wheatſheaf, at Kingsfield turnpike, Suſſex, was wreſtling with a waggoner that had ſtopped at his houſe, they both fell cloſe to the heels of the ſhaft-horſe, which kicked the waggoner on the breaſt, and the landlord ſo violently on the head, as to ſtun him; the noiſe of the byſtanders occaſioning the horſes to go on before the landlord could be moved, the wheels of the waggon went over him, and cruſhed out his bowels; he remained in the moſt excruciating agony till 9 o'clock next morning, when he expired.

July 10.

Extract of a letter from Vienna, June 13.

"As to what concerns the preparations for war, all Conſtantinople ſeems to be in an entire ſtate of inactivity. In that regard, notwithſtanding what they ſay whoſe intereſt it is to tell another ſtory, we ſee neither recruits, nor any movement whatever, in the provinces. They aſſure us that the porte begins to repent having taken ſo ſtrong an alarm at the demands made by the court of Ruſſia, which, at the bottom, are reduced to very little. In ſhort, the Turks begin already to ſhew their anger againſt thoſe who have led them into an error, on the pretended vaſt projects of the cabinet of Ruſſia, by declaring publicly they have been deceived.

"For ſix days we have had no news from the emperor. They preſume he could not have ſeparated from the empreſs before yeſterday, the 12th of this month; but that conjecture is only founded on letters from Cherſon, previous to the departure of the illuſtrious travellers for the Crimea.

"Letters from Semlin mention of a courier extraordinary received by the governor the 30th of May from the pachas, who are oppoſing the new ſovereign of Albania, with accounts of their having been defeated in another engagement, and deſiring immediate ſuccours; but the pacha of Belgrade excuſed himſelf, ſaying, that according to the inſtructions he had received from the porte, he could not weaken the garriſons of his government."

The laſt letters from Leghorn give the following particulars of a very deſperate and bloody engagement, which happened off Meſſina the 30th of May, between a Malteſe man of war, commanded by a valiant knight of Malta, and an Algerine of the ſame force. The accounts ſtate that the attack was firſt made by the Algerines, who gave the Malteſe a broadſide, which carried away their mizen maſt cloſe by the board, and killed and wounded near twenty men; the fire was returned with the greateſt bravery:—And thus began one of the hotteſt and moſt reſolute battles that ever was fought between two ſhips in this part of the globe; each engaged with ſuch undaunted reſolution for near two hours yard arm and yard arm, that both ſhips were at one time on fire, but by the activity of the different crews was extinguiſhed. Nothwithſtanding this perilous ſituation they kept fighting all the time in a very deſperate and gallant manner, each ſide determined to ſink or conquer. During this terrible carnage, the noble knight was killed by a cannon ball as he was nailing the colours to the maſt.—This proved a great misfortune to the Malteſe, he being an officer of great experience and tried courage; yet the death of this veteran did not relax the ſpirits of his brave crew, who continued fighting like lions. We muſt allow the pirates ſhewed aſtoniſhing courage, and fought with the utmoſt fury, firing inceſſantly from every part of their ſhip with grape and chain ſhot, which did great execution among the people, and conſiderable damage to the ſails and rigging.—By this time they were ſo near each other, that upwards of 60 of the Barbarians, headed by a lieutenant, jumped on board the Malteſe ſword in hand, ſwearing they would neither give nor take quarters. This brought on a dreadful conflict upon the decks, with ſwords, piſtols, javelins, and lances; for near an hour till the Algerines were all killed with their bold and reſolute leader. Notwithſtanding this horrid ſlaughter, it did not prevent the pirates from making a ſecond boarding, which they effected with ſuch undaunted courage and determined reſolution, that in ſpite of every reſiſtance that poſſibly could be made, the Malteſe were overpowered and obliged to ſubmit to theſe daring ruffians, but before the infidels could take poſſeſſion of the ſhip ſhe blew up, and the pirates with all on board periſhed, except the Malteſe ſeamen, who were taken up the next day upon ſome pieces of the wreck by a Neapolitan barque, and carried into Naples; theſe people ſay, the Algerine ſhip was ſo terribly ſhattered in the hull, and her ſails and rigging ſo much damaged in the engagement, and ſo few of the villains left on board, that it was impoſſible ſhe ever could reach Algiers.

July 11. Yeſterday a meſſenger arrived expreſs at Lord Sydney's office, with diſpatches from the Duke of Rutland, at Dublin Caſtle.

Yeſterday morning ſome diſpatches were received from Charleſton, South Carolina, brought over in the Succeſs, Capt. Nairn, which is arrived in the Downs. They are dated the 2d of June, and contain an account of trade being very briſk there, and the arrival of a great many ſhips from England. The above ſhip has likewiſe brought over large remittances.

The rumours of an approaching war propagated with ſo much induſtry, the public may reſt aſſured, originate ſolely in the arts of thoſe, who derive or expect to derive a benefit from the depreſſion of the ſtocks. The only likely to happen is the war of the Bulls and Bears, which commenced about a fortnight ſince, and will doubtleſs continue with various ſtratagems and manœuvres till the 19th inſtant.

The camp formed at Givet is an ordinary tranſaction, from whence no influence adverſe to the peace of Europe ought to be deduced. Nor is any to be drawn from the reports of our preparations for war—the fact is neither France nor Great Britain are deſirous of incurring the expences of a war at preſent.

A letter from St. Omer's ſays, that on the 1ſt inſt. they had the moſt tremendous ſtorm of thunder and lightning that was ever remembered by the oldeſt man living, which did a great deal of damage, the windows in many houſes were ſhattered to pieces; ſeveral perſons who were in the fields were ſtruck dead by the lightning, as were upwards of 20 ſheep, and much damage was done in the adjacent parts of the country.

There were in commiſſion on the 1ſt inſtant 96 men of war, 18 of which are of the line, 5 of 50 guns, 28 frigates, and the remainder ſloops and frigates. This includes the whole naval peace eſtabliſhment of Great Britain in all quarters of the globe.

The following is an authentic liſt of the ſhips ordered to be immediately got ready at Breſt.

	Guns.		Guns.
Le Majeſteux	110	Le Northumberland	74
Le Royal Louis	110	Le Superbe	74
Les Deux Freres	80	Le Brave	74
Le St Eſprit	80	L'Illuſtre	74
L'Achille	74	Le Neptune	74
L'Hercule	74	Le Leopard	74
Le Magnamime	74	Le Temeraire	74

There being no court of aldermen held yeſterday at Guildhall, the bakers waited on the lord mayor, and informed his lordſhip, that a further advance was made on flour, when his lordſhip ordered the price of bread to be advanced one penny in the peck loaf, which is to take place to-morrow.

The following are the contents of a letter from the prince ſtadtholder to the ſtates general:

"High and mighty lords. We have this inſtant received certain intelligence that her royal highneſs, our dear conſort, was ſtopt in her way from Nimeguen to the Hague, near the town of Schoonhoven, by a party of burghers and military, and brought back to that town, and there detained in the name of the committee of the ſtates of Holland. We need not repreſent to you how ſenſibly we are hurt at ſuch an act of violence againſt an illuſtrious perſonage ſo nearly and dearly allied to us. Your high mightineſſes will eaſily imagine that we cannot but feel for ſuch an indignity offered to our houſe, and to the perſon of the royal princeſs; and we expect that your high mightineſſes will take ſuch immediate meaſures as may liberate her royal highneſs from her detention.

"We alſo expect that your high mightineſſes, who cannot but be concerned for the honour of us, our royal conſort, and our children, will obtain an immediate ſatisfaction to be made for the indignity offered to her royal highneſs, our conſort, as cannot be expected that the royal houſe, to which our conſort and us are ſo nearly allied, will paſs over ſuch an act of violence unnoticed. We remain, &c.

"WILLIAM, Prince of Orange."

We learn from Palermo, that an epidemical diſtemper has carried off 11,000 perſons in the ſpace of two months, which is attributed to the luxuries imported from France. Two galleys belonging to Malta had arrived at Palermo, and the commandant, according to cuſtom, complimented the viceroy of Sicily, in the name of his maſter, to whom he delivered the uſual preſents.

Letters from Barcelona in Spain ſay, that the plague continues to rage with ſuch fury at Algiers, that the people of that city die, on an average, 160 every 24 hours. The Spaniards have very liberally ſupplied them with lemons. The juice of lemons is eſteemed as ſingularly efficacious in this dreadful malady. A terrible ſore throat, it ſeems, is one of the ſymptoms of the preſent plague at Algiers. It is ſaid, that ſome ſudden vehement ſubterranean commotion is conceived to be the cauſe. Some of the unhappy ſufferers die almoſt as ſoon as they are ſeized with it. The Dey is never without myrrh.

M. de Calonne being ſtripped by the king of France of his ribband, has diſpoſed of his whole eſtate, his beautiful ſeat of Halonville, in Lorraine, and all his other fixed property, and has retired from France for ever.

Our affairs in the Eaſt Indies are in the moſt proſperous ſituation; the diſcount on the company's bond debts is reducing every day; and from every proſpect at preſent, the redundancy in the exchequer at Bengal next year, will be ſuch as will be very flattering both to the company and the public.

Wedneſday laſt the Jaſon, Sanderſon, belonging to the port of Newcaſtle, arrived there from the Greenland ſeas, with 92 ſeagers, 45 buts and 14 puncheons of blubber, and 5 tons and a half of fins, the produce of eight whales, 1126 ſeals, and one ſea horſe.—Captain Sanderſon confirms the loſs of the Favourite, Coward, of that port (whoſe hands were put on board other ſhips) and 14 other ſhips, 11 of which were ſaid to belong to Hull, and three to London, but we are happy to ſay no lives were loſt. He brings no other account of the ſucceſs of the veſſels belonging to Newcaſtle, than that the Induſtry had got two fiſh, and the Britiſh Queen was a clean ſhip, on the 5th of June.

As the preſent warm weather may be productive of many diſeaſes, particularly the malignant, putrid and inflammatory kind, in this diſſipated and populous metropolis, an eminent member of the healing faculty adviſes the following regimen of general diet, viz. to avoid all exceſs in eating, drinking, or exerciſe, to dine about the cool of the day on cold roaſt meats, with ſallads; and vinegar, which greatly reſiſt putrefaction, may be plentifully uſed; ſtrong punch, or heady malt liquors, ſhould be drank very ſeldom, and in ſmall quantities; to avoid the night dews and evening damps, which inſtead of refreſhing, corrupt the blood, and prepare the body to receive every infection that offers. Theſe eaſy rules are the moſt likely to promote and continue health, in the warmeſt or moſt uncertain weather.

Accounts from Margate and Dover ſay, that more perſons have ſailed from thoſe ports for the continent within the laſt month, than were ever remembered in ſo ſhort a time by any of the ſeafaring people at the above-mentioned places.

The brokers in the Alley, who have made time-bargains, begin to dread the ſettling day (the 19th) as much as a malefactor does the day of execution.

July 19. This is the day, "the great, the important day," when differences are to be ſettled for time-bargains, or ducks muſt waddle.

The confuſion that is expected to take place this day at the Stock Exchange will, in all probability, be equal to what we read of Babel of old, from the roaring of thoſe Alley beaſts, y'clept Bulls and bears.

A daily paper ſays, the king of Pruſſia has iſſued out orders for the march of 40 battalions of infantry, and 30 ſquadrons of horſe; together with the huſſars and dragoons, amounting to about ſixty thouſand men.—— They are ordered to proceed to Cleves. The councils of war and finances have alſo iſſued out the neceſſary orders for the ſupply of theſe troops, and the farmers have been ſent to, for furniſhing horſes and carriages, for conveying the artillery and ammunition.

The emperor being now arrived at Vienna, from his journey to Cherſon, a different aſpect of the affairs in the Low Countries may be expected in a few weeks, as it is not to be ſuppoſed that monarch will tamely look on and ſuffer the peace of Europe to be diſturbed thro' intereſted motives, and for factious purpoſes.

The emperor's return to Vienna is likely to revive the late diſturbances in Brabant. He declares, that he does not underſtand the nature of the grievances complained of, and does not approve of the eaſy compliance of Prince Kaunitz to the remonſtrance of the people.

July 24. This day will be iſſued out at the pay-office, Whitehall, an hundred and eighty two days half pay to his majeſty's American land forces, from the 25th of December 1786 to the 24th of June 1787.

The report of Mr. Eden's being made a peer, previous to his going ambaſſador to the court of Madrid, is premature.

On Friday morning lieutenant John Boſwell, an American loyaliſt, but lately employed in the Poſt-Office, was found dead at the bottom of the ſtairs at his lodgings in Sherborne lane, ſuppoſed to have fallen over the banniſters. The coroner's inqueſt ſat on the body, on Saturday evening, and brought in a verdict Accidental Death. He has left two children totally unprovided for.

The two gentlemen who are about aſcending in two ſeparate air balloons from the oil of vitriol works in Tooley-ſtreet, Southwark, are both men of learning and natural ſcience, and, perhaps a more ſolemn, and, at the ſame time, magnificent exhibition, never has been ſeen in this or any other country, than what they will diſplay (weather permitting) to-morrow at twelve o'clock. It has long been a queſtion with thoſe who are beſt acquainted with the feelings of the heart, whether a tempeſt by ſea or land be the moſt affecting. Be this as it may, the public will now have an opportunity to determine on the real gratification ariſing from the aſcent of two balloons at one time, which has never been done by any aeronauts before.

WHITEHALL, July 7.

The king has been pleaſed to grant the dignity of a Baron of the kingdom of Great Britain to the right honourable Sir George Auguſtus Elliott, knight of the moſt honourable order of the Bath, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, ſtyle and title of Lord Heathfield, Baron Heathfield of Gibraltar.

July 10. The king has been pleaſed to grant unto the right honourable Lord Heathfield, Baron Heathfield of Gibraltar, and his iſſue, his royal licence and authority to bear, as an honourable augmentation to his family arms of Elliott of Stobbs, the arms of Gibraltar, in conſideration of his eminent ſervices; ſuch arms being duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the Heralds Office; and alſo to order that his majeſty's conceſſion and eſpecial mark of his favour be regiſtered in his College of arms.

AMERICA.

CHARLESTON, (S. C.) Auguſt 27.

On Friday Peter, a negro fellow was executed, for a burglary in the houſe of Mr. Price. In his laſt moments he accuſed one J——s, with being the cauſe of his ignominious death, by encouraging him to ſteal, and alſo aſſiſting in diſpoſing of the ſtolen property.

Extract of a letter from a paſſenger on board the Pallas, captain Thomas Tingey.

"It is with pleaſure I announce our arrival at Beachy Head, in Suſſex, the 17th of May, though not till after a paſſage of ſix weeks to a day. From the 17th of April to the 23d, we had a very heavy gale of wind; in the night of the 20th it came on to blow ſo very furiouſly, that we could carry

no other ſail than the fore ſail, and in a very little time that was blown to atoms. Almoſt inſtantly the ſhip broached too, and lay in ſuch a poſition, as to make our ſituation truly alarming. The ſhip being very ſtrong and active, and the captain cloathed with great preſence of mind and activity, bro't her again under command. Indeed at one time the cutting away the maſts was thought our only means of eſcaping utter deſtruction. In this ſituation too much praiſe cannot be given to captain Tingey: he is perfectly the complete ſeaman and gentleman; no perſon could have paid more attention to us, and made our time more agreeable than he did."

Thurſday laſt put in here, in diſtreſs, the ſnow Lively of London, captain Park. She ſailed from St. Ann's, Jamaica, the 27th ult. and on the 13th inſt. ſpoke the ſhip Ellen of Liverpool, homeward bound, all well.

On the 15th at 5 P. M. within 15 or 20 miles of the Reefs lying off the ſouth extreme of the Florida Shore, a heavy gale of wind came on, which laſted till next noon; two men were waſhed overboard, and when the gale abated ſhe had between two and three ſtreaks heel. On the 18th ſhe paſſed Cape Florida, and ſaw two ſhips aſhore (one a three decker) which appeared to be inevitably loſt, and one at anchor. They muſt have been a part of the Jamaica fleet: a great number of ſmall craft were employed about them, which gives hopes that few lives were loſt.

Auguſt 30. Tueſday laſt arrived the ſloop South Carolina, captain Marſton, from Amſterdam in a paſſage of eight weeks and three days.

By this veſſel we are informed of the arrival in the Texel, on the 27th of June, of the ſhip Laurens, and on the 28th, at the ſame port, the ſhip Aurora, captain Olman, and the Maria, captain Coggeſhall, all from this place.

Captain Howard, in the brig ———, from New London, arrived at Amſterdam about the 23d of June.

A few days previous to the ſailing of captain Marſton, his excellency John Adams, miniſter plenipotentiary from the United States to the court of London, had been to the Hague, and had a long conference with the preſident of the ſtates general, after which he embarked for England.

Subſtance of a letter of a late date, received by a gentleman from his friend in Holland.

'The ſituation of our native country is truly lamentable! Certain it is, that a ſtop might eaſily be put to the prince's deſigns; but through the blindneſs and fooliſhneſs of many of our deceived citizens; the pride of our legiſlators at the Hague in the ariſtocratic cities (who employ all their power to render of little effect the influence which the people ought to have upon their repreſentatives) and from the aſſiſtance of the Britiſh, who wiſh our ruin—— through all theſe, we ſee an incredible confuſion; and fear, unleſs ſome very effective ſteps are taken to prevent it, that the prince, who avails himſelf of every probable advantage, will triumph. But ſtill there are ſome hopes: more than ſixty thouſand burghers have taken arms; yet the ruling powers do not ſufficiently encourage them: nevertheleſs, they turned out againſt their murderous enemies, and obtained a complete victory—two burghers only were killed, and a few wounded.

'There has been a horrible riot in Amſterdam. The parties fought deſperately, cannon ſhot was fired, and the burghers triumphed.

'I cannot give you the particulars, the newſpapers will tell you; but in referring you to them, I muſt caution you againſt giving much credit to the Hague and Briel Gazettes, which, with other publications, are ſaid to be under the influence of the prince's money, with which it is reported he is plentifully ſupplied by the Engliſh.'

Auguſt 29. On Saturday evening laſt a fire broke out in King ſtreet, occaſioned by the flame of a candle having communicated to a pavilion, but fortunately was extinguiſhed with no other damage than ſcorching a woman and child, and burning part of the bedding. Juſt after the fire, four men of gallows complexion, and armed with clubs, were obſerved in the croud, and ſtrongly ſuſpected by ſome gentlemen, one of whom cloſely watched their movements, and whilſt one of them was about to pick his pocket, (which he had previouſly ſecured) he arreſted the hand of another of the gang in the pocket of a gentleman who ſtood near him, which proved the fact to a demonſtration. The executive authority of the *lex populi* ſeized the culprit on the ſpot, conveyed him according to good ancient cuſtom, to a neighbouring pump, and poured over his hide its copious torrent, after which he was committed to the guard houſe; but as no proſecutor appeared the next morning at the uſual hour of releaſe, he was diſcharged. A correſpondent remarks, that there is the ſtrongeſt reaſon (ſhort of poſitive conviction) to believe this villain is connected with ſundry others who infeſt Charleſton and James Iſland; but as evidence ſufficient to ground a charge againſt them has not yet been obtained, they ſtill continue their nefarious practices. The many robberies which have lately been committed, and the frequent attempts to ſet fire to this city, (twice in a ſhort ſpace of time at two ſtables in Orange-ſtreet) call for the utmoſt vigilance of the police, and the ſerious attention and exertions of the good citizens to drag the baſe wretches to juſtice. The expediency of a volunteer patrole in each ward, is therefore ſuggeſted, in addition to the city guard and nightly watch—a laudable example of which has already been ſet by upwards of 20 gentlemen in a certain ward.

Seven of the priſoners, moſt of them committed for capital offences, broke gaol yeſterday morning. They made a hole at the top of the houſe, and deſcended by the aſſiſtance of ſome rags, which they tied together.

Dr. Perit, the beſt phyſician at Paris, has generouſly given to the town of Orleans the ſum of 66 000 livres (2750l) for eſtabliſhing an annual revenue for the relief of the poor.

There are to be four phyſicians and four ſurgeons, who will attend and diſtribute their medicines gratis, and their ſalary is fixed at 5000 livres to every phyſician, and 250 to every ſurgeon. It muſt be owned that it is a very noble and generous inſtitution for a ſingle individual, and a man who was not born of rich parents, but made all his fortune by his own merit. He was originally a ſurgeon, but made a very rapid progreſs in phyſiology, and received his degrees about 20 years ago. His treatment of patients is chiefly without preſcriptions.

NEW-YORK, September 7.

On Wedneſday night a wicked attempt was made to ſet on fire the ſtore of Mr. Cruger, in Front-ſtreet. It was fortunately diſcovered about one in the morning, and extinguiſhed without doing any material damage.

The very frequent attempts that have lately been made to ſet this city on fire, naturally lead us to credit the anonymous letters received from Baltimore by ſeveral gentlemen in town; and, however lightly the information they contained was paſſed over, it is too evident that a number of incendiaries are lurking about this city, with ſuch helliſh intentions.

Amidſt the horrors ariſing from the devaſtation of fire, it is ſome conſolation the owners of buildings in this city, that their houſes can now be inſured at an eaſy rate. The directors of the Mutual Aſſurance Fire Office meet for that purpoſe every ſecond Tueſday in the month; and, however we are induced from motives of humanity to pitty the diſtreſſed, yet we naturally blame thoſe who neglect ſuch means of ſafety as prudence points out.

As the circumſtance of the letters abovementioned is not generally known, we think it may not be amiſs, at preſent, to ſtate ſome of the particulars. They were brought by the Baltimore mail, about a month ſince, and contained information that a plot was formed, by a number of incendiaries, for the deſtruction of this city by fire, which, it was contrived, ſhould furiouſly rage in ſeveral quarters at the ſame inſtant; and that the conſpirators had ſo effectually provided for the ſucceſs of their diabolical enterprize, that the engines, buckets and pumps would be rendered of no utility, &c. It was in agitation, at that time, to have publiſhed the affair in this paper, but the intention was relinquiſhed, upon conſidering that it might encreaſe an unneceſſary alarm: as, from the ſentiments and ſtile, the letters were thought to be only the production of ſome diſorderly or thoughtleſs brain, not aware of the evils which ariſe from its ill judged levity.——However, from the recent attempts at Burling-ſlip, Front-ſtreet, and, we are informed, in other parts of the city, it certainly behoves every deſcription of the inhabitants to watch with vigilance over its preſervation. For this purpoſe the citizens ſhould form an aſſociation, and patrole the ſtreets every night. This would anſwer another valuable end—they might know whether the watchmen perform their duty, as guardians and preſervers of the city. In moſt of well regulated cities in Europe, the inhabitants turn out with alacrity, and patrole the ſtreets ſummer and winter.

All ſuſpicious characters, that are found walking the ſtreets in the night, after a certain hour, ſhould be examined, and their buſineſs known. This would effectually check the number of midnight ſtrollers, who interrupt the peace and quiet of the town. It is certain, that, unleſs vigorous and deciſive meaſures are adopted on this alarming occaſion, no one's perſon or property are ſecure from the depredations of a revengeful and villainous clan, who now infeſt this city.

We hear that a number of gentlemen have ſubſcribed very liberally to a paper, for the purpoſe of offering a large reward, to any perſon who will apprehend and bring to conviction, the perpetrator of the nefarious act of ſetting fire to Mr. Cruger's ſtore.

Yeſterday morning between one and two o'clock, another attempt was made by ſome villainous incendiaries to ſet fire to a quantity of looſe boards, nearly oppoſite to Mr. Griffith's ſhip chandlery ſtore, on Governeaur's wharf: two or three fellows were ſeen lurking about the place late in the evening; it is ſaid they took out the burner from one of the adjacent lamps to perpetrate this horrid deſign; it was happily diſcovered before it had taken any fatal effect, and extinguiſhed.

City of NEW YORK, ſſ.

At a meeting of the Magiſtrates of the ſaid city, on Thurſday, the 6th September, 1787.

WHEREAS the inhabitants have been alarmed in conſequence of ſeveral attempts having been lately made by ſome wicked incendiaries, to ſet FIRE to ſeveral buildings within the ſaid city; and the magiſtrates being called upon to uſe every meaſure for the preſervation of the peace and property of the citizens, and conceiving that it will be beſt to eſtabliſh ſtrong NIGHT-WATCHES, to conſiſt of the people at large, DO RECOMMEND that the inhabitants of the reſpective wards meet together to-morrow afternoon, at 4 o'clock (being Friday the 7th inſtant, at the following places, to regulate and eſtabliſh ſuch watch, in their reſpective wards, as to them may appear moſt convenient, and beſt calculated to anſwer that purpoſe, viz.

In the South-Ward, at Read's tavern, in Moore's-ſtreet.
In the Dock-Ward, at the Exchange.
In the Eaſt Ward, at the Coffee-Houſe.
In the Weſt-Ward, at Corre's tavern.
In the North Ward, at Vandewater's tavern.
In Montgomery-Ward, at Peck's Slip Market.
In the Out-Ward, at the Bull's Head tavern.

ROBT. BENSON, Clerk.

Sept. 8. This city has been three different times attempted to be ſet on fire by ſome inhuman villain or villains unknown; in conſequence of which, a meeting of the principal inhabitants of each ward of the city (as recommended by the magiſtrates) aſſembled laſt evening at the reſpective places appointed, to conſult on proper meaſures to be taken for the preſervation of the peace and property of the citizens.

The following are the regulations of the Eaſt Ward, who met at the Coffee Houſe.

At a meeting of the citizens of the Eaſt Ward, held at the coffee houſe on Friday the 7th inſtant, purſuant to a recommendation of the magiſtrates.

Mr. John Broome in the chair.

The following regulations for the ſecurity of the city againſt any attempts to ſet fire to the ſame, were propoſed and unanimouſly adopted, viz.

THAT the ward be divided into three diſtricts, viz. One diſtrict to begin at the Old Slip, and extend to Wall ſtreet, including the ſeveral ſtreets lying north and ſouth within the ſame.

The other to begin at Wall ſtreet, and extend to Maiden Lane, including the ſeveral ſtreets lying north and ſouth within the ſame.

And the other diſtrict to begin at Maiden Lane, and extend to Burling Slip, including the ſeveral ſtreets lying north and ſouth within the ſame.

That each diſtrict have a convenient watch houſe, and that 24 perſons of the ward be ſummoned in rotation to watch the ſame, eight of which number to do duty at each watch houſe, who ſhall partrole for one hour their reſpective diſtricts; the patrole to conſiſt of four perſons, by which means the relief will make the duty eaſy and not fatiguing. Each perſon who chuſes it, may arm himſelf with a ſword and piſtol.

And the following gentlemen are appointed a committee to carry theſe reſolutions into effect:—

Hugh Gaine,
Theophylact Bache,
James Nicholſon,
Lawrence Embree,
Alexander Robertſon.

New York, September 7, 1787.

[The evening being far advanced, we could not procure the regulations of other wards, but we ſuppoſe they are ſomething ſimilar to the above.]

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 12.

Extract of a letter from Hague, July 11.

'The members of the Equeſtrian Order, laid on the table yeſterday, their anſwer to the letter of the Princeſs of Orange, and her illuſtrious ſpouſe: this order of the ſtate inſiſts ſtrongly on the firſt advice gave on the ſubject; but the towns of Amſterdam, Gorcum and Schoonhoven, adhere to their firſt advice, which is declinatory; the towns of Haarlem, Leyden, Schiedam, Alkmar, Monickendam, and Permerend, have adopted the advice of Amſterdam; ſo there are decided towns. Dort declared by its deputies, 'That perceiving the reſpective letters of the prince and princeſs of Orange, are written in a ſtyle of *hauteur*, and little ſuitable to the reſpect due to a ſovereign; the town is not empowered yet to be explicit on the ſubject." Gouda and Rotterdam have not yet ſent to their reſpective deputies, their laſt inſtructions on this point. There then is aſſuredly a majority againſt the two principal points of the prince's letter to the ſtates, viz. 'A reparation of the inſult, and permiſſion to the princeſs to come to the Hague.' Theſe reſolutions will ſerve as the baſis for the anſwer to be given to the Pruſſian memorial, which requires 'the puniſhment of thoſe who arreſted the princeſs; but in the end, we hope, that the mediation of France will relieve us from all embarraſſments.

"We hear this moment, that the princeſs of Orange is now actually at Breda, from whence we ſuppoſe, her highneſs will attempt a ſecond voyage incognito to the Hague: this ſtep does not accord with the tenor of M. de Thulemeyer's memorial; or can we ſuppoſe, will be the means of cauſing the vigilance of the ſtates of Holland to ſtop. At all events, the guards and picquets are doubled in this place.

'The Equeſtrian Order have explained themſelves decidedly relative to the journey of the princeſs, and ſtrongly recommend her coming to this place.

'By accounts from different places, the revolution in favor of the ancient conſtitution becomes general. Many places have declared themſelves for the prince, and in others they have diſarmed the free corps. In ſhort, the fermentation is general throughout the provinces. The friends to the old conſtitution are now awakened, and their party encreaſes daily. At Middleburgh every thing is put upon the old footing, but not without great riot, pillage, and loſs of lives. At Deventer, in Overyſſel, all is in an uproar, and they are maſſacreing one another. The peaſants in the neighbourhood of Schoonhoven are in a ſtate of inſurrection, and vow they will ſack that place, where they dared detain the princeſs as a priſoner. All theſe are ſhocking ſchemes; God grant they may be prevnted before they get too far, and that matters may be ſpeedily ſettled ſo as to prevent the dreadful calamity of a general civil war, with which this unhappy country is theatened.'

Extract of a letter from Campen, July 8.

'The ſtates of our province, aſſembled in this town, on the 4th, 5th and 6th. The taking of the town of Haſſelt, by ſome deſerters from the Cordon, and effected through the treaſon of Secretary d'Almaras, was the object of their deliberations; but Haſſelt having been inveſted by a corps of the auxiliaries, and threatened with a cannonade from the ſhipping, the regency was conſtrained to requeſt from our ſtates, a ſafe conduct for a deputation to be ſent here, to enter into a ſort of a capitulation.

'The ſtates, although in power to puniſh the traitors of this plot, preferred clemency, and regulated ſix articles in favor of the regency, and other inhabitants of Haſſelt; at the ſame time pardoning what had been done.

'The ſtates before they parted, came to the following reſolutions:

'1ſt. The ABSOLUTE SUSPENSION of WILLIAM the Fifth, from the dignity of Stadtholder, and Captain, and Admiral General of the Province.

'2d. Not to pay their quota part of the emoluments attached to theſe three dignities, until the prince of Orange had put an end to his unjuſt ambition, which was the cauſe of all the troubles and calamities, which deſolated the dear country.

'The ſtates alſo wrote a circular letter to thoſe of Frieſland and Groningen, giving a detail of all the pillaging in Gueldres, of which they charge two regiments, as peculiarly culpable, viz. De Plattemburgh and De Sommorlaten; the firſt, belonging to Frieſland, and the latter to Groningen. Their mightineſſes, have joined to this letter, copies of the letters of ſecretary d'Almaras, and have requeſted their co-ſtates, to contribute by their immediate orders to the tranquility of the republic, and to oppoſe the uſurpation of Gueldres, who appears as wiſhing to give law to all the confederates.'

On Saturday night laſt arrived in this city, from New York, his excelleney Don Diego de Gardoqui, miniſter from his Catholic majeſty, to the hon. the Congreſs of the United States, on a viſit to his excellency general Waſhington, previous to his departure for his ſeat at Mount Vernon.

By captain Sutton we learn, that the Harmony was to ſail in a few days after he left London.

Peter Heiſſler

Has for ſale, at his ſtore in Second ſtreet, next door to Meſſrs. Wager & Habacker—A Quantity of excellent

GUNPOWDER;

Alſo, a few Spaniſh HIDES;—And

Rheniſh Wine by the dozen or quartercaſk *Sept* 11 1aw7t

Fayette County Taxes for the Year 1787.

A TRANSCRIPT of the returns and aſſeſſment of the lands of non-reſidents in the county of Fayette, agreeably to an act of aſſembly, paſſed Sept. 11 1786, is now publiſhed in the Freeman's Journal, No. 334. Printed by Mr. *Bailey*, Sept. 12, 1787.

ALL perſons concerned are hereby required to pay the taxes for the preſent year, on their lands in ſaid county, into the ſtate treaſury, before the 12th day of November next; when the names of the delinquents will be tranſmitted to the commiſſioners of the county, that they may proceed to enforce the payment as the law directs.

DAVID RITTENHOUSE, State Treaſurer.

Philadelphia, *September* 12, 1787. 1aw4t

James Miller,

In Front, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, has juſt Imported in the Pigou, from London,

OZNABRIGS ſileſias, dowlas
9 8 wide brown Ruſſia ſheeting
Red and white flannel
Mens and womens cotton and worſted hoſe plain and ribbed
Childrens worſted hoſe
Mens coarſe yarn hoſe
6 4 book muſlin and fine book muſlin handkerchiefs
F & FF gunpowder, bar lead
7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens
Sundries—and a Variety of other Articles ſuitable to the ſeaſon.—Which he will diſpoſe off on the moſt reaſonable terms, by the package or otherwiſe

September 11 wth&ſ

THE SUMMER's EVENING WALK.

(Addreſſed to an amiable young Lady.)

OH, may the Sun his empire ſoon reſign,
And Evening's influence o'er the earth extend!
So ſhall the converſe of my friend be mine;
How ſweet the converſe of ſo fair a friend!

In thee, Sophronia, peace and pleaſure live,
Senſe, candour, taſte, and unaffected grace,
Each thought that virtue, and that wit can give,
To fire the ſoul and animate the face.

To faſhion's triumphs, others may aſpire,
Heedleſs that grief and lux'ry are allied;
Nor me ambition urges to deſire,
The glare of folly, or the pomp of pride.

Far humbler joys! the bluſhing roſe I prize,
Than gems to me the dew drops brighter ſhine;
Yet what's the dew drop to thy radiant eyes!
Or what the roſe's hue compar'd to thine!

But ſee—his courſe Apollo downward bends,
O'er * * pouring many a parting ray;
While gentle evening from the ſky deſcends,
And ſhakes the dew drops from her pinions grey.

ANECDOTE.

A Well known grave lady being in converſation with a gentleman, and aſking him his opinion of ſeveral paſſages in the ſcriptures, deſired him to ſay what he underſtood to be the meaning of the phraſe, 'He was cloathed with curſes as with a garment.' The gentleman immediately replied, he ſuppoſed the paſſage was deſcriptive of ſome perſon who had a *habit of ſwearing.*

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On *SATURDAY* next, at Noon,

A Coach; a Bay Horſe

near 16 hands high, either fit for brewers draft, carriage, or chair, 7 years old. A ſound HORSE, nothing known to the contrary. 4tp Sept. 11.

A LARGE and GENERAL

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Wholeſale and Retail,

TO BE SOLD BY

William Beaven,

In Second ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, Philadelphia, viz.

SUPERFINE and ſecond cloths
Caſſimers
Scarlet, red and yellow flannels
Calimancoes, durants and moreens
Rattinets and ſhalloons
Drab coloured double ſattinet for mens breeches
Chintzes and calicoes
Silk umbrellas
Mens ribbed and plain ſilk and thread hoſe
Mens and womens cotton ditto
Ditto ditto ſilk and leather gloves
Black, white and blue ſattin
Brocades, mantuas and perſians
Corduroys and honeycombs
Furniture and cotton checks
Iriſh linens and brown hollands
Striped and maſqueraded bengals
9 8 and 3 4 cotton and linen ſtripes
Turky ditto
Fine black crape for gowns
Damaſk and diaper tablecloths
Clouting diaper
Wilton and Scotch carpets and carpeting
Silk, linen, cotton and check handkerchiefs
Striped and plain muſlins
Muſlin handkerchiefs
Sewing ſilks
7-8 and 3-4 ſtriped ticking
Black lace ſhades
Gauze aprons & handkerchiefs
Cotton & linen ſtriped linſey
White and brown buckram
White tapes
Elegant and common fans
Ditto ſilk purſes
Marſeilles quilting
Muſlinets and dimothies
Broad and narrow worſted bindings
Quantity of ſilk and linen dreſſed dolls
Steel collars for young ladies
Low priced knives and forks
Japanned Ware.
Elegant oval and ſquare waiters
Tea urns, coffee and tea pots
Sugar and tea canniſters
Bread baſkets and muggs
Hyſon TEA of the firſt quality by the cheſt, doz. or pound; beſides a number of other Articles not mentioned. *September* 11 w&ſ th&ſtf

TO BE SOLD,

A Commodious Store and Lot of Ground, in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite the New-Market, and clear of incumbrances. For particulars enquire of JOHN PALMER, Junr. wſtf

LANDS FOR *SALE*

IN MARYLAND,

THE ſubſcriber has for ſale, all that *TRACT* of *LAND* called *Beall's Plantation* and *Bateman's Field* (being part of *Snowden's Reputation Supported*) containing from a late ſurvey 676 and a half acres, ſituate on the head of South river, Anne Arrundel county, about 3 miles from navigable water, 12 from the city of Annapolis, 28 from Baltimore town, 24 from George town, and about 7 from the Inſpection Houſes of Indian Landing and Queen Anne, is well adapted for corn, wheat, and particularly tobacco.

This Plantation has not been tenanted for 3 years, is a moſt pleaſing and deſirable ſituation, and capable of great improvement at a ſmall expence; there are 259 acres of timber land, a greater part of which is very valuable. The ſubſcriber would prefer diſpoſing of the whole in one lot; but has no objection to making ſeveral of it: the timber land is conveniently ſituated for making ſuch diviſions in equal proportions, & there are many pleaſant ſituations for erecting different buildings; it is alſo well watered—A very good millſtream runs through it, and there is ſome meadow ground, and much more may be very readily made.

The improvements upon it are, a good dwelling houſe with three large rooms on each floor, kitchen, quarter, corn houſe, ſtables, tobacco houſe, and two very fine apple orchards, one of which contains 220 trees, together with a number of other valuable fruit trees.

A plan of this eſtate may be ſeen at Mr. *Vachel Stevens*, ſurveyor, Annapolis, who will ſhew the premiſes; alſo at Meſſ. *William Patterſon & Brother's*, Baltimore, and further information had. For price, terms, &c. apply to *JOHN WADDINGTON.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15. wtf

For Paper Money.

A QUANTITY OF

IRONMONGERY;

Woolen, Cotton and Silk GOODS;

Green Glass Bottles in Hampers;

GRINDSTONES,

And a large Quantity of

SALT;

ALSO,

TAUNTON ALE,

To be SOLD in Third street, by

Richard Wells & Son.

July 16 3tnw.wtf

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,

At their store on Mease's wharf, the second below the Drawbridge,

Pennsylvania refined Barr Iron,
Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughshare moulds with and without bars
English, German, and American steel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } *STOVES*
backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other castings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, sugar, coffee, &c. August 29. eo1m

William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.

Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4, 1787. mwf.1m

Just Imported and now selling by

Joseph Stansbury,

At his store in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, near the City Auction-Room,

A *General Assortment of*

China, Glass, and Earthen Wares,

Plain and Ornamental—Among which are, Teatable sets of enamelled china, rich Egyptian and cane ware, fine cut glass, and a few watch seals and chains. Orders from the country carefully attended to and executed, as usual, with fidelity and dispatch.

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c.&c.

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,

In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks, for sale by

w&tf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Duncan Ingraham, junr.

HAS FOR SALE,

LOW-PRICED German calico
Table linen of all sizes
Napkin diapers
Clouting ditto
Corduroys
Table knives and forks
Hammer Cutteaus
Desk and drawer locks
HL hinges
A variety of blank books
Window glass 7 by 9 and 8 by 10
Sheathing and drawing nails
Scupper ditto
6d sharps ditto
2s flat point ditto
3, 3 1-4, 3 1-2, and 3 3-4 inch cordage
White and tarred spunyarn
Marline and housline
Holland geneva of a superior quality in cases
Genuine Madeira wine of London particular and London market qualities, in butts, pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks
Musquets
Roll brimstone in casks
Rotten stone in ditto
Lisbon salt, &c. &c. August 27 eodtf

Lately Imported, and for sale by

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

FIRST and second quality St. Croix sugars in hogsheads, tierces and barrels; sweet oil in baskets of a superior quality; liquers, ratifia, and best double distilled lavender water in cases, Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons*, on the north side the subscribers' alley, with the wharf in front; also, a convenient three story Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the subscriber—*And to be sold*, A House and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchase money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&stf

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John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the store lately occupied by Messrs. Bache & Shee, on the west side of Front, the 5th door south of Chesnut street, where he has for sale on the lowest terms——Window Glass of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25 s&wtf

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Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnership of *Footman & Shippen* being this day dissolved: all persons indebted to them are earnestly requested to make immediate payment.

The remaining Stock on

Hand of said Partnership, consisting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be disposed of on advantageous terms, for Cash, Paper Money of the last Emission, or upon a short Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the first quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8 4 bath coatings
Fine forrest cloths
Blue and drab linsies
Striped cotton linsies and German stripes
Embossed serges
Plain and spotted swanskins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kersies and fearnoughts
Printed linsies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Castor and beaver hats
Superfine cassimers
Mens and womens worsted hose
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens spotted hose
Mens white and brown thread hose
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demascus and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton shawls
Fringed silk handkerchiefs
A large assortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarse catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, spotted & striped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and soufflee gauzes
Black taffity and persians
Blue and rose coloured sarsnets
White and pink sattins
Rich black armozeens
White and puse coloured mantuas
Marseilles quilting
Russia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton stripes
Womens black silk velvet
Long pile mohair plushes
A Variety of Stuffs, viz.
Dorsettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, most colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, shalloons & ratinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thicksetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonsopretties, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White stitching threads
Worsted mitts
Womens black silk gloves
Coloured fans
Chinese ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twist
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glasses
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread baskets
Japanned bottle stands
Womens ticking stays
Elegant persian carpets
Hoses shoes
Cutlery and Hardware, viz.
Steel and plated spurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Scissars and shears
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and pistol capt knives
Childrens plain & spotted knives
Silver and brass links
Corkscrews, spectacles, combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
H hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candlesticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the cask
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 f&w3m

Isaac Hazlehurst & Co.

(In Water-street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets)

HAVE for SALE

The Following

GOODS;

Most of which have been imported in the latest vessels from the different and most advantageous ports of exportation for the respective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in cases of superior quality, Ditto 2d ditto, Ditto inferior do } all genuine and good of their kind.
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyson, Green, Souchong, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per sheet
Ditto fit for sheathing a vessel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and brass wire of different sizes
Brass kettles in nests, English and Dutch
Bristol window glass 8 by 10
A small assortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan House, at Halle in Saxony
German school books of different sorts
Ditto glass tumblers assort.
German looking glasses of various sizes
Nuremberg toys for children
Best Dutch rappee & Weston's snuff
Table setts of china and china plates
Boxes of English glass ware assorted fit for country stores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German steel
German scythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetstones
Frying pans
Shovels and spades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and short
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glass pint cannisters with screws
English and French sail cloth
Pit saws of different sizes
A new copper still, head and neck, fit for a still of 8 - 900 gallons, will be sold cheap
A ship's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca snake-root
Womens London shoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general assortment of

EUROPEAN GOODS,

In their original packages, and opened as may best suit the purchasers; they are well adapted to the season, and will be sold on low terms for cash, or at the customary credit.

They have also for sale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to dispose of on the lowest terms for cash:

Nail rods of different sizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and sheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and spades
Phæton and chair tire

They have also on hand a quantity of large sap pine Scantling, which they will sell at a reasonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. August 18. f&w tf

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A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Just PUBLISHED, *Sold by*

Thomas Dobson,

In Second street, between Chesnut and Market streets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne*'s FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, small pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handsomely bound and lettered, *Price* 3/9

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and sciences, vol. 1st, large 4to. with six copperplates *Price* 25*s*.
2. The beauties of history, or pictures of virtue and vice drawn from real life; designed, and admirably calculated for the instruction and entertainment of youth, 2 vols. 15*s*.
3. Dr. Beattie's poems, beautifully printed on superfine writing paper—*Price only* 2/6
4. Fordyce's sermons to young ladies, a new edition, 2 vols. in 1—*Price only* 6*s*.
5. The adventures of Alphonso after the destruction of Lisbon, from the Portuguese, 1/6.
6. Smith's elegiac sonnets, 1*s*.
7. Dr. Beattie's evidences of the christian religion. 3*s*.
8. The art of speaking; containing an essay on the art of speaking, and select lessons in prose and verse, calculated for the use of schools or private perusal—*Price* 6*s*.
9. Scott's lessons in elocution, or a selection of pieces in prose and verse, for the improvement of youth in reading and speaking, as well as for the perusal of persons of taste, 6*s*.

The distinguished preference which this book has obtained, both as a collection for schools, and a valuable book for private improvement, is a sufficient testimony of its superior merit. This fourth edition, now presented to the Public, is still farther improved: the compiler having brought it to its present improved state, has determined to let it remain so, to prevent the inconveniencies of too frequent variations.

N. B. A few copies of the third edition are still on hand, for the use of those schools where it is introduced.

10 Scott's introduction to reading and spelling; a new edition, very much improved, 2/6. w&stf

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This Day is Published, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market street—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.

By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.

That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains shall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The seas shall waste, the skies in smoke decay,
Rocks fall to dust and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his saving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever lasts, thy own Messiah reigns.
Pope.

The subject of the above piece, having been much canvassed of late, both in Europe and America, the the curiosity of the Public, and especially of such gentlemen of the city who are pleased with the discovery of Truth, may be excited to the perusal of the sentiments and reasoning of a fellow citizen, upon so momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Also, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;

And the BUDDS OF BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Augustus Chatterton*, esq. mws4w

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Wants a Place in a Store,

A Young MAN of a good family, who arrived from Germany last year, was brought up in the mercantile line, understands and writes a good hand in the German, French and English Languages. Enquire of the Printers. Sept 6 3teo

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A Gentleman having about two or three months leasure time, would be happy to employ it in *Transcribing Writings* in English or French, or *adjusting Accounts*. A line directed to A. B. to be left at the Printers, will be immediately attended to. Sept 6 eo3t

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ALL persons indebted to the estate of *Richard Tarbet*, late of this city, merchant, deceased, are requested to make payment of their balances as soon as possible; and those who have demands upon said estate, are requested to produce them to

Isabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguson, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for sale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet*'s importation, in part consisting of striped and plain kentings of sundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be sold wholesale, at prime cost, for cash.

Philadelphia May 24, 1787. m&w1m

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by assignment made over his Estate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the subscribers, as assignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Those having demands are requested to furnish their accounts; and all who are indebted, are earnestly desired to make speedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting assignee—Who has for sale on the most advantageous terms for cash, at James Wilson's store, Second, between Market and Arch streets, a general Assortment of seasonable DRY GOODS.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Beaven.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8, 1787 3taw4w

TO BE LET, A

LARGE, convenient, three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of South and Penn streets. For terms please to apply to JAMES HUNTER, in Second street, below Walnut street.

August 22 3sw

The SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has Opened a

Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

In Front street, between Market and Chesnut streets, two doors from Chesnut street, on the Bank side.

Where he intends to carry on business in that line in the most regular manner in its various branches, and means to sell on as reasonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Ladies and Gentlemen who would be so kind as to favour him with their custom, by leaving their measure may depend on having their work done in the neatest and best Manner, and according to their directions, with quick dispatch.

And for the conveniency of those who want to buy ready made work, there is a good assortment of different qualities. ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR.

N. B. Those who favour him with orders from the country, may depend on being served at said Manufactory on reasonable terms, with the utmost punctuality. All Goods bought at said Manufactory repaired on reasonable terms. August 7 w&stf

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Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

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ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

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TO BE LET,

A Commodious three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market street, between Front and Second streets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

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Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the southwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

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A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be sold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, and state of Pennsylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making superfine flour, having two pair of stones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, also very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Susquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on said river. The Saw-Mill was new built last spring, and is also in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on said place a good stone dwelling house with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the possession of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premises, or to the subscribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan, } Assignees of
John Barclay, } T. B. Hugo.
John Miller, }

N. B. If they are not sold before the 17th September, they will on that day be exposed to Public Sale on the spot, by the subscribers. *Sept.* 8 d

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Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars

REWARD.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

No.	Name	£.	s.	d.
10717	Reede and Forde, for	176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiser.*

[Price Four-Pence.] THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1787. [No. 2685.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 13 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

TO-MORROW,

The 14th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,

Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept* 13.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House*, on *Tuesday* the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening,

Will be Sold to the Highest Bidder,

The Life Estate of Joshua Pusey,

A Bankrupt, in the following Property:

A WELL finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, on the north side of Pine street, between Second and Front street now in the tenure of Mrs. York, and rents at 50l. and the taxes per annum: the house is 20 feet front by 32 feet deep, and built over an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide, of which it has a privilege. The lot is 80 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of 40*s.* sterling per annum.

A well finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, situate on the south side of Queen street, in the Southern-liberties of this city, between Front street continued and Swanson street, now in the tenure of Mr. Frederick Bird, and rents at 35l. per annum: the house is 22 feet front by about 30 feet deep, with the privilege of an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide. The lot is 90 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of ——— per annum.

A lot or Stamper's lane, in the township of Moyamensing, and about two miles from the city, containing two and a half acres of good meadow ground, is now leased to Mr. William Bronger, for the term of 5 years from the 1st day of March, 1784, at the rent of 15l. specie per annum. Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the estate of Joshua Pusey, a Bankrupt.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are required to make payment to the subscriber, on or before the 1st day of October next. Those who neglect to comply with this request will be proceeded against as the law directs. R. R.

Philadelphia, Aug 29, 1787 th&tu.tf

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by

Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

THOSE gentlemen who are appointed to receive subscriptions for the encouragement of American manufactures, are requested to collect the money subscribed, and to pay whatsoever monies they may have received, into the hands of John Nixon, esquire, treasurer, as soon as possible.

By direction of the Board.

GEO. FOX, Sec'ry.

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A LOT of GROUND, situate on the west side of Fourth street continued in the Northern-Liberties, being in length 668 feet 6 inches, from Brown street to Poplar lane, being the east front of the following lots of ground, viz. in the front of John Young, junr's. lot 136 feet 9 inches; in the front of Thomas Coats's lot 178 feet 6 inches; in the front of the estate of Samuel Burge, deceased, 198 feet 6 inches and in front of the estate of John Hughes, deceased, 145 feet 9 inches.

The subscriber will also sell the *ANNUAL INTEREST* of from 1000 to 5000l. in Ground-Rents, the whole having good securities. Any person inclining to purchase 300l. per ann. may have several years credit, paying one-third of the purchase money down.

To be Let on Ground-Rent forever,

A number of valuable *LOTS of GROUND*, situate on Third, Fourth, Coats, Brown, Budds, St. John, and Charlotte streets. For terms apply to the subscriber, or Mr. *Peter Thomson*, Scrivener, in Race street, or Mr. *Richard Whitehead*, Scrivener, in Front street, where Plans of said Lots may be seen. 3tawtf

Philadelphia, June 20 WILLIAM COATS.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

MY warmest thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by choosing me one of your Representatives in the General Assembly these three years past; permit me now earnestly to solicit the favour of your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen,*

Your most obedient and most humble Servant

William Will.

Philadelphia, August 6, 1787

Philadelphia, September 7, 1787.

To the *Electors* of the City and County of Philadelphia,

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING had the honor of holding the Office of Sheriff this two years past, which I have endeavoured to discharge according to the best of my abilities, and shall continue so to do (if continued therein) for which I humbly request your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, which shall be gratefully acknowledged by,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient, humble Servant,

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and solicit a Continuance thereof as the ensuing Election, for the *Coroner*'s Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, August 25, 1787. eotf

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,

FOR SALE BY

Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,

In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,

Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Just arrived and to be sold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of

Cape of Good Hope WINES.

September 7. 2w3taw

A Cargo of Excellent

MOLASSES,

FOR SALE BY

Wynkoop and *Siemen*,

LIKEWISE,

ALBANY PEAS,

In casks of 7 bushels each, fit for shipping.

September 5 eo3t

For Curacoa,

The Sloop DOLPHIN,

GASPER FOULK, Master;

TWO-thirds of her cargo is already engaged; will sail the 13th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Smith's wharf, between Arch and Race streets, or to

PETER BORGER,

Who has removed to Water street, between Arch and Race streets, where he has for sale, imported in the last vessels—Green coffee, bohea tea, rice, nutmegs, cassia, lampblack, crucibles of different kinds, coffee mills, claret in cases, chintz and calicoes, 8, 9 and 10 quarter best Flanders bedtick, Russia duck, superfine and coarse cloths, woolens, boulting cloths, looking glasses, plough share moulds. Sept 7

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,

William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale, A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,

GEORGE ROACH, Master;

ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD,

Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,

William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *House, Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water street between Arch and Race streets. Enquire of John Thompson, merchant, in Front street. 3taw3w

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To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a house in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Chesnut streets, or for a good vessel,

Two new well-finished Brick Houses;

Situate on Eleventh and Locust streets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingston.

eo1m August 17

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for sometime past kept the Inn in Black Horse Alley; is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third street. He begs leave to solicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and assures those gentlemen who formerly frequented that house and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themselves and horses, shall be furnished in the best and most careful manner, and on the most reasonable terms. 3tawtf.

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST, Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

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THE Partnership of FRIES and CHANCELLOR being this day dissolved by mutual consent, all persons having demands against the said partnership are desired to bring their accounts either to John Fries, the south west corner of Market and Third streets, or to William Chancellor, at the store formerly occupied by Fries and Chancellor, where they will be paid; and all those indebted to them six months are desired to make immediate payment to either place, as above directed.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1787, 3teo

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea

Blue and white setts of table china

Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto

India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans

Japanned tea-boards, ink-stands, &c.

Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen

Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen

Ditto of an inferior quality

Copper bottoms

French and English silks, cottons and calicoes

Irish printed linens

Ribbands and silk hose

Superfine cloths

Gauzes and kentings

Bindings, threads and tapes

Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather. d Sept 5

Wanted to Purchase,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennsylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Highest Price will be given.

Country People and others may be supplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.

Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Deposits, and negociated so as to accommodate People with the Kind that may best suit them—By applying to

Francis White,

eptf Chesnut street, near the BANK.

Steemer, Albright & Lahn,

HAVING established a *Weekly* GERMAN NEWSPAPER, at Lancaster, which circulates through almost every part of Pennsylvania and Maryland (particularly through the interior parts of Pennsylvania) inform those who wish to communicate intelligence respecting the sale of houses, lands, and other property, or any other kind of information, to the *Germans*, that Advertisements are inserted in the said Paper, on the same terms as in the Philadelphia Papers—the translation *gratis*. Application may be made to Mr. CHARLES CIST, Printer, in Race street, a few doors below Second street, Philadelphia, who will forward instructions for the above purpose.

They likewise perform all kinds of Printing Work in the English and German language, on moderate terms, with care and expedition: and constantly have for sale, an assortment of English, German, French, Latin and other School-Books; Books of Entertainment; Blank-Books, and all kinds of Stationary.

N. B. They also keep a valuable *German* CIRCULATING LIBRARY. Aug. 24. 1awtf

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☞ Mr. Peale's respectful compliments to the gentlemen sportsmen of Philadelphia, and will be obliged to them for such Birds and Beasts as are not yet preserved in Mr. Peale's Museum.

British Vessels.

THE Master of every British Vessel, entering the Port of Philadelphia, is requested to make report of his arrival to his Britannic Majesty's Consul.

Second-street, Sept. 8, 1787. ep4w.

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks

Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto

Catalonia red and white wine in ditto

Jamaica and Windward Island rum

Fresh raisins in kegs and jars

Hyson tea in quarter chests

China and queens ware in boxes and crates

A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes

With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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A few beautiful Dining Setts of

Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD, BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Thomas Mackie & Co:

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts Sept 7 d

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Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses,

New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.

Ditto in Hogsheads,

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 23. etf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,

A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Philip Boehm

At his *Store* between Arch and Race streets, nine Doors below Race street, has for Sale the following

GOODS,

At the most reasonable Prices for cash or short credit,

JAMAICA SPIRITS,

West-India and Philadelphia Rum

Lisbon, Mountain, Teneriffe, Fyal — WINES

Gin by the case

Tea, Coffee, Pepper and Sugar

Lamp Oil and Mackrel.

N. B. He hopes that his former customers will continue their favours. Aug 31

Further Advices

By the Pigou, captain Sutton, in 45 days from London.

L O N D O N, July 19.

Memorial presented to their High Mightinesses the States General of the United Provinces, by the Baron Thulemeyer, Envoy Extraordinary from his Prussian Majesty.

High and Mighty Lords,

THE wisdom of your high mightinesses must have anticipated the astonishment and affliction which his Prussian majesty experienced, on hearing that the intended journey of his royal sister to the Hague, undertaken with the most disinterested views, had been prevented by a party of armed men, near Schoonhoven. His majesty is informed of the enlightened opinion that has prevailed in the assembly of their high mightinesses in regard of this unexpected and attrocious attempt, as well as the resotions they have taken upon the occasion, which he must certainly approve.

By the express order of his Prussian majesty, the undersigned has transmitted to their mightinesses the states of Holland, the memorial of which the subjoined is a copy, and in which he insists upon the most explicit and ample satisfaction, as well as condign punishment upon the authors of the injury. Your high mightinesses will doubtless co operate in his majesty's wishes with that zealous warmth which the undersigned has had the happiness to experience on more than one occasion, for the support of that friendship and harmony which has hitherto subsisted between the two states.

(Signed)

THULEMEYER.

Hague, July 10.

Memorial presented to their Great and High Mightinesses the States of Holland and West Friesland, by his Excellency the Baron de Thulemyer, Envoy Extraordinary from the King of Prussia.

Noble, Great, and Mighty Lords,

THE king could not hear, but with the most sensible concern, of the attempt made against his august sister, at Schoonhoven, whom the most disinterested and salutary intentions were conducting to the Hague. Her royal highness obstructed in her journey, found herself surrounded by soldiers, and armed men were even placed in her apartment.

It is by express order of his Prussian majesty, that the undersigned, his envoy extraordinary, has the honor to address your noble and great mightinesses, and to insist in the strongest and most pressing manner, upon the most ample satisfaction for this injury, and on the punishment of its perpetrators. The undersigned will use all dispatch to inform his majesty of the effect these representations may produce upon the assembly of the states of Holland.—His majesty will judge, by the result of their deliberations, at what price they value his future friendship.

(Signed)

THULEMEYER.

Extract of a letter from Utrecht, July 12.

'From Overyessel we hear, that the town of Hasselt is as yet free from the coufusion which reigns in other parts of the state. The secretary D'Almaras, the most violent among them, fearing the punishment of his crimes, took to flight and is, as we suppose, in Guelderland. One of the burgomasters and several of the seditious inhabitants, have followed his example. Some of them were taken by the guard boats which ply on the Zuyderzee, and sent to prison. The province of Overyessel has now only to fear the troops of Guelderland and Amersfort.

'In the way of precaution, however, they have not been neglectful. They have appointed to the command of the patriotic army, Mr de Ternant, an officer of distinction, who gave many proofs of his bravery and knowledge of war in Corsica and America. He has already been sworn into the important office of commander in chief of the troops of Overyessel; these troops consist of about 3000 men, but they are to be augmented, and form a line along the Yssel, to oppose the line formed by the troops of Guelderland on the opposite side of the same river, and whose object is to begin upon Overyessel.

'For the greater security still, the states of Overyessel, seeing the manner in which the stadtholder breaks through all ties of attachment to the country, have suspended his highness from the office of captain general of their province; and they are taking every method to contrive their military measures with those of the commission of Holland, as well as the council of defence of Utrecht.

'Our letters from Friesland inform us, that the burghers, although hitherto kept in awe by main force, begin to make a common cause with the patriotic corps of the other provinces, and are hopeful that the stadtholderians will be baffled in all their attempts to deprive them of liberty.

'Monday last a detachment of the garrison of this place went to reconnoitre a pass of the enemy near the village of Bunnick; but the prince's troops not choosing to appear, no engagement took place, and the detachment returned to Utrecht.

'About eight o'clock the same evening, an alarm was given by firing the cannon of the town; the whole garrison was immediately up in arms; some advices had been received that seven or eight hundred men from the camp at Zeist had gone upon an expedition to take Vaart, a pass of great importance. General Ryngrave de Salm marched immediately to the assistance of the garrison in that place, with a part of his legion, and a detachment of the auxiliary burghers. Other detachments marched different ways from the several gates of the city, as there was some reason to suppose that the enemy meant to divert the general towards Vaart and surprize Utrecht. But this alarm was without foundation, as the enemy did not make their appearance.

'We are every hour expecting to hear of an attack upon some town or towns in Holland which are weakly defended.'

Extract of a letter from Ostend, July 14.

'We are all in confusion at this place, it being yet uncertain what steps the emperor will take against the states of Brabandt and Flanders, as he seems determined to have his orders obeyed: couriers are passing daily from Vienna to Brussels, and it is thought a few days will determine the event. The smugglers here are frightened for fear of a Flemish mob——they say, their property will all go first.'

'We had the other day a grand triumphal entry of a Capuchin Friar, the father of a convent, who was banished some time ago by command of the emperor for not complying with his orders, but the states have now thought fit to liberate him—how the emperor will like this time must determine.

'This week we have been entertained with a grand review of archers from Bruges, who came down the canal to this place in a smuggler's cutter, with almost all the colours of all nations flying, cannons firing, trumpets sounding, and drums beating, the annual prize having been won by a person of this place.

'The English church here is all confusion—a party has turned out the clerk for mal-practices; and the other side say he is just as good a character as any that are among them; but thers is a strong contest for another, there being several respectable candidates.

'The new buildings still continue to go on, tho' not so rapidly. Many of the smugglers have removed from the old town to the new, and most of the houses are let. There is a very handsome new road making from the new ramparts to the first barrier, by the Folly Garden.'

Of all the deluders and betrayers of womankind, remarks a correspondent, those are the worst who debauch them under a promise of marriage; such promises young innocent girls have too often trusted to; such promises they will too often trust to; and such has been the consequence of a deception of this nature within the last three days, that a reputable tradseman in the city has been deprived of an only child, who, to avoid the shame of exposure, had the fatal resolution to plunge into endless night; leaving behind her, unsealed, a melancholy letter addressed to her seducer; who, notwithstanding his villainy, carries the matter off with the most perfect sangfroid.

Humphries and Mendoza are to fight 50 miles off London; the time is not yet fixed, but it is said to be intended for the first week in August. If we must have such human sacrifices, the farther they are from the metropolis the better.

Of the unfortunate Mr. Elliot, who was lately tried for an attempt to shoot Miss Boydell, the two essays lately published on Light and Colours, and the analogy between Heat and Motion, prove him to be no madman. His theory, though its truth may in some instances be justly questioned, is supported with great philosophical learning and ingenuity.

In the course of these essays, he lays it down as his opinion, that the sun is not, as natural philosophers generally suppose, a ball of fire, but merely surrounded at some distance by an atmosphere of vivid Aurora, in order to prove which, he had originally addressed a letter on the subject to the Royal Society. This letter the physician of St. Luke's produced as an incontestible proof of his insanity.

Authentick copy of a letter sent by her Royal Highness the Princess of Orange to the States of Holland, dated at Nimeguen, July 1, 1787.

'*Noble and Mighty Lords,*

'We were very much surprised on Thursday the 28th of June, to be detained by order of the committee of your noble mightinesses, for the defence of the province, and of the city of Utrecht, from proceeding on our journey to Orange Zeal, notwithstanding we had confidently assured the said committee, that it was for no other purpose but to endeavour the restoration of peace and quietness: and that, in order to prevent trouble, we had tho't proper to keep it as secret as possible. We cannot conceal from your noble mightinesses, the manner in which this step was executed and carried on by your noble mightinesses. After we returned from the place where we were first detained, to Schoonhoven, from whence we acquainted your noble mightinesses of this proceeding, and at the same time remonstrated how little it accorded with our feeling and understanding, and how much we wished to proceed on our journey; we indeed flattered ourselves, that in consideration of the attention which we had a right to expect from your noble mightinesses, that your noble mightinesses would never countenance the behaviour of your committee; but, upon knowledge of the same, would have afforded us the means of accomplishing our journey and our intentions, meant for the good of the country. But, on the contrary, your noble mightinesses have not only made us wait at Schoonhoven until Saturday the 30th of June, for your answer, but at that time sent us word, that no conclusive answer could be then given; whilst we received a letter from the principal of the aforesaid committee, informing us, 'That their conduct had been approved of by your noble mightinesses.'

'This approbation of your noble mightinesses of our being detained notwithstanding our verbal assurances, and our writing the proceedings, besides the express application made by the states general at their last meeting, to grant us a free passage to Orange Zaal, we cannot consider otherwise, than as a public proof of mistrusting our illustrious word and declared intention; and likewise a great impediment to the liberty which ought not to be refused to us in our present situation, especially in this republic in general, and your noble mightinesses' province in particular. We therefore did not hesitate, on receipt of those advices from your province, to return hither; and as your noble mightinesses, through the aforesaid violent measure, have frustrated our good and peaceable intentions, we find ourselves obliged, not only to demand a public and ample reparation for the affront offered to us; but likewise to protest, in the most forcible manner: 'That from this time, all the consequences so much dreaded from the present disturbances, and a civil war, with which we are menaced, and which we, by our interference, hoped to prevent, are entirely to be accounted for, and answered by those who, through their violent measures, have prevented our endeavours, and gained a superiority by their influence.' However, notwithstanding the present fermentation, and the insult offered by your noble mightinesses, we shall never cease to further the true welfare of a nation, from which we have experienced in general many tokens of respect and love; and we continue to receive the same, notwithstanding the humiliating resolutions and actions of your noble mightinesses.

'We recommend your noble mightinesses to God's only protection, being your noble mightinesses humble servant,

WILHELMINA.

Nimeguen, July 1, 1787.'

A Lad Wanted.

Wanted in a Compting-House, a Lad about 14 years of age, of good character, he must write a fair hand, understand figures, and be well acquainted in the city. Enquire of the Printers,

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A M E R I C A.

RICHMOND, September 5.

Died on the 15th ult. at the seat of Mr. Richard Bland Lee, in Loudoun county, the Hon. Henry Lee, senator for the district of Fairfax and Prince William, in the fifty eighth year of his age, 30 of which had been assidiously devoted to the service of his country.

PETERSBURG, August 9.

On Thursday last, Monsieur Honore Giroud, a merchant in Halifax town, North Carolina, shot himself with a pistol, and expired immediately.

FREDERICKSBURG, Sept. 6.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Fayette county, to his friend in this town, Aug. 16, 1787.

'The Indians are very troublesome. A few days past they broke in upon the inhabitants in the Cumberland settlement, on the edge of North Carolina, and killed, it is said, 40 families. A campaign is ordered for their relief, which will march from hence next Sunday. This cruelty is supposed to have taken place in consequence of a number of men having marched this spring, from the same place, against a considerable camp of savages, who are settled on the Wabash river, and proved very troublesome to the inhabitants, in both killing and stealing horses. They were defeated and a considerable quantity of plunder taken, said to amount to 3000l. specie.'

Tuesday morning the 28th ult. departed this life at Richmond, Mrs. Harrison, spouse of Benjamin Harrison, jun. esquire, of that city. She sustained her last illness (though most severe and afflicting) with that fortitude and resignation, which evince the good woman, in the hour of pain and death. Ever remarkable for gentleness of manners, humanity and probity, she conciliated the affection, friendship and confidence of all who knew her; on the day following her corpse were attended by a number of her friends and acquaintances to the family burying ground of Wilton, where she was interred.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 13.

General Assembly.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A petition was presented from a number of the inhabitants of Washington county, praying that the boundaries of the new county to be erected from parts of Westmoreland and Washington, should be extended. Ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for authorising Peter Legaux to erect a public ferry at Springmill, on the river Schuylkill, being compared at the table was enacted into a law.

On motion, Saturday next was appointed for taking up the bill establishing the right of John Vendergraft to erect a bridge on the Snamuey in Buck's county.

The bill for dividing Washington county into election districts was called up for a third reading, when Mr. Brackenridge moved for a postponement. It was observed by the advocates for the postponement, that on Friday next the house would ultimately take into their consideration, the propriety of erecting a new county from parts of Washington and Westmoreland; and that the petition presented this day for extending the boundaries of the projected county, introduced a question, which interferred with the object of the present bill, and might render any determination at this period absurd and nugatory. For, not only whether another county should be constituted, but likewise the extent of that county if constituted, were subjects yet to be agitated and ascertained. If then, election districts were to be traced out to day, how great would be the confusion, should the arrangements of Friday comprise within the boundaries of the new county, any portion of those districts, and perhaps, the very spot selected for the business of the election? The propriety, therefore, of first determining the major principle, depending upon the bill for erecting a new county, must be obvious: nor was it intended by those who supported the motion for the postponement, to carry the delay further than that determination, which Mr. Brackenridge pledged himself, would still leave time enough to prepare the county for the approaching election. If, indeed, this was a measure, which the inhabitants of Washington had long laboured to accomplish, to which they had a constitutional right, and in which the legislature might easily and effectually accommodate them, there could not be any reason for adopting the provisional expedient that had been suggested, by which the operation of the bill is meant to be suspended till the election of the year 1788. The introduction of a clause of that nature on this day, would itself defeat every argument which can be urged against the postponement; for it must be held to admit that it is even now too late to communicate the business to those of our constituents who are immediately interested, and all that is alledged to prevent the house from waiting the issue of Friday's debate, is likewise, that it will be *then* too late to make that communication. But the delay of justice is the denial of it, and therefore, there should be no procrastination, but what is indispensably necessary, to enable us to proceed with propriety and effect.

The rights of our fellow citizens cannot then be injured by the postponement, if, as we assert, they may nevertheless be seasonably informed of our ultimate arrangements; but to proceed to define the limits of the election districts of Washington county, before we have determined the question respecting the limits of the county itself, would derange the business of the house, and introduce confusion and contest where it is our intention to establish harmony and order.

The members who opposed the postponement, objected, that in the division of election districts, it was the acknowledged right of every county to call upon the legislature to confirm the arrangements which the majority of its inhabitants thought most convenient and advantageous. Washington county had repeatedly applied to the house upon the subject now in discussion; but by a sort of fatality, the bill complying with their wishes had been uniformly agitated in the last sessions of the assembly, and therefore, as it could not be enacted to answer the purposes of the general election immediately ensuing, it had hitherto been referred to the consideration of the succeeding house. To postpone the bill at this time would be a continuance of that procrastination, and afford an additional subject of complaint to our constituents. It is doubtful indeed whether even at this day, we should have it in our power to transmit a copy of the law time enough to enable the officers of the election to proceed agreeably to its regulation; but if the postponement is allowed, that step will become positively impracticable. It is the wish of the inhabitants of the county, that the bill should be passed as soon as possible, and rather than it should be longer deferred, let a clause be inserted in compliance with the sentiments of those who think that it is too late to operate now, suspending its operation till the election in the following year. In this we shall the more readily coincide as we mean not to become responsible for the necessary communication to our constituents. The question being put, it was agreed to postpone the bill, by a very great majority.

The committee appointed to report on the message from council reported,

That the extracts from Mr. Adams's letters, the letter from Mr. Thompson and the inclosures, did not contain any thing upon which it is necessary for the house to take any order—that although the committee knew not of any legislative acts repugnant to the treaty of peace with Great Britain, yet that part of the message as well as what related to the pensions due to officers in the late army, a memorial from divers claimants of land in the county of Luzerne, and the petition of Anne Downey, might with propriety be referred to the next General Assembly. On the case of Thomas Dyer, a resolution was recommended that a committee be appointed to consider and report thereon.

The bill for dividing Franklin and Fayette counties into election districts, was called up for a third reading, when a motion was made for postponing it, because petitions were expected in opposition to the limits therein described, and because the limits themselves were exceptionable in the opinion of some of the members. But the representatives from those counties declaring, that the bill in its present state was perfectly satisfactory to their constituents, and some observations being made as to the impropriety of admitting petitions and postponements in so late a stage of the business, the motion was lost, and the bill being debated by paragraphs, was ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Findley stated to the house, that during the recess he had conversed with several officers in the late army, who informed him that there were a number of meritorious soldiers entitled to shares in the donation lands, but by their ignorance of the law, or their inattention to the limitation, they had allowed the time to elapse, in which their claims ought to have been preferred. Upon enquiring into the circumstances, Mr. Findley had discovered many of that description, and though he was sensible that the state had discharged her duty, and that those persons should have been more attentive to their interests, he was in hopes the house would sympathize even with their negligence, and afford them another opportunity to share in the public bounty. He added, that it might perhaps be some satisfaction to the house to understand that he was interceding for a class of men, who, besides possessing military merit in common with their fellow soldiers, were disposed to industrious and useful pursuits, and would probably, instead of selling their patents, proceed immediately to the cultivation and improvement of their respective tracts. It had been proposed to bring this subject before the legislature in the form of a petition; but he had suggested that, without the delay which that measure would occasion, it would be taken into consideration in the mode which he now adopted—moving that a committee be appointed to enquire into the propriety of extending the time for receiving claims to shares in the donation lands, and that they be directed to report a bill for that purpose, if they should think it expedient. After a short conversation between Mr. Whitehill and Mr. Findley, the motion was carried, and a committee appointed.

The house adjourned till 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10. P. M.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

The following bills were compared at the table, and enacted into laws, viz. The bill for incorporating the German Lutheran Congregation, the bill for dividing the county of Franklin into election districts, &c. the bill for the future endowment of the Pittsburgh Academy, the bill to amend and correct the Charter of incorporation of the united Churches of Wiacocoa, Kingsessing and Upper Merrion, called Gloria Dei, Saint James and Christ Church, and the bill for granting to George Wall, junior, the exclusive right of making and vending a mathematical instrument, invented by him, for the term of 21 years.

The following petitions were presented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. A petition from sundry inhabitants of this state, interested in the ceded lands, in the county of Luzerne, praying that a committee might be appointed to confer with them respecting their claims, and the insufficiency of the indemnification granted by the state; a petition from Col. Mentges, praying the house to advert to a message from council respecting his services as Inspector General, and that some compensation may be allowed him for the same; a petition from a negro soldier, who had not been able to obtain the official documents of his services, praying to be allowed a pension; a petition from James Young, a prisoner in the gaol of this city, not entitled to the benefit of the insolvent acts, praying relief on the particular circumstances of his case; a petition from Rich. Wells, stating the condemnation of the ship Anna, an unsuccessful application to council for the remission of that part of the forfeiture which was assigned to the state, and praying the interference of the house, upon a certificate of the judges, that on the trial of the information, it did not appear in evidence that the owners knew of the fraud which had been committed, but on the contrary, that they had taken every precaution to prevent any contraband proceedings; a petition from Alexander Stewart, late a surgeon in the Pennsylvania line, praying some allowance; and a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Northumberland county, praying that the fourth might be divided into two election districts.

The following petitions were read a second time, and referred to committees, viz. The petition of Humphry Fullerton; the petition of the Commissioners of Chester, praying that trustees might be appointed, to dispose of a lot of ground therein specified, and that the proceeds may revert to the use of the county; the petition of Abraham Lukens, in behalf of his son in law, praying that his claim may be admitted against the forfeited estate of one Fox; a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Chester, praying that a bridge might be erected over Chester creek in that county; and a petition from a number of the inhabitants of Washington county,

praying that Chartier's creek may be declared a public highway.

The following bills were read a third time, and ordered to be engroſſed, viz. A bill for incorporating the Preſbyterian Congregation of Marſh creek, and a bill for the endowment of Waſhington Academy, in the county of Waſhington. On reading the laſt bill, Mr. Baird propoſed that the quantity of land granted to the academy, ſhould be 10,000 acres; but it was at laſt agreed to inſert 5000 in the bill.

The houſe adjourned till half paſt 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Extract of a letter from Kentucky, dated Aug. 13.

' We have now to deplore the fate of our friends in the Cumberland ſettlement, by an expreſs juſt from thence we are informed that 43 families are murdered, and that a large body of Indians are in the country, cutting down the fields of corn, deſtroying the ſtocks of cattle and horſes, and it is to be feared the badly fortified garriſons, can hardly hold out until relief arrives. It is expected 500 men will march from this country in a few days; they are to proceed rapidly on horſeback.'

In the caſe of January and Goodman, determined on Saturday laſt in the court of common pleas, it was eſtabliſhed as a principle, that where there are ſubſcribing witneſſes to a note of hand, it is neceſſary, as in the caſe of a deed, to produce them upon the trial, or to give ſome ſatisfactory reaſon for their abſence: but if there are no witneſſes, then proof of the party's hand writing is ſufficient. This diſtinction deſerves the attention of the trading part of the community, as the obtaining witneſſes to promiſſory notes has frequently been conſidered a matter of uſeful precaution, but it may, we find, be productive of conſiderable embarraſſment.

By letters from Dominica, we are informed, that the king of Great Britain has purchaſed the proprietary right to the Bahamas, and has given inſtructions to the governor to grant it out, in proportion to the numbers that families conſiſt of.

A correſpondent informs us, that there are ninety applications before the court of common pleas, for diſcharges under the inſolvent acts. For many preceding terms, a ſimilar number of petitions have been preſented; and, in ſhort, this is ſo eaſy and ſo effectual a mode of diſcharging debts, that it is well worthy the conſideration of creditors, whether it would not be eventually advantageous to exchange their power over the perſon of the debtor, for a permanent and efficient power over his property? A ſyſtem might certainly be erected on that foundation more conſonant to the principles of liberty and juſtice—in which the plantiff ſhould be deprived of any opportunity to gratify revenge, and the defendant ſhould be deprived of any opportunity to practice peculation and fraud.

Yeſterday about eleven o'clock in the forenoon, a fire broke out in the ſugar houſe of Mr. Corman, which was happily extinguiſhed before any conſiderable damage was done.

How far the civil commotions in Holland are from ſubſiding, the following extract of an authentic letter from the Hague, dated July 13th, will clearly demonſtrate.

" —Orders are expected to be iſſued every hour, by the ſtates general, for a declaration of offenſive war againſt the ſtadtholder, in order to compel him to an immediate abdication of the ſupreme goverment of the United Provinces—Advice is this inſtant received, that lieutenant *Timarmuns*, of the cavalry, has been arreſted by an armed party of the patriotic burghers, and being charged with an attempt to ſeduce his ſquadron over to the prince's cauſe, was tried, and condemned to be *beheaded* within three days on the *Place de* ———."

At an election held at the Univerſity in the city of Philadelphia, on the 11th day of September, 1787, for members of the *Manufacturing Committee* of the Pennſylvania Society for the Encouragement of Manufactures, and the Uſeful Arts, the following Gentlemen were duly elected, viz. William Will, Mark Willcox, Thomas Ruſton, Thomas Wood, Samuel Wetherill, Richard Adams, Caleb Lownes, Charles Marſhall, Iſrael Hallowell, Nathan Sellers, Richard Humphreys, Robert Bridges. *From the Minutes.*

W. BARTON, Secretary.

*** The American Philoſophical Society, purſuant to adjournment, will meet on Friday evening, at ſeven o'clock. SAMUEL MAGAW, Secretary.

September 12.

‖‡‖ The friends to equal liberty in the county of Montgomery, are requeſted to meet on Monday the 17th inſt. at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the hourſe of George Egert, in the townſhip of White-Marſh, upon buſineſs relative to the enſuing election.

September 4 1787

For London,

The Ship P I G O U,

Wollman Sutton, Maſter;

Now laying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf; will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the ſaid Maſter. Thomas Penroſe, or JOHN FIELD dtf

WE, the ſubſcribers, being appointed Auditors by the court of common pleas of Philadelphia county, to audit the accounts and adjuſt the demands of all the creditors of *Peter Smallwood*, late of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, ſhoemaker, and to make ſale and diſpoſe of the Eſtate and Effects lately ſeized upon a domeſtic attachment, wherein *Thomas Towne* is plaintiff, and the ſaid *Peter Smallwood* defendant, do hereby give Notice, that we ſhall meet at the houſe of *Nathan Boys*, in Front ſtreet, oppoſite Union ſtreet, on *Thurſday* the 20th day of September next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the buſineſs aforeſaid, where the reſpective creditors are deſired to attend with their demands legally proved.

MARK WILLCOX,
WILLIAM PRICE,
JOHN DAVIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787

WAS Loſt by a Gentleman in the ſpring of 1779, the following Loan-Office Certificates of this ſtate:

No. 28. Jenny Butler, dated April 30, 1779, for 600 Dollars.

No. 1907. Ditto ditto ditto 1900 Dollars.

They were advertiſed, in the year 1780, in the Pennſylvania Packet, but no account has been ſince had of them; and as it does not appear that any intereſt has been drawn on them, they are ſuppoſed to be totally loſt. But ſhould any perſon have them in poſſeſſion and will return them to the printers hereof, they ſhall be amply rewarded. There were a number of other valuable papers loſt at ſame time, in a packet which contained the above. *September* 12. 1787.

For Sale,

A Pair of Excellent

Bright Bay Horſes,

With or without a very Good *PHÆTON*. Enquire of the ſubſcriber, in Fifth, 2 doors above Arch-ſtreet

Sept. 13 eotf WILLIAM DAVIDSON,

On Monday the 17th inſtant,

At 9 o'clock in the Forenoon,

Will be Sold, at the late Dwelling houſe of John Dugan, deceaſed, in Front-ſtreet, 2 doors below Spruce-ſtreet, All his Houſhold and Kitchen

F U R N I T U R E,

V I Z.

Deſks and Drawers
Dreſſing Tables
Mahogany and Walnut Tables
Mahogany, walnut and windſor Chairs
Beds, Bedſteads, and Bedding
Some Plate Kitchen Furniture

N. B. One-fourth paper money of the late emiſſion will be taken in payment. 4ſp

Sale by Auction.

On Saturday next, at 1 o'clock at the Coffee-Houſe, Will be ſold,

The Sloop Betſey,

With her appurtenances, as ſhe now lays at Dawes's wharf. She is a well built veſſel, will carry 420 barrels, and is only 4 years old; was ſheathed the laſt winter, and may be ſent to ſea at a very ſmall expence. Inventory may ſeen in the hands of the Auctioneer.

September 11. 4ſp

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On Saturday the 15th of Sept. between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, at the Old Coffee-Houſe,

A Convenient two ſtory Brick HOUSE, ſituated on the north ſide of Prune-ſtreet, between Fourth and Fifth ſtreets from Delaware, in breadth on the ſaid Prune-ſtreet, 18 feet, and in length or depth 70 feet, bounded ſouthward by Prune-ſtreet, eaſtward and northward by ground of William Shippen, and weſtward by the back end of ſaid Shippen's ground, and of Fifth ſtreet. Subject to a yearly rent of 36 Spaniſh milled dollars. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe at private ſale, may know the terms by applying to the auctioneer, or Bartholomew Baker, on the premiſes. The purchaſe money to be paid in three payments; 1-3d to be paid at the time of purchaſe; the 2d payment in 3 montns, and the 2d payment in the next 3 months following. cotf

On Thurſday the 20th inſtant, at Nine o'clock in the Morning,

Will be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the late dwelling houſe of *John Andrew Meſſerſmith*, deceaſed, in Fourth ſtreet, between Arch and Race-ſtreets, and near Cherry-alley,

ALL his Houſhold Goods and Kitchen Furniture: Alſo a quantity of tin-ware ready made up, and ſome half finiſhed work; together with a cemplete and general aſſortment of Tinmens Tools. Alſo a quantity of bohea tea, and about 10,000 weight of Spaniſh whiting in caſks, with a number of other articles, too tedious to mention. Attendance will be given by

Catharine Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtratrix.
John Andrew Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtrator.

All perſons who have any demands againſt the eſtate of John Andrew Meſſerſmith, deceaſed, are deſired to bring their accounts, properly atteſted, to the ſubſcribers for ſettlement, and all thoſe who are in any way indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to make immediate payment, otherwiſe their accounts will be put into the hands of an attorney at Law, or juſtice of the peace, for the recovery of the ſame.

Catharine Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtratrix,
John Andrew Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtrator.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 11, 1787. wſt

About ſixty hogſheads of good and ſound

M O L A S S E S,

Juſt Arrived from Hiſpaniola, on board the Brig Sovereign, captain Samuel Crawford, laying at Willing, Morris and Swanwick's wharf,

Will be Sold by the hogſhead,

Or a larger quantity, —Alſo,

Old Madeira Wine by the half pipe

And a few caſes of Good CLARET.

The ſale to begin this day (Sept. 13) co3t

Virginia Coal,

Of the Beſt Quality, for ſale at the ſtores of

Willing, Morris and Swanwick,

In Penn-ſtreet. 3ſp

F O R S A L E,

The Stout new Ship

G O L I A H:

SHE is a very elegant, well built ſhip, of about 520 tons, is at preſent on the ſtocks at Baltimore, and may be launched in two weeks. The payments will be made very eaſy to the purchaſer, and, if neceſſary, a long credit will be given on paying intereſt. Paper money or public ſecurities will alſo be received. For terms apply to COXE and FRAZIER.

Philadelphia, September 12, 1787 2aw2w

THIS is to Forwarn all perſons from taking an aſſignment on four different obligations, given by the ſubſcriber, for a tract of land, to Peter Keen and Samuel Baſſet, of Salem county, ſtate of New-Jerſey. viz.

1ſt Bond dated about the 26th Feb. laſt, due the 1ſt of April next.		for £. 50
2d Bond due the 1ſt of April, 1788.	ditto	for £. 200
3d Bond due the 1ſt of September, 1788.	ditto	for £. 175
4th Bond dated March 2d due the 2d March, 1788.		for £. 30

As the title of the aforeſaid tract of land, lying and being ſituated on Morris's River, is now in diſpute —therefore am determined to pay no money on the above obligations until a clear and indiſputable title is made to me, by the parties, agreeable to articles entered into with them at the ſame time.

JACOB BROWNING.

Waterford townſhip, Gloucester county, Sept. 12, 1787. } th&w

Five Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Suſſex county, Delaware ſtate, about the 26th of May laſt, a Negro MAN, named *Wame*; 30 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, yellow complexion, his right leg ſhorteſt, ſo as to make him limp in his walk, by trade a ſhoemaker: he took with him one brown cloth coat, one light coloured ſagathy ditto, one pair fuſtian trowſers, one pair ſtriped calico ditto, one calico jacket, one yellow worſted ditto, one large cocked hat, and ſundry other cloaths not recollected. He is ſuppoſed to be now in Salem, New-Jerſey. Whoever takes up and ſecures the above Runaway, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall be entitled to the above reward, and if brought home all reaſonable charges paid. by JOHN ROBINSON.

Prime-Hook, Suſſex county, Sept 4. w&ſ2w

W A N T E D, A

Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. Auguſt 25 d

E D U C A T I O N.

THE ſubſcriber preſents his beſt compliments to his friends, as well as the public, and alſo begs leave to inform them, that he has ſome time ſince removed to the houſe where Mr. Jack lately gave inſtruction, in the arduous taſk of an inſtructor of youth, formerly known by the appellation of colonel Porter's ſchool-houſe, ſituate in Union-ſtreet, between Second and Third ſtreets, where he continues to initiate youth in every uſeful part of erudition, and in a particular manner Engliſh grammar in all its parts. Being fully convinced of the many vague and fictitious opinions with regard to Engliſh grammar, in a great meaſure occaſioned by the ſeveral treatiſes lately extant, diametrically oppoſite,—he therefore intends to teach his pupils the elements of the Latin Language, in order to corroborate their judgment in the Engliſh, (with no additional charge, by which method they will be able to attain a conſummate knowledge of the beauties of the Engliſh, and prevent their being miſled by caprice, innovations, &c. PATRICK BRADY.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 1, 1787.

He intends Opening an *Evening-School* on the 1ſt of October.

Thirty Dollars Reward.

LAST night the houſe of the ſubſcriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A ſilver coffee pot, a ſilver tea pot, a ſilver cream pot marked E K. in a cyher, 5 table ſpoons, a ſoup ſpoon and 7 teaſpoons, all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table ſpoon marked P. R. K. three teaſpoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of ſugar tongs, a large ſilver waiter, a ſmall ſilver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a ſilver pint Can, a ſilver porrenger, three ſilver tops taken from caſtors, a ſilver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by

REBECCA KEARNY.

Philadelphia, *September* 2 2w3taw

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *George Redpath*, late of this city, deceaſed, are deſired to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring them in, *legally atteſted*, for ſettlement, to *PETER JANUARY*. Adminiſtrator

Auguſt 28.

Sate of New-Jerſey, Suſſex County, ſſ.

THE creditors of *Jeſper Vliet*, an inſolvent debtor confined in the gaol of the county of Suſſex, are hereby notified, that he hath applied to the court of common pleas of the ſaid county, for the benefit of the inſolvent act, and that the ſaid court have appointed *Tueſday* the 9th day of October next, for his creditors to ſhew cauſe, if any they have, before two of the judges, at the houſe of *Timothy Symmes*, eſq; in Newton, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, why the ſaid *Jeſper Vliet* ſhall not be diſcharged from his impriſonment, under and agreeably to the terms of the ſaid act. *JESPER VLIET.*

Suſſex Gaol, Auguſt 25th, 1787

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Honorable Thomas M'Kean, Eſquire, chief juſtice of the Supreme Court of the ſtate of Pennſylvania, the Honorable Francis Hopkinſon, Eſquire, judge of the Admiralty for the ſtate of Pennſylvania, and the Honorable George Bryan, Eſquire, one of the juſtices of the ſupreme court, have iſſued their precept, bearing date the 3d day of *September*, inſtant, to me directed, for holding a Court of Admiralty ſeſſions for the United States of America, at the ſtate houſe, on *Wedneſday* the 19th day of *September* inſtant.

Notice is hereby given to all juſtices of the peace, the coroners and conſtables within the city and county of Philadelphia, that they be then and there in their own perſons, with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do thoſe things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; and alſo, that they who will proſecute againſt the priſoners that are or then ſhall be in the goal of ſaid city or county, are to be then then and there to proſecute againſt them as ſhall be juſt.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 4th day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty-ſeven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.

Joſeph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

GOD SAVE the COMMONWEALTH!

James Miller,

In Front, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, has juſt Imported in the Pigou, from London,

OZNABRIGS ſileſias, dowlas
9-8 wide brown Ruſſia ſheeting
Red and white flannel
Mens and womens cotton and worſted hoſe plain and ribbed
Childrens worſted hoſe
Mens coarſe yarn hoſe
6-4 book muſlin and fine book muſlin handkerchiefs
F & FF gunpowder, bar lead
7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens
Stuffs—and a Variety of other Articles ſuitable to the ſeaſon—Which he will diſpoſe off on the moſt reaſonable terms, by the package or otherwiſe

September 11 wth&ſ

Daniel Tyſon

Is now Opening for Sale a general Aſſortment of

M E R C H A N D I Z E,

Suitable for the approaching ſeaſon,

In Third-ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet, and oppoſite the Bunch of Grapes Inn,——Conſiſting of

STRIPED and Roſe Blankets, ſwanſkins, flannels, coatings and baizes, ermines, lambſkins and broadcloths. Alſo a handſome aſſortment of ſuperfine cloths, double milled drabcloths from 13ſ to 45ſ per yard, druggets, duroys, corduroys, velverets and thickſets, worſted hoſe, leather gloves and mits, calicoes, chintzes, muſlins, cambrics and lawns, ſewing ſilks, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs, Britannias, heſſians, platillas and checks, diapers and drillings, tickings, German ſheetings, ribbons and ſcarf twiſt, Barcelona handkerchiefs, perſians and ſarſnets, Marſeilles quiltings, mantuas and ſattins, felt hats, beaver and caſtor hats laced and plain, camblets, calimancoes, ſhalloons, durants, and cutlery.

Alſo, a quantity of excellent *GENEVA* in caſes, and a very extenſive aſſortment of excellent *BOULTING CLOTHS.* 4t2aw

FOR the information of the Citizens of Pennſylvania, who are creditors of the United States, Notice is hereby given, that agreeably to an act of General Aſſembly, paſſed the firſt day of March, 1786, the loan thereby opened, where certificates of debts of the United States may be funded by this ſtate, will be cloſed with the laſt day of February next. JOHN NICHOLSON,

Comptroller-General's Office,
Philadelphia, Auguſt 30, 1787.

The different printers of newſpapers in Pennſylvania are requeſted to inſert the above in their papers once a month until the ſaid loan be cloſed.

L I N E S

On obſerving ſome Names of little Note recorded in the BIOGRAPHIA BRITANNICA.

By WILLIAM COWPER, Eſquire.

OH, fond attempt to give a deathleſs lot,
To names ignoble, born to be forgot!
In vain recorded in hiſtoric page,
They court the notice of the future age,
Thoſe twinkling tiny luſtres of the land,
Drop one by one from Fame's neglecting hand;
Lethæan gulphs receive them as they fall,
And dark oblivion ſoon abſorbs them all.

So when a child, as playful children uſe,
Has burnt to tinder a ſtale laſt year's news,
The flame extinct, he views the roving fire,
There goes my Lady, and there goes the Squire;
There goes the Parſon, oh illuſtrious ſpark;
And there, ſcarce leſs illuſtrious, goes the *Clerk!*

A N E C D O T E.

DR. JOHNSON, ſtiled the Britiſh Hercules in literature, uſed ſtrenuouſly to inſiſt that the word *judgment* ſhould be ſpelled with an *e*, middle, (judgement) and accordingly printed it ſo in his famous dictionary. Being once aſked by a friend what could be his reaſon for eſtabliſhing this new fangled way of ſpelling the word in preference to the old and eſtabliſhed mode, without the middle vowel.——" Sir, ſaid the Doctor, (being in a peeviſh humour) aſk me no queſtions about this matter. He is a raſcal and a puppy that ſpells it in any other way than I have directed."

Wanted, two Rooms and Boarding in a private family. Particulars in a few lines to be left at the printers.

STRAYED or ſtolen from the meadows of William Craig, on Greenwich iſland, two OXEN; the one a dark red with a white ſpot in his forehead, about 5 years old; the other a ſtag with ſhort horns, of a dun colour, about 9 years old, and ſuppoſed to weigh about 500 and a half each. Whoſoever will take up and deliver ſaid Cattle to us the ſubſcribers, ſhall have *TWENTY SHILLINGS REWARD*, or if ſtolen, and the thief brought to juſtice, *THREE POUNDS* and all reaſonable charges.

WILLIAM CRAIG,
Philadelphia, Aug 24. RICHARD PRICE.

Taunton Iron-Works

F O R S A L E:

CONSISTING of a Furnace, and Forge adjoining, in exceeding good order; Part of a Saw Mill; 3000 Cords of Wood already cut, and every Article neceſſary for carrying on ſaid Works, with the Tract of Woodland which the Works are upon, and a very large Body of good Ore; the Caſtings and Bar Iron are well known to be equal to any at market.

The above Works are ſituate in Burlington county, Weſt-Jerſey, diſtant 17 miles from Philadelphia and 8 miles from a navigable creek leading to the ſame.

Bar or Pig Iron will be received in payment for a conſiderable part of the purchaſe. For further particulars pleaſe apply at ſaid Works, to

Taunton, May 29. 1awtf. GEORGE HASTINGS.

THE Subſcribers having been duly choſen Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of *Mathias Slough*, of the borough of Lancaſter, in the county of Lancaſter, according to an Act of Aſſembly of Pennſylvania, entitled, " An Act for the Regulation of Bankruptcy:" Therefore all perſons indebted to the ſaid *Mathias Slough*, by Bond, Note, Book Debt, or otherwiſe, are required to make payment unto *Joſeph Hubley*, of the borough of Lancaſter, or to *Richard Footman*, Philadelphia, before the firſt day of November next, or they will be proceeded againſt as the law directs.

Richard Footman,
Caleb Foulke,
James Abercrombie,
Owen Jones, junr.
Robert Coleman,
Joſeph Hubley,
Sebaſtian Graff,
Alexander Lowry, } Aſſignees

Lancaſter, Auguſt 16. 1787. 1aw10w

To be Sold at Private Sale.

THAT valuable PLANTATION formerly the property of Wilſon Hunt, Eſquire, in the townſhip of Maidenhead and county of Hunterdon, New Jerſey, lying on the poſt road between New York and Philadelphia, eight miles from Trenton, and four from Princeton, containing upwards of four hundred and twenty acres of excellent land, one hundred and fifty of which is good Engliſh meadow, which will produce one hundred and ſeventy tons of hay annually; the upland is rich and fine for any kind of grain, and very natural to graſs; forty-five acres of fine thrifty timber, of the beſt kind, a large bearing orchard of the beſt grafted fruit, two good barns, and a new hovel, that will contain upon the upper ſtory ten tons of hay; a well of good water near the dwelling-houſe, and about the middle of the plantation is a delightful eminence, that commands at one view the whole farm. For terms apply to William Nielſon, Eſquire, New-York, Abraham Hunt, Trenton, Archibald Mercer, Millſtone, or the Subſcriber on the premiſes.

May 22. 1awtf JOHN P. SCHENK.

Patent Medicines

S O L D B Y

WILLIAM POYNTELL,

In Second ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, the Corner of Black-Horſe alley;

MAREDANT's Antiſcorbutic Drops; a ſovereign remedy for the ſea and land ſcurvy, pimpled faces, ſcorbutic gout, rheumatiſm, inflamation of the eyes, and all diſorders ariſing from the foulneſs of the blood.

DOCTOR MORRIS's celebrated Fever Drops; a certain cure for every ſpecies of fevers, old inveterate coughs, conſumptive habits, complaints of the ſtomach and bowels, nervous head-achs, and intermitting fevers and agues.

The above two medicines are in high reputation in Great-Britain, as affording certain relief in the above diſorders; and it is not doubted but a fair trial of them would afford eſſential relief to the afflicted in this weſtern world—Pamphlets, containing innumerable, but well atteſted extraordinary cures performed by them, may be had of ſaid *Poyntell*, where the diſordered may probably find many caſes ſimilar to their own. A conſtant ſupply of the above two invaluable Medicines will be kept for ſale, and a generous allowance made to Country Apothecaries who buy wholeſale.

At [the] *ſame Place may alſo be had*—Bateman's drops, Anderſon's Scots pills, Hooper's pills, Britiſh oil, Godfrey's cordial, Turlington's Balſam, Hungary water; Stoughton's elixir, Haerlem oil, Dr. James's fever powders, eſſence of pepper mint, Greenough's tincture for the teeth and gums, Hill's Balſam of honey, Hill's American balſam, ſpirits of ſal volat. Van Helmet's fever and ague pills. 1aw12w

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's STORE,

In Third ſtreet, oppoſite Church alley——A freſh Aſſortment of

Muſlins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glaſs, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Liſbon, Port, Calcavella and Weſtern Iſland Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf,

Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the beſt choſen

GROCERIES:

As ſago, oatmeal, barley, ſpices, Malmſey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, ſoy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, ſallad oil, &c.

FOR SALE BY

John Dorſey.

Sept 4 3w3taw

Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-ſhare moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouſe } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings
Jamaica ſpirit, Weſt-India and country rum } by the hogſhead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogſhead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 4 3tawtf

Benjamin Maſon

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-ſtreet,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſoal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail cloth
Alſo, mahogany, fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING* for *SALE*, a Gener

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitt.
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
6 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3taw1m

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, ſurviving Partner of *Meaſe & Caldwell*, has made an aſſignment of his own, as well as all the eſtates, both real and perſonal, of the ſaid Parnerſhip, to *Robert Millegan*, eſq; attorney at law, and the ſubſcriber, for the uſe of their creditors.——All perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are deſired to ſettle their reſpective balances on or before the 1ſt of October next, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced againſt them without further notice: alſo, thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Partnerſhip, are requeſted to furniſh their accounts to the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Aſſignee to *Meaſe & Caldwell*.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787 3taw1ſtO

To be Sold at Private Sale,

A Three ſtory Brick HOUSE in Third ſtreet, two doors below the Bunch of Grapes tavern, now in the tenure of Meſſrs. *Bertier & Co.* fronting on Third ſtreet 15 feet. The terms of payment will be made remarkably eaſy to the purchaſer. For further information apply to ISAAC BARTRAM, Druggiſt, in Third ſtreet. Sept 6 3teo

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks. Senneca, ſnake root in hhds, &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD,

A CHESNUT coloured MARE,

14 hands high, 4 years old, has been broke for a lady; alſo, a Brown MARE of the ſame ſize and age: they are warranted ſound, and ſold for no fault but the Gentleman whoſe property they are is going to Europe. To be ſeen at Blake's Livery-ſtables, in Black Horſe alley, between Cheſnut and Market ſtreets in Front ſtreets Sept 6 ſmw

TO BE SOLD,

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill, in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw-mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. eptf

Contracts for the year 1788,

GENERAL POST-OFFICE,

New-York, Auguſt 1, 1787.

PROPOSALS will be received at this office until the 15th day of October next, for the tranſportation of the public mails, by ſtage carriages from Portland, in Maſſachuſetts, to Savannah, in Georgia, for one year, commencing the 1ſt January, 1788.

The following will be conſidered as indiſpenſible articles of the contracts:

That there be, in each carriage, a ſecure and convenient place, with a good lock and key to it, to be appropriated ſolely to the reception of the mail.

That the mail be carried between Portland, in Maſſachuſetts, and Suffolk, in Virginia, thrice in each week, from May 1ſt to November 1ſt, and twice in each week from November 1ſt to May 1ſt.

And that it be carried between Suffolk aforeſaid, and Savannah, in Georgia, twice in each week, from May 1ſt to November 1ſt, and once in each week, from November 1ſt to May 1ſt.

That there be ſtated hours of arrival at, and departure from each poſt-office, and a reaſonable time allowed for making up a mail to be forwarded from each; and that in order to aſcertain the times of arrival and departure, the driver of each ſtage ſhall carry a way-bill to be furniſhed by the poſt-maſter general.

That the proprietors of the ſtages ſhall be anſwerable for the care and fidelity of the perſons they ſhall employ in tranſporting the mail; and, in caſe of the ſtage's being delayed by accident, the mail ſhall be forwarded at the expence of the proprietors, ſo as to arrive at each office at the ſtated hours.

Bonds to be given, with two ſufficient ſureties, for the performance of each contract, and the cuſtomary oaths to be taken both by the proprietors and drivers.

In caſe of a coalition exiſting, or being hereafter formed (before the expiration of the contract) between two lines of ſtages upon the ſame route, it will be expected that the contracting proprietors ſhall be anſwerable that no letters ſhall be carried by the ſtages of the other line, to the prejudice of the revenue of the general poſt-office.

The neceſſary portmanteaus and bags will be furniſhed at the expence of the United States; and payment will be made quarterly, the penalties for failures (if any) being firſt deducted.

Propoſals for Contracts for the following Croſs Roads,

Will be received until the firſt day of Dec. next, viz. From Portland to Pownalborough, in the ſtate of Maſſachuſetts.

From the city of New York to the city of Albany.

From the city of New-York, by way of Danbury, to Hartford in Connecticut.

From the city of Philadelphia to the town of Vienna, in Maryland.

From the town of Baltimore to the city of Annapolis, in Maryland.

From the city of Annapolis to Leonard's-Town, in St. Mary's county, by the route of Upper Marlborough, Piſcataway, and Port Tobacco.

From the city of Philadelphia to the town of Bedford, in Pennſylvania.

From Fredericksburg, in Virginia, to Hobb's Hole, on Rappahannock river, and from thence to the Port of Entry on Yeocomico, upon Potowmac river, and from thence to Urbanna, the Port of Entry on Rappahannock river.

From the town of Wilmington to Fayette-Ville, in the ſtate of North-Carolina, by the route of Elizabeth-Town.

From Fayette-Ville, in North-Carolina, to Camden, in South-Carolina, and from thence to Charleſton, in the ſame ſtate.

And from Camden, by the route of Columbia, to Auguſta, in Georgia.

The contracts for the croſs-roads are to commence on the 1ſt Jan. next, and continue for a year.—The buſineſs muſt be conducted at the expence of the contractor, who will have an excluſive privilege of carrying letters and packets for hire, on the route he contracts for, and all the poſtage and other emoluments ariſing therefrom. The poſtage charged on thoſe roads muſt not exceed the rates from time to time fixed by the United States in Congreſs aſſembled, for the poſt of letters and packets on the main poſt roads.

To prevent expence and inconvenience to perſons diſpoſed to contract, either for the main or croſs-roads, they are informed that a perſonal attendance is unneceſſary at preſent; it will be ſufficient if they ſend their propoſals in writing to the poſt maſter general, at his office, No 29, Broadway, New-York.

By order of the poſt maſter general,

James Bryſon, Aſſiſtant.

*** The Printers in the ſeveral ſtates are requeſted to give the above a place in their newſpapers.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

TO BE LET,

A Commodious three ſtory Brick

HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market ſtreet, between Front and Second ſtreets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of

Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom-Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

TO BE LET,

A Malt and Brew-Houſe,

IN Kent County, Maryland, within 7 miles of Cheſter Town, 75 miles from Philadelphia, 26 miles land carriage to the landings on the Delaware, 35 miles from the head of Elk, 50 miles from Baltimore, and the ſame diſtance from Annapolis; and there is water carriage from the brew houſe door to the three laſt-mentioned places. At theſe works may be malted and brewed 40 barrels of ſtrong beer per week. The ſituation is a rich healthy country. For terms apply to Mr. Nicholas Raſh, in Ninth-ſtreet, near Market-ſtreet, or to the ſubſcriber, at the premiſes.

ISAAC PERKINS.

N. B. If the ſaid malt and brew-houſe is not rented in ſix or eight weeks, a partner would be taken, that can be well recommended, and has caſh to aſſiſt in carrying on the buſineſs.

July 23. 6ſw

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw-Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan, *John Barclay*, *John Miller*, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars REWARD.

WAS Broke Open laſt night, the houſe of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the ſundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spaniſh milled Dollars
1 China faced ſilver Watch with a ſteel chain, and a ſilver ſeal repreſenting Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold ſattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years intereſt paid on each:

		£.	s.	d.
No. 10717	Reede and Forde, for	176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Iſaac Melcher, Eſquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£5306	1	7

2 Funded Jerſey Certificates, one endorſed with intereſt paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourſe's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Maſon to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a ſtate of tranſactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of looſe Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the deſk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, ſuppoſed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Caſh, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no queſtions aſked. PETER KNIGHT.

THE ſubſcriber is now executing a *MEZZOTINTO PRINT*, from a Portrait of His Excellency General *Waſhington*, which has been painted ſince the ſitting of the preſent Convention. This Print is the Size of the Prints of His Excellency *Benjamin Franklin*, and the Marquis *De la Fayette*, done by the ſubſcriber.

Whoever is deſirous of getting the beſt impreſſions, by becoming ſubſcribers, are deſired to apply ſoon—It is expected that this Print will be ready for delivery in two weeks.

Thoſe Gentlemen who have been ſo obliging as to engage to take a Print from every Plate which the ſubſcriber may be able to execute from his Collection of Portraits of Illuſtrious Perſonages, ſhall be faithfully ſerved by their humble Servant, C. W. PEALE.

Corner of Lombard and Third ſtreets, Auguſt 15

AGREEABLY to a Reſolution of the Society for alleviating the Miſeries of Public Priſons, paſſed on Monday Evening the 13th inſt. Notice is hereby given, That Mr. JOHN OLDDEN is duly appointed Secretary to the Acting Committe of the ſaid Society; ſo that all perſons who may conceive themſelves entitled to benefit from the humane deſigns of this Inſtitution, may direct their applications to him, in Second, near Market ſtreet, where the ſame will be received, and laid before the Acting Committee at their next Meeting, who will take ſuch order therein as may be proper and neceſſary.

J SWANWICK, *Sec'ry to the Society.*

Auguſt 14, 1787.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22. eptf

Treaſury of the United States,

MAY 14th, 1787.

THE Commiſſioners of the Board of Treaſury of the United States, give notice, That on the 21ſt day of September next will be expoſed to Sale, at the place where the United States in Congreſs may hold their ſeſſions—The following Townſhips and Lots of Lands in the Weſtern Territory, which were ſurveyed laſt year, under the direction of the Geographer General of the United States, viz.

FIRS RANGE.

Nº 3, containing 4350 acres.

SECOND RANGE.

No. 1, containing	1386
2	5434
3	8598
5	21139
6	23040
7	23040
8	22886
9	18644 1-2

THIRD RANGE.

No. 1, containing	6596
2	11797
3	14482
5	23040
6	23040
7	23040
8	23040
9	23040
10	23040
11	23040
12	23040

FOURTH RANGE.

No. 1, containing	4574
2	21350
3	23040
7	23040
8	23040
10	23040
11	23040
12	23040
13	23040

The admirable quality of theſe lands, and the favourable climate in which they are ſituated, are too well known to need deſcription. The conditions of ſale are as follows, to wit.

1ſt. The townſhips or fractional parts of townſhips throughout the different ranges, will be ſold either entire or in lots, in alternate order; that is to ſay, where a townſhip, or fractional part of a tonſhwip, is ſold entire, the next will be ſold in lots, agreeably to ordinance of the 20th of May, 1785.

2d. The lands are not to be ſold under a dollar per acre, payable in gold or ſilver, or any of the ſecurities of the United States.

3d. The purchaſers are to pay the charges of ſurvey, which are to be eſtimated at thirty-ſix dollars in ſpecie, or certificates as aforeſaid for every townſhip; and in the ſame proportion for fractional parts of townſhips or lots; this payment to be made at the ſales, and in caſe of failure, the lands to be again expoſed to public auction.

4th. One third of the purchaſe money is to be paid at the time of purchaſe; and the remaining two thirds in three months after the date of the ſale; on which payment a certificate ſhall be given by the Treaſurer of the United States, which ſhall entitle the perſon to whom the ſame is given to receive from the Commiſſioners of this Board a proper title; provided, that if the ſecond payment is not made at the time above ſpecified, the firſt payment is to be forfeited, and the land on which the forfeit accrued be again ſet up for ſale.

5th. The platts of the townſhips will be marked by ſubdiviſions into lots of one mile ſquare, or 640 acres, and numbered from one to 36, and out of each townſhip, Lot No. 8, 11, 26 and 29, are to be reſerved for future ſale; Lot No. 16, for the maintenance of Public Schools within the reſpective townſhips, and out of every fractional part of a townſhip, as many lots of the ſame number as ſhall be found therein. There will alſo be reſerved to the United States one third part of all gold and ſilver, lead and copper mines.

Proper maps and deſcriptions of the lands will be exhibited at the time and place of ſale, and the ſales will continue from day to day until the whole are ſold.

Samuel Oſgood, *Walter Livingſton*, *Arthur Lee*, } Commiſſioners.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1787. [No. 2686.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 14th Instant—At the
Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,
Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of an
Assortment of Merchandize:
The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.
Houshold and Kitchen Furniture
and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept.* 14.
C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Sale by Auction.

TO-MORROW, at 1 o'clock at the Coffee-House, Will be sold,
The Sloop Betsey,
With her appurtenances, as she now lays at Dawes's wharf. She is a well built vessel, will carry 420 barrels, and is only 4 years old; was sheathed the last winter, and may be sent to sea at a very small expence. Inventory may seen in the hands of the Auctioneer.
September 14 4sp

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

TO-MORROW, at Noon,
A Coach; a Bay Horse
near 16 hands high, either fit for brewers, draft, carriage, or chair, 7 years old. A sound HORSE, nothing known to the contrary. 4sp. Sept. 14.

On Monday the 17th instant,

At 9 o'clock in the Forenoon,
Will be Sold, at the late Dwelling house of John Dugan, deceased, in Front-street, 2 doors below Spruce-street, All his Houshold and Kitchen
FURNITURE,
VIZ.
Desks and Drawers
Dressing Tables
Mahogany and Walnut Tables
Mahogany, walnut and windsor Chairs
Beds, Bedsteads, and Bedding
Some Plate Kitchen Furniture
N. B. One-fourth paper money of the late emission will be taken in payment. 4sp

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General
Assortment of Merchandise.
The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*.
Houshold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 13 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Public sale of Bankrupt's real Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,
On TUESDAY the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest bidder, a Valuable
Tract of Land,
SITUATE in Wheatfield township, in the valley of Ligonier, and county of Westmoreland, containing 405 acres and 5-8ths, with allowance. This land was warranted and surveyed in the year 1786, for Claudius Paul Raguet, and is now sold as property belonging to his estate. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered to the purchaser free from any expence. Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.
ROBERT RALSTON,
Assignee of the estate of Claudius Paul Raguet, A Bankrupt.
All persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are desired to make immediate payment to the subscriber, who will be under the necessity of commencing suits, in a short time, against all delinquents.
Philadelphia, August 30, 1787. R. R. 2aw

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House, on Friday the 21st day of the present month, at 7 o'clock in the evening,
Will be Sold to the highest Bidder,
THE Life Estate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt, in the following Property:
An undivided fourth part of 243 acres of improved Land in Charleston township, Chester county, now in the tenure of Thomas Robinson, and rented at 25*l.* per annum.
An undivided fourth part of 400 acres of improved Land at Cohickon, in Bucks county, now rented at 20*l.* per annum.
One half of a Ground Rent of 56*s.* per annum, issuing out of a lot in Arch-street, near Fifth-street, in the city of Philadelphia, payable by —— Parker.
One half of a Ground Rent of 50*s.* per annum, issuing out of a lot in Fifth street, near Arch-street.
One half of 397 acres of Woodland lying near the Blue Mountains, in Northampton county.
One half of 150 acres of unimproved Land in Sadsbury township, Lancaster county, now rented to colonel Parke for the payment of the annual taxes.
One half of 4300 acres of unimproved pine Land in Salem county, New-Jersey.
One half of a share in a propriety of West Jersey; also, a share in the Library Company of Philadelphia, belonging to the estate of the said Bankrupt.
Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.
ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee
Of the estate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt.
All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate to the subscriber.
September 7, 1787. R. R. 2aw

Virginia Coal,

Of the Best Quality, for sale at the stores of
Willing, Morris and Swanwick,
In Penn street. 3sp

SECOND NOTICE.

In the Case of Benjamin Hemmings,
BANKRUPT.
WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *Benjamin Hemmings*, of the county of Philadelphia, dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Saturday* the 25th day of August, instant; on *Monday* the 17th day of September next, and on *Friday* the 5th day of October following, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State House in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees, and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination,
All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.
By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.
Office, Watkins's-alley, Aug. 24, 1787. 25.14 3

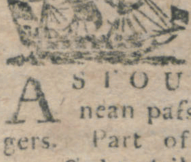
In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787.
WHEREAS it is represented to this board that there are many of the line of this state intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themselves, or sent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a resolution of this Board, of the 31st day of August, 1786, they will be precluded, unless the time is prolonged so as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,
Resolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1st day of October next, and that this resolution be published, so that all concerned may have notice thereof.
Extract from the minutes,
JAMES TRIMBLE,
2awtO For John Armstrong, jun. Secretary.

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Honorable *Thomas M'Kean*, Esquire, Doctor of Laws, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, and of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for the said State; the Honorable *William Augustus Atlee*, Esquire, and the Honorable *George Bryan*, Esquire, Justices of the said Courts, have issued their precept, bearing date the 2d day of August (instant) to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, at the State-House in the city of Philadelphia, on Monday the 17th day of September next.
NOTICE is hereby given to all Justices of the Peace, the Coroners, Escheator and Constables, within the said city and county, that they be then and there in their own persons, and with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; also all they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the gaol of the said city and county, are to be then and there, to prosecute against them as shall be just.
Dated at Philadelphia, the 3d day of August, in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.
JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.
God Save the Commonwealth.

CAME to the Plantation of the subscriber, in Sadbury township, Chester county, on the ninth of June, 1787, two *stray Creatures*; the one a bright Bay Horse about 14 hands high, a natural trotter; the other a Grey Mare about 13 hands high, trots and paces. The owner is desired to come and prove property, pay charges and take them away, or they will be sold to pay the same on the first of October next. Aug 31 3sf
THOMAS SCOTT.



For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,
William Brougham, Master;
A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

For London,

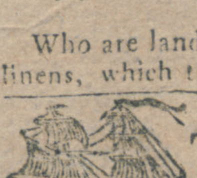
The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Master;
Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,
William Jones, Master;
To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or
James & Shoemaker;
Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.
9th Month, 4, 1787 eptd

For Charter,

The Ship ALEXANDER,
GEORGE ROACH, Master;
ABOUT 250 tons burthen, built in Liverpool, not 3 years old. For terms apply to
HAYNES & CRAWFORD,
Who are landing out of said ship, yard wide and 7-8 linens, which they will sell on reasonable terms.



FOR SALE,
The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to
July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co.
A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,
A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper,
Aug. 30, etf

Wanted, two Rooms and Boarding in a private family. Particulars in a few lines to be left at the printers.

Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.
THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to
JOHN STRAWBRIDGE;
Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the southwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission d

TO BE LET,
A Commodious three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market street, between Front and Second streets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

FOR SALE, A
TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to
Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.
A BEACON being deemed necessary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation: Notice is hereby given, that Proposals will be received at this Office until the 1st day of October next, from such persons as may be disposed to undertake the same by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at said Office, 3taw

British Vessels.

THE Master of every British Vessel, entering the Port of Philadelphia, is requested to make report of his arrival to his Britannic Majesty's Consul.
Second street, Sept. 8, 1787. ep4w.

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.
THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennsylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the several Lodges under their jurisdiction are requested punctually to attend.
eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

TO BE SOLD,
THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL who has two years and 4 months to serve: she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers,
August 30 eotf

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.
The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.
Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-aus Prince MELASSES on board for sale.
HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*
Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be sold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, and state of Pennsylvania.
THE Mill is in good repair for making superfine flour, having two pair of stones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, also very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Susquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on said river. The Saw Mill was new built last spring, and is also in a good place for getting of timber.
There is on said place a good stone dwelling house with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the possession of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premises, or to the subscribers in Philadelphia.
John Vaughan, *John Barclay,* *John Miller,* } Assignees of T. B. Hugo.
N. B. If they are not sold before the 17th September, they will on that day be exposed to Public Sale on the spot, by the subscribers. *Sept.* 3 d

TO BE SOLD,
MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.
The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.
The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist-Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill, in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw-mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.
This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.
For terms apply to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. eptf

A few REAMS of excellent
HATTERS PAPER,
For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Wanted to Purchase,

LOAN-OFFICE Certificates of Pennsylvania, Continental Certificates of any State or kind, Shilling and Dollar Money, and all other kinds of Public Securities, for which the Highest Price will be given.
Country People and others may be supplied with Certificates and Shilling Money, to pay for their Warrants and Patents at the Land-Office, at as low a Price as the Market will admit.
Money borrowed or lent on approved Notes or Deposits, and negociated so as to accommodate People with the Kind that may best suit them—By applying to
Francis White,
eptf Chesnut street, near the BANK.

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market streets,
Procures Money on Loan,
To any amount, on deposits or satisfactory security.
LIKEWISE,
Buys and Sells on Commission,
Bank Stock, Nicholson's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Stelle's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper issued by Pennsylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,
A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, suitable for a country seat, or a person wishing to attend the market—Likewise, a *LOT* in Market street, a good stand for business

THE SUBSCRIBER

Most respectfully acquaints the Public, that he has commenced the Business of a
Notary Public, Conveyancer & Broker,
And has also opened an *Office* for the purchase and sale of *Real Estates*. He flatters himself, that the utility of uniting those several branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours useful.
As the business of a *Broker* has in a great measure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchasing and selling of *Stock*, the subscriber has seen the inconveniencies which both citizens and strangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a considerable part of his present plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himself he shall prove a useful instrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to such foreigners and strangers as may have occasion for his services. He has therefore prepared himself for the receiving, buying and selling every kind of *Merchandize* on commission, for procuring freight for vessels, and hiring vessels on charter. He will also purchase and sell, on commission, bills of exchange, bank stock, and all kinds of public securities; in which several transactions his employers may implicitly rely on his best endeavours for their interests, on the most inviolable secrecy, and every possible dispatch.
Third-street, below Market-street, June 2. } EDWARD FOX. tu.f.mtttf

Edward Fox,

NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER & BROKER,
West side of Third-street, the first House below Market-street.
BUYS and SELLS on Commission every Kind of
Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,
Public Securities, Bank Stock,
And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States
He procures Freight for Vessels,
And hires Vessels on Charter:
Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan;
Discounts Bills and Notes:
Purchases and Sells REAL ESTATES:
Draws all Kinds of Deeds, Protests, Charter Parties, and other Instruments of Writing,
By a punctual attendance on the several duties which he undertakes, and a scrupulous regard to the interests of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of those gentlemen who may from time to time have occasion for his services, in any or all of the above branches.
☞ Excellent Stres are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

Boot & Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber informs his Friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his Shop from opposite the *City-Tavern*, to the opposite side, two doors below the said tavern, and next door to the corner of Walnut street, where he continues to carry on his Manufactory in all its various branches. He thanks his Friends and the Public in general, for their generous encouragement since his commencement in business. He trusts that the quality of his work is such as has already demonstrated his fidelity in his undertaking. He likewise continues to sell his work at the following prices: BOOTS of the first quality 48/9, foxed ditto for 56/3, gentlemens' best bound SHOES 12/ stitched seats 14/6, mens common strong SHOES from 8/4 to 11/3, ladies SILK SHOES of the first quality 20/, ditto made only, having the silk found, for 12/, ladies STUFF SHOES of the first quality 12/, common ditto from 8/4 to 10/, childrens SHOES and all other branches in proportion to the above. Those Ladies or Gentlemen that will please to favour him with their custom, may depend upon being supplied according to their orders with the greatest punctuality.
Sept 10 2aw3t *NATHANIEL PRENTIS.*

TO BE SOLD,
A Good Plantation, containing 51 acres, situate in Upper Darby township, Chester county, about 8 miles from Philadelphia. There are on the premises, a two story brick house with a kitchen and cellar, a barn, stable, a spring of good water near the door with a house over it, an orchard, 9 or 10 acres of good meadow with water for the same, also water in all the fields: it is a suitable place for a tradesman or storekeeper, being pleasantly situated close to a public road, leading to and from the city of Philadelphia, in a good neighbourhood and near most all places of worship. Any person purchasing the same may enter the premises and have a good title any time between this date and April next.
N. B. One half of the Crop of Hay goes with the place. Enquire of the subscriber, living two miles from the above place.
Sept 7 LAWRENCE HOWARD.

Foreign Intelligence.

VERSEILLES, June 28.

ORDERS have been sent to Brest to equip 16 ship of the line, and to send immediately to sea a frigate with orders to the squadron on the coast of Portugal to return to port with all possible expedition. This armament, however, will not put to sea, unless England should interrupt the commerce of Holland, and attempt to dictate to the United Provinces; though some of our politicians think it is destined for the East Indies where they imagine the English will probably send a fleet to attack the Asiatick establishments of Holland, they are assembling at Givet a body of 12,000 men under the command of the count de Rochambeau.

Comte d'Adhemar, the king's ambassador to the court of Great Britain, having obtained leave to return to this kingdom; on his arrival here the 28th ult. his excellency was presented to his majesty by comte Montmorin, minister and secretary of state in the foreign department.

PARIS, July 9.

A report is very confidently propagated, that a Congress will shortly be held at Verseilles, to which the kings of England and Prussia will be invited to send ministers, to arrange and settle the present differences subsisting between the stadtholder and the states of Holland, Overyssel, and the city of Utrecht—On the other hand, it is said the Dutch will not submit to any mediation of the British court.

VIENNA, June 30.

In a coal mine discovered at Gundrali z, a spot belonging to the countess of Goltz, and situated in the circle of Kaurzim, in Bohemia, a greyish earth is found, which being burnt, produces a good quantity of silver.

COPENHAGEN, June 10.

The Aigle blanc frigate of 18 guns is equipping in this port, for the purpose of exercising in the Baltic the young marine Danish officers. She is commanded by the Sieur Birch.

LONDON, July 16.

An Evening paper says, some letters received from Holland on Saturday mention, that the king of Prussia has proposed a new plan of reconciliation between the stadtholder and the states, the outlines of which are these—That the stadtholder shall abdicate, and retire into Germany for life; that the Princess of Orange shall remain at the Hague, or at Nimeguen as Regent, during the minority of her son, who is to be stadtholder as soon as he comes of age. This plan is evidently founded on the supposed dislike the states entertain against the stadtholder. It was communicated to us in some private letters, and we give the report as we have received it.

The court of Spain is about to declare war against Algiers—that state having violated the late treaty, and began their usual depredations on the Spanish ships; the Spanish frigate which was carrying out 700,000 pieces as the remainder of the ransom money demanded by the dey, has received orders to repair to Carthagena, in consequence of some private advices of a very alarming tendency, received from the Spanish consul at Algiers.

It is now evident, that the ships lately ordered to be fitted out at Portsmouth, will sail to Spithead and back again.

The master carpenters intend to apply to the court of aldermen this day, to grant them licences to employ non freemen journeymen to work on their buildings, as the carpenters have struck. Several good workmen, who are not free, have solicited to be employed, and are very willing to work at the usual price.

Extract of a letter from Shelburne, in America, via Halifax, May 21.

'The settlements in this quarter begin to be flourishing beyond the most sanguine expectations. A number of American families, and those of the better sort of quakers, who could find no convenient settlement in Halifax, have removed hither since the winter broke up. The post is now regular to Halifax and Quebec every month, so that with the private ships that pass, our communications will be regular for some months. This spring two ships are sent to the whale fishery, and four to Newfoundland. This is one mark of progress in the line of commerce.'

Extract of a letter from Dublin, July 2.

'The commissioners of his majesty's revenue have ordered the additional duty of 6d per tanned hide, paid since the 25th of March 1780, on the exportation of this article, to be refunded the merchants.

'A gentleman passing by Kilmainham gaol last Saturday, put his hand into the bars with some halfpence for the relief of the prisoners, when one of the hardened villains took hold of his wrist, whilst another with a razor, swore he would cut off his hand if he did not instantly deliver his purse, upon which the gentleman gave the miscreants a guinea and a crown, all the money he had about him.

'July 3. Yesterday came on to be tried in the court of king's bench, before the hon. Mr. Justice Henn and a most respectable jury, a very interesting cause in which Mr Wilson, bookseller, and author of the Post-chaise Companion was plaintiff, and Mr. Lewis, corrector of the press, defendant. After a very full and impartial hearing of the evidence on both sides, it clearly appeared, that the plaintiff had entrusted the defendant with a variety of materials, to copy fair for the above mentioned work, for which the defendant had secretly endeavoured to compile a similar book under a different title, for his own private emolument. The jury brought in a verdict in favour of Mr. Wilson for costs and damages. This verdict has fully established the important decision of literary property in original productions of this kingdom.

'In the researches of the Royal Irish Academy, one of the members has luckily discovered all the manuscripts which contain the real productions of Ossian, the son of Fingal.

'On the night of Saturday the 16th of June inst. a barbarous murder was committed in the neighbourhood of Kilbeggan in a corn field, on the body of Jane Kushelly, by Edward Roach of Raheenmore, who has fled from justice.

'Sunday was the warmest day that came this summer, the thermometor having stood from one to three in the afternoon in the shade at 72.

'A few days ago, an American vessel from Philadelphia, called the Dash, came into our harbour, freighted with a cargo of tar, tobacco, &c. and while the master came on shore in order to make his invoice the tide waiters went on board, and upon searching the vessel, they found no less than 213 pieces of nankeen, which of course they seized on; the master hearing what had happened, went on board, and immediately set sail with the two revenue officers along with him, who by much intreaty were landed at the rocks near Howth, and the vessel got clear off. The consequence must have been, if the master had not thus sailed away with such dispatch, that the whole cargo would have been forfeited, on account of having those articles of prohibited goods on board.

'July 5. It is a singularity in the will of Admiral Moore who died a few years ago, near the Black-rock, that he ordered his body to be buried at low water mark. He was a man of opulence, and so attached has he been to a marine character, that from the turret of his garden, the different naval flags of England were always seen flying, and in particular a flag for Sunday.'

Yesterday between one and two o'clock, as Miss Boydell, niece of Mr. alderman Boydell, accompanied by Mr. Nicol, bookseller, in the Strand, were walking up Princes street, Leicester fields, a person came behind them, and without any preparation or speaking a syllable, held two pistols close up to the lady's side, and at the same instant using both hands, discharged them. Providentially, though they were so close as to set fire to the lady's cloak, yet by the balls glancing on her stays, she received only a contusion under the shoulder. Mr. Nicol instantly seized the assassin by the throat, and a gentleman's servant passing by at the same moment, wrenched the pistols out of his hand. He was secured, and taken before Justice Hyde.

Upon his examination it turned out, that he was a person of the name of Elliot, an apothecary.—Two more pistols were found loaded to the muzzle in his pocket: he shewed evident symptoms of lunacy, from his disappointmen at not succeeding in his attempt on the life of the lady, which he declared he was determined to take away, on account of her not paying a proper respect to his suite; that he had kept pistols loaded in his pocket for the purpose more than a month, and had watched for the opportunity; that he meant to shoot himself as soon as he had killed her, as her rejection of his pretensions had robbed him of his peace.

The gentleman's servant and a shopkeeper opposite, as well as Mr. Nicol, gave evidence before the justice, of the shocking facts as we have above stated them, and he was committed to Bridewell.

Upon enquiry we find that this unhappy man served an apprenticeship to an apothecary of reputation in Cheapside. He has frequently attempted to be troublesome to the alderman's family, and has threatened to commit some desperate action if he was not attended to.

Extract of a letter from the Elsineur, June 23.

'A Dutch man of war, of 64 guns, and a frigate arrived here two days ago from the North Sea, where they have been cruising six weeks, in company with five more, under the same flag, which are likewise expected; but we know not the cause of their coming here.

'Two Russian snows with guns on board, are just now arrived from the Baltic.'

Extract of a letter from Barcelona, June 19.

'Arrived a small xebec with dispatches for government from Algiers. She has not been allowed to perform quarantine, or have any communication with shore: but it has transpired, that on her leaving the above place the 14th inst. about 160 people have continued to die there of the plague every 24 hours.'

The following is an accurate translation of the remonstrating protest addressed to his Most Christian Majesty by the Parliament of Paris, on the latter refusing to enregister the new edict for the stamp duty:

"SIRE,

"Your parliament, when debating on the declaration concerning the stamp duty, have observed in the preamble that your majesty had resolved, greatly against your inclination, to lay this heavy burthen on the subject as a resource necessary to make good the *deficit*, which some persons imagined to have discovered. Actuated by a desire of giving to your majesty a proof of their zeal and attachment, your parliament have been compelled by duty to expostulate on the people's interest, which is inseparable from that of your majesty. Your parliament are firmly of opinion, that it is impossible for them to be convinced of the necessity of the impost, after five years peace, without ascertaining the real existence of the *deficit* laid before your majesty. Full of gratitude for those views of equity and benevolence, which your majesty incessantly pursues when the happiness of your subjects is the aim, your parliament most respectfully supplicate your majesty will please to order for their inspection, an account of all receipts and expenditure, as also of the savings and improvements graciously alluded to in your declaration. The greater is their confidence in laying at the foot of the throne this their most humble request, that it hath pleased your majesty to give before the Notables assembled, and to repeat in the preamble aforesaid a promise of making public every year the estimate of all the receipts and disbursements. Nay, your majesty explained the motive of this condescension. Your intention, Sire, is, that the nation should be convinced of the necessity which enforced the measures by you adopted, and the exact correspondence of those measures, with the real wants of the state. But if it be true, that the people at large should be convinced after the enregistering of any edict, it seems indispensible that your parliament should see its expediency before they give their sanction, as the latter is not to precede, but be determined by conviction."

To the above remonstrance the king answered in substance, that "his majesty having engaged to produce annually an account of the yearly receipts and expenditure, his parliament ought to rest satisfied with this promise, and with eagerness forward his majesty's intentions in a circumstance wherein the sovereign wished to accelerate the means of making good the *deficit*. As for the private accounts and vouchers, which ascertain its amount, they cannot be produced, the debates that must naturally follow not being amongst the objects which his majesty has been pleased to submit to the cognizance of his parliament."

Several motions were made in consequence of the above answer, but all of them negatived, save that of Monf. L'Abbe le Coigneur, who moved for another address and petition to the lord the king, it is supposed his majesty will attend next week, in person, at the parliament house. On the other hand, the latter, supported by the peers, seem determined to hold out as long as they can, and to oppose all new imposts till the promis'd reform, for which the Notables were convened, is fully and permanently established.

AMERICA.

BOSTON, September, 5.

Stow, August 31, 1787.

"Yesterday afternoon, a ball of fire, of about six inches diameter, exceeding bright and glowing, passed with great velocity through the heavens, leaving a train of about 20 degrees in length; next the meteor it appeared like a blaze, and gradually lessened in smoke to a point; no one that saw it could determine whether it fell to the earth or pursued its course; about 8 or 10 minutes after it disappeared, a noise was heard like heavy though distant thunder: it was apparently much above the clouds, and left a body of smoke, which settled down in the N. E. and was visible until after sunset—Its course was from S. W. to N. E."

This phenomenon was observed, and its report heard, about four o'clock, P. M. at Portsmouth, Old York, &c.

In America the happy influence of religion, education, and public worship is visible: and often creates remarkable difference in the same township. An American author relates, that there are 600 free schools in the small state of Connecticut, which have in them 2500 scholars; and that only two natives of this state have been executed in the course of the last 25 years—that the German Lutherans, in Pennsylvania, take uncommon pains in the education of their youth; and that not one of this society has suffered the ignominy of a legal punishment of any kind, for the last seventeen years.

It may be interesting to navigators to be informed, that a light-house is now building at M'Nutt's head, off the harbour of Shelburne, in Nova-Scotia——the height of which, exclusive of the lantern, will be 147 feet from the level of the ocean.

Doctor Rush's address to the visitors of the young ladies academy in Philadelphia, at the close of the last examination, is so highly approved by some gentlemen in Boston, as to induce them to encourage a republication of it in this town. It has accordingly been reprinted, and is now for sale.

NEW-YORK, September 11.

By His Excellency

GEORGE CLINTON, Esqr.

Governor of the state of New-York, general and commander in chief of all the Militia, and admiral of the Navy of the same.

PROCLAMATION.

L. S. WHEREAS discoveries have been lately made, of FIRE being put in the night-time, by some evil minded persons, to combustible articles in different parts of this city, with evident intention that the same should communicate to, and set on fire the adjacent houses and buildings; and the magistrates of the said city have suggested, that the interposition of government may tend to facilitate a discovery of the persons concerned in the aforesaid wicked acts, and have expressed their willingness to give a reward of one thousand dollers, upon discovery and conviction of the said incendiaries.

I have therefore issued this my proclamation, hereby offering the said reward of *One Thousand Dollars*, to any person or persons who shall discover, apprehend, and prosecute to conviction, the perpetrator or perpetrators of the aforesaid diabolical acts, or either of them; and if the discovery and apprehension of the principal shall be made by any person having been accessary to the said crimes, I do, in that case, hereby promise a full and free PARDON to such accessary, upon the conviction of the principal. And all officers, magistrates, and ministers of justice, and others, are hereby required to be vigilant, and to use their utmost endeavors to discover and bring the offenders aforesaid to justice.

Given under my hand, and the privy seal, at the city of New-York, this eighth day of September, in the year of our Lord, 1787, and of the independence of the state the twelfth.

GEORGE CLINTON.

The committee appointed by the citizens of the East Ward to carry into effect the regulations adopted by them at the Coffee-House, on Friday the 7th inst. have made choice of the following houses for the purpose of accommodating the watch in each of the districts in said ward, viz.

For the Western District, Mr. Thomas Ming's.
Middle District, Mrs. Scott's.
Eastern District, Mrs. Funk's.

The citizens of the several districts will be summoned in rotation; and it is expected that those inhabitants, whose health will not permit them to attend, will send in their place, a person eligible for the purpose; and that they punctually attend, at the respective places, at 10 o'clock. Report to be made to alderman Hazard.

We are informed that similar regulations have been adopted by the inhabitants of the other wards in this city.

Some days since died at Baskenridge, New-Jersey, the Rev. Samuel Kennedy, pastor of the presbyterian congregation at that place. This was a faithful servant of Jesus Christ, and has for a great number of years preached the gospel with success; he also followed the practice of physic, and was one of the trustees of Princeton college.——It is but too common to ascribe merit to persons after their decease, which they do not deserve: we shall only say, that Mr Kennedy was a truly pious, honest, upright and zealous man; and in him the people have lost an excellent leader, his wife an affectionate husband, his children an indulgent father, and his servants a kind and benevolent master.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 14.

General Assembly.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 14.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

THE following petitions were presented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. The petition of Zachary Conelly; the petition of a number of the inhabitants of Newtown, in Bucks county, praying that the said town may not be incorporated, the petition from 1585 of the inhabitants of Northumberland county, praying that the seat of justice may be removed to Hanna's town, the petition of 1800 inhabitants of Greensburgh, in Northumberland county, praying that the seat of justice may not be removed agreeable to the request of the preceding application, the petition of Anne Gardener, praying relief against the possession of a person who holds an estate derived from her ancestors, the petition of Michael Downe, praying that his claim against a forfeited estate may be received, the petition from a body of the inhabitants of the borough of Reading, praying that an additional number of justices may be appointed, and the petition of Hessop, late a soldier in the Pennsylvania line, praying that his certificates which were lost, might be renewed.

The committee appointed upon the petition of Moses M'Lean, reported, that as the petitioner referred to general matters, for which a committee was formerly appointed, it should be resolved that his petition be referred to the same members.

ELECTION AND JURY LAW.

The order of the day for taking into consideration the bill for amending the election and jury laws, was called up. This bill contained three propositions, 1st. That the allowance to the judges, inspectors, &c of general elections should be discontinued which passed in the affirmative without any debate.' 2d, That the fine imposed upon delinquent jurors should be reduced from 6l. to 3l. and 3dly, That there should not be any longer an allowance to jurymen for attending the courts. On the second question the following debate arose—We object to reduce the fine imposed upon delinquent jurors, because we feel the necessity of contributing to the strength and energy of the judicial authority of the state. The inconveniences that prevailed before the present penalty was inflicted, are in the recollection of every man who, as an officer of suitor of our courts, came within the scope of their operation. The enormous public and private expence incurred by the attendance of judges, sheriffs, parties and witnesses, was frequently rendered abortive by the wilful, negligent, or interested absence of a single juror. Causes were thus protracted from year to year, the spirit of litigation inflamed and perpetuated, and the justice of the country exposed to derision and reproach. If then, experience has evinced that by inflicting a heavier punishment, by exacting a more exemplary forfeiture, the occurrence of these evils have been prevented, is there any thing so greivous, in the penalty itself or in the manner of imposing it, that we should be induced hastily to relinquish the benefits which it has produced? The amount is certainly not greater than is requisite to secure the attendance of the wealthy, and there has been no complaint, nay, there has been no reason to complain that the discretionary power of the judges in moderating the fine, has been exercised to the oppression of the indigent members of the community. The circumstances of every case must guide the decisions in that respect; and, as on the one hand, an actual inability to comply with the summons of the court will be a ground for a total exoneration, so, on the other, the extent of the delinquents ability to pay, will certainly regulate the extent of the penalty adjudged.

The duty of a juror is indeed of an important and public nature: every power should be exerted to render it inconvenient to refuse, and dangerous to evade the task. If the penalty is reduced, you make it a matter of indifference with those who can spare the cost of disobedience, and to those who cannot, you furnish a reasonable ground for discontent, since on them the whole burthen must eventually fall.——It is therefore a question between the accommodation of individuals, and the administration of public justice—whether you will enforce a discharge of the obligation to the state at the expence of private ease, or indulge private ease at the expence of the common weal. On this ground, we are preremptorily against the projected alteration.

To the preceding arguments it was answered, that penalties and fines ought, under the authority of our constitution, to be moderate, and that 3l. was a sum adequate to enforce the attendance of a juror, which was all that could be accomplished by the forfeiture at present enacted. Indeed, however confident we may be in the integrity of our judges, there is in the very essence of discretionary power, something contrary to a free and republican system of laws, and we cannot therefore be two cautious how far it is entrusted with any of the executive departments of government. It is this principle which has induced us to approve the alteration proposed in the clause before us, we mean not to be strenuous in maintaining it contrary to the general sense of the house. The question was then put, and determined in the negative by a considerable majority. The speakers against the clause were Mr. Whitehill, Mr. Clymer; and in favour it Mr. Fitzsimons, &c.

On the third proposition respecting the allowance to jurors, it was argued as a principle of natural law, recognized by our frame of government, that every man had a right to a compensation for the services which he redered, whether to an individual or to the public. The office of a juryman was laborious and expensive; it required strict integrity, and some abilities, and every man acquainted with the circumstances of our country, must be sensible that there were many in those respects competent to the charge, who could not, in prudence, undertake it, without a moderate indemnification for the loss of time and the necessary disbursements which accompanied it. Nor is it possible to conceive that the trifling sum now paid is an adequate compensation but still it is sufficient to induce men to embark in the business of their country, and should it be discontinued the consequence will certainly be injurious to the public as well as to the individual——to the public, whose service will be shunned and evaded—to individuals, who will be pestered with pains and penalties.

On the other hand, it was observed that every member of society was bound to contribute a proportion of his time and services for the public benefit, in return for the protection he enjoyed; and that discharging the duty of a juror, was a matter merely reciprocal, which the citizens of every well regulated state must occasionally perform for each other. The inconveniency indeed was too trifling to be considered as an object of indemnification—it lasted but a few days, and could not be repeated within a year—Gentlemen of the law have declared that the act for the better regulation of juries has poorly answered the purposes of the legislature; and in this country particularly, the allowance has been so great a temptation with some of the characters who have even solicited the appointment, that our juries are at this time infinitely less respectable than they were formerly. The question being put, it was determined in the the affirmative. Mr. Wynkoop, &c. again the clause, Mr. Fitzsimons, Mr. Clymer, &c. in favour of it.

On motion the petition from divers owners of land in the county of Luzerne was taken up for a second reading, and referred to a committee of five.

On motion, the bill for the relief of Paul Hauseman, an insolvent debtor, late collector of public taxes, confined in Lancaster goal, was taken up for a third reading. Mr. Hubley moved an amendment to the first enacting clause, that 'the said Paul Hauseman should, upon application to the county court be discharged, as in the common case of insolvent debtors,' which, and a proviso that 'the county should not be exonerated for any part of its quota due to the state, by reason of the default and discharge of the said Paul Hauseman,' were adopted after a short debate.

On motion the bill for dividing Bedford county, is made an order of the day for Friday next.

The bill for authorising the executive council to lay out a town, and otherwise proportion a certain lot of ground reserved to the state, was compared at the table and enacted into a law.

The house adjourned till to-morrow morning at half past nine o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

The following petitions were presented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. the petition of a number

of the inhabitants of West Chester, praying that an act may be passed to ascertain the boundaries of the county-town, agreeably to the lines therein described; the petition from the inhabitants of the district of Southwark, complaining of the act for ragulating the same, and praying ad alteration therein; the petition from sundry inhabitants of the county of Westmoreland, praying for the removal of the seat of justice to Hannah's town, and a memorial from 5 persons, resident in Hannah's town, offering proposals for erecting a court house and goal, should the seat of justice be removed to that place.

The committee appointed upon the petition of the commissioners from Chester county, reported a bill for the sale of a certain lot of ground therein described, to the use of the county.

Ordered to lie on the table.

AUCTION AND VENDUE BILL.

The order of the day for taking into consideration the bill for regulating actions and vendues was called up.

Upon motion, the blank left for inserting the period from which the act should commence its operation, was filled up with the first day of November next, the security to be taken upon the grant of licences for the city, Southwark and the Northern Liberties, was fixed at 1000l. each: and for the other parts of the state 100l. But on the clause which extended the regulations of the act to the counties, an opposition arose. It was observed that the unnecessary multiplication of laws should be carefully avoided, and that a difference in the circumstances of the people upon whom they were to operate, ought to create a difference in the laws themselves. With respect to the city of Philadelphia and its suburbs, there was a propriety in the measure now agitated, which did not extend to the interior districts of the state, and it would surely be absurd to carry the law itself further than the existence of the reason upon which it was founded. Auctions and vendues, for the disposal of mercnandize must inevitably be circumscribed to the metropolis; and even there we find them supported only by the superflux of the importations from Europe, and not by the regular transfers of established traders. But in the country, the quantity of merchandize exposed to public sale, if made an object of revenue, would produce little benefit indeed to the public, but great inconvenience to the individual; and our constitution must determine us, upon that subject, to relinquish a tax whose amount does not compensate for the hardship that attends the collection. Nor is it to be presumed that by discharging the counties from the duty upon the sale of merchandize, you will induce to citizens to attempt the evasion of the law, and to forward their goods to the country actions. The expence of transportation would exceed the tax, and the number of bidders would be so considerably diminished, that there must naturally follow a reduction upon the price of the commodities. These consideration will always therefore be a sufficient security for the state upon that point.

But if it should nevertheless be thought reasonable to extend the tax upon the sales of merchandize into the country, the sales of land ought upon every principle of policy and conveniency to be exempted. Family estates are frequently disposed of, upon the death of parents, and the confusion would be endless, were it necessary upon every occasion of that kind, to travel in pursuit of a licenced auctioneer. The emoluments of the office in the country, would not be important enough to be solicited, and those, who are directed to grant the lincences, finding no applications, could make no appointments.——Innumerable difficulties would ensue, and though the state received a trifling aid, its citizens would be exposed to intolerable burthens, and private property would be eventually rendered precarious.

It must be confessed however, that general laws are to be preferred to partial ones, and that there is some reason in the arguments for making the tax upon things of the same nature co-extensive with the state. That we may have an opportunity therefore of deliberating upon the subject, and if possible, of modifying the law so as accommodate the opinions of parties, we move for a postponement, but do not mean thereby to prevent the bill being enacted in the present sessions.

The members who were in favor of the bill in its present state observed, that the citizens of Philadelphia would now be able to judge of the regard paid to their interest; for, an opportunity was presented to make that burthen general and equal, which had hitherto been imposed only upon them. The subject had not indeed been considered without some dissatisfaction and complaint, yet a principle of patience had prevailed, in hopes that the rgulations of the present bill would not only dissolve an unjust and unconstitutional monopoly, but likewise remove the evident hardship upon the inhabitants of Philadelphia, by compelling their fellow citizens throughout the state to partake of its weight.

Is it reasonable, it is just that any distinction should be made between the man who lives here, and he who lives ten or a hundred miles off? they are equally protected by the state, they ought equally to contribute to its dignity and support. The tax itself indeed is in every point of view oppressive, and ought not to be enforced, could any other means of answering the exigencies of government be devised. It is not however, the sum which is produced, but the principle which is established, that we ought to consider: and on that ground the operation of the duty must be made general, or we shall betray an improper partiality for the accommodation of one class of citizens, at the expence of another. For it is our intention to derive a revenue from the sale of certain articles, and on what equal and unbiassed principle can we say, that the sale in this place shall be taxed, but in that free?

But it is alledged that the country will be involved in great difficulties, if the duty operates upon the sale of lands: will those persons who advance this, accept relief upon the condition that Philadelphia likewise shall in that respect be relieved? The compromise would be chearfully agreed to, did not the decaying state of our finances, oppose any measure which tends to intercept its efficient resources. In short, the object of the legislature must be to render the burthens of the people as easy, and as equal as possible; and though, for the present, we shall agree to the postponement on the ground suggested, we hope it is not intended to protract the passing of this bill beyond the present session. The question being put, the further consideration of the bill was postponed.

On motion of Mr. D. Clymer, the petition of the inhabitants of Reading, praying, that an additional number of justices may be appointed for that borough, was taken up for a second reading, and after a short debate, upon instructing the committee to report a bill if they thought proper (which was determined in the negative) it was referred to the county members. The speaker offered to the consideration of the house, the certificates respecting a negro, late a soldier in the Pennsylvania line, but the house declined taking any order thereon.

On motion, the bill for allowing alliens, to hold lands, was made the order of the day for Tuesday next.

On motion, the bill for incorporating the Protestant Episcopal church of York-town, was taken up for a third reading, when Mr. Fitzsimons proposed several additonal clauses for the endowment of an academy in that place. This produced a desultory argument, which terminated in rejecting the clauses. The bill was then debated by paragraphs, and ordered to be engrossed.

On motion, the bill for removing the seat of justice from Sunbury, is made an order of the day for Saturday next.

The house adjourned 'till to morrow morning at half past nine o'clock.

A reward of a thousand dollars has been offered by Governor Clinton, for the discovery of the incendiaries who have lately attempted to set fire to New York.

On Tuesday last there was a considerable tumult excited among the people by the appearance of a person in this city, who had acted with the greatest severity as the master of a British prison ship during the late war. Though we cannot but admit that the resentment of our citizens upon this occasion is at once natural and just, we hope it will not be indulged in acts of personal violence. If the wretch has any conscience, his own feelings will be an ample punishment.

A correspondent assures us, that several gentlemen of taste have lately caused the metal buttons they had in use to be covered with cloth; and that a number of others, equally patriotic, have determined not to purchase or wear, in future, that tawdry appendage of dress. Then we may flatter ourselves a saving to the American States of thirty thousand pounds sterling a year will take place.

☞ The Pennsylvania owners of Land in the neighbourhood of Wyoming, are earnestly requested to meet at the City Tavern, on Saturday evening, the 15th instant, at 7 o'clock, to consult upon measures of great importance to their interests, previous to a conference with the committee appointed by the honourable House of Assembly. Sept. 13.

, The American Philosophical Society, pursuant to adjournment, will meet *This Evening*, at seven o'clock. SAMUEL MAGAW, Secretary.

September 14.

||‡|| The friends to equal liberty in the county of Montgomery, are requested to meet on Monday the 17th inst. at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the hourse of George Egert, in the township of White-Marsh, upon business relative to the ensuing election.

September 4 1787.

CLEMENT BIDDLE,

Notary Public, Scrivener and Broker,
At his Office, in Front-street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets,

Has for Sale,

A VERY Valuable Plantation on Delaware river, and Neshamany creek, about 17 miles from this city, containing about 280 acres, of which 80 acres are woodland, 50 acres of marsh meadow secured with a good bank, and laid down in timothy grass, and 16 acres of fine orchard; a neat kitchen garden, of near an acre, inclosed with cedar pales, and dwelling house, barn, stables, and other out houses.

Two valuable tracts of unimproved Land in Mount Bethel township, Northampton county; one of 362 acres, the other of 479 acres.

A large and commodious House and Lot of Ground in the town of Louisburg, Dauphin county.

A Farm of 216 acres of Land in Falls township, Bucks county, situate on the river Delaware, near the 24 mile stone, on the road from Bristol to Trenton.

Several Valuable unimproved tracts of Land in the county of Northumberland.

Three tracts of Land in Sussex county, in New Jersey.

To be let on ground rent forever,

A Lot of Ground on South-street, between Second and Third streets from the river Delaware, in this city, containing in front 19 feet, and in depth 88 feet.

For Freight or Charter,

To any part of Europe, or the West Indies, a *SHIP* now in this port, that will carry upwards of 300 hogsheads of tobacco.

P R O P O S A L S
For Printing by Subscription,

SERMONS,

On the Security and Happiness of a virtuous Course,
On the Goodness of God,
The Resurrection of Lazarus, &c. &c.
By RICHARD PRICE, D. D. L. L. D. F. R. S.
Consisting of ten Sermons.

This Work is proposed to be printed on a good paper and type, and to be furnished to the subscribers at *two thirds of a dollar*, bound and lettered, in one neat pocket volume.

As soon as four hundred subscribers have given in their names, the work will be put to press.

Subscriptions taken in by *Thomas Dobson*, and the other Booksellers in Philadelphia: *Robert Hodge*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charlestown; and all others intrusted with Proposals. Sept 13 3aw3w

F O R S A L E,

A Valuable, young Bay Horse, good for saddle or chaise, well marked and of a good size. Enquire at the Cross Keys or Harp and Crown, Third street, 9th mo. 12

IF *Robert Henderson*, who formerly lived near Pittsburg, and *Mary Henderson*, wife of *Jonathan Hays*, who lived formerly at Toms creek, in Fredrick county, are now alive, they are informed that their Mother, *Jane Henderson*, is living at Shelburne, in Nova-Scotia, and would be glad to hear from her children above named, or either of them.

Direct to the care of the Rev. Dr. *Welter*, at Shelburne, Nova-Scotia. Aug 22 3sp

CAME to the Plantation of Mr. Samuel Sansan, some time since, a small red brindle C O W, with small crooked horns: the owner is desired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away, otherwise she will be sold to discharge her expences, if not called for in two months after this date. CHRISTIAN RIFE.

Northern Liberties, Sept. 12.

WAS found, and supposed to be stolen, sundry articles, viz. One small silver watch, with an enamelled face: one French gold seal: about 30 yards of coarse unbleached linen: one large 2 gallon copper can, and six cross bar'd handkerchiefs. Whoever has lost the above articles, by proving property and paying charges, may have them again by applying to

1awzt ALEXANDER CARLISLE.

Imported in the ship Pigou, captain Sutton, from London, by

Peter W. Gallaudet,

Now opening for sale at his store in Second street, 2d door below Chesnut street,

A Variety of seasonable Goods, *viz.*

ROSE blankets assorted	Moreens, durants and jeans
Spotted and green rugs	Black, dark blue, bottle green & drab coloured super. cloths } retail
Striped blanketing	
Blue and red duffils	
Kerseys & kendle cottons	Sattinets and florentines
Broad and narrow cloths	Scotch & coloured threads
Rattinets and shalloons	Light, cloth coloured and black sewing silks, a large assortment, at low prices
White and brown buckrams	
A variety of printed cottons	Skeleton and lb. cap wire
	Cotton checks
Calicoes and chintzes	Chinnese ribbons
Printed linen handkerchiefs	Mens beaver gloves
	Womens leather and silk gloves and mitts
Black and coloured silk dit	
Furniture cottons with fringe, tassels and line	Sattins and modes
	Glossey cypress French net, crape and striped gauzes.
Bed bunts & fine tickens	
Counterpanes and Marseilles bed quilts	

Also, for Sale,

A few casks sheathing nails
Maxwell's Scotch snuff in kegs, bladders and bottles
A large, fine toned harpsichord, neatly finished
Scotch carpets of most sizes, &c. &c. Sept 12 3tf

For Grist Mills & other Water Works

On an extensive Plan,
One of the best situations in America is offered

FOR SALE,

Together With

Batsto Iron-Works,

At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the most healthy spots in New Jersey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours sail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the sea by the best inlet on the Jersey coast, is navigable for vessels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; those of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and scows, carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The usual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 shillings per ton. The furnace stream affords plenty of water, in the dryest season, for 3 or 4 pair of mill stones, besides supplying the iron works.——An excellent dam, which has been increasing in strength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well secured from the danger of freshes, and the works are scarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or back-water, though the tide swells to the foot of the dam: mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are necessarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the same time illy adapted to the raising of grain for their support, there is, and must continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, shorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the conveniencp of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more distant markets, will not be overlooked nor considered as of small importance, especially as there are few mill seats of any considerable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently supplied with superfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this seat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York with greater ease and convenience than to almost any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extensive lands annexed to it, is abundantly supplied with wood and ore, is now in blast, and is noted for producing the best hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of castings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron.

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the estate, and stands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine stream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been disused for the last two or three years, may want some repairs to prepare it for use; but the fore-bays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper spot for grist mills, may be appropriated to that use.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a small Grist Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly situated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the surrounding buildings belonging to the estate, such as barns, stables, coal houses, workshops, storehouses and dwellings for work men. Adjoining the mansion house is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well stored with chosen fruit trees; also a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, mostly grafted.

These excellent accommodations for extensive and profitable manufactories, are offered to sale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the ease of the purchaser, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the said Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomsbury, near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

To be Sold at Auction,

On Saturday the 22d day of September, instant, at the old Coffee-House in the city of Philadelphia; the sales to commence at 12 o'clock on that day,

Seventeen City Lots,

SITUATE on the west side of Eigth-street from Delaware, and between Cherry-street and Race-street.

Also, an annual Rent Charge of £.10 Pennsylvania currency per annum, issuing out of a lot on the west side of Eighth-street aforesaid, between Race-street and Cherry street, now in the tenure of Andrew Walker.

The purchase money, which will be received in gold, silver, or paper money of this state of the last emission, to be paid within 8 days after the sale, or the premises to revert, and the bidder sustain any loss which may accrue on a second sale.

A plan of the lots aforesaid may be seen at the said Coffee-House.

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

T O B E S O L D,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a arge and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

DICK'S Plea for Beating his WIFE.

SINCE beauty they say ne'er so lovely appears,
As when the fair nymph is dissolv'd in tears:
To know then how solid this maxim will prove,
Dick beats pretty Peggy to heighen his love.

A N E C D O T E.

A Nobleman of the thick blood of a certain nation paid his addresses to the daughter of a gentleman in England, who valued money more than ancestry: the old gentleman hinted to his lordship, that he supposed his fortune was equivalent to his daughter's. "Why, no, Sir, (replied his lordship) I cannot say it is altogether so considerable; but then you know, Sir, there is my blood."——"O, d—n your blood (returns the old gentleman, without hesitation:) if you squander my daughter's fortune away, she must not depend on your blood for a subsistence. a hog's blood would be of more service then, and would make much better puddings."

A L L those who have any Demands against the estate of David Schaffer, jun. late of the city of Philadelphia, sugar refiner, deceased, are desired to bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, for settlement; and all persons indebted to said estate are desired to make payment without delay.

JOHN FROMBERGER, Executor.

Philadelphia, September 13, 1787.

N. B. The sale of loaf and other sugars, as well as Molasses, is continued at the store of the deceased, as heretofore; and there is now a large quantity on hand, which will be disposed of on the lowest terms. 2aw2m

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by assignment made over his Estate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the subscribers, as assignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Those having demands are requested to furnish their accounts; and all who are indebted, are earnestly desired to make speedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting assignee—Who has for sale on the most advantageous terms for cash, at James Wilson's store, Second, between Market and Arch streets, a general Assortment of seasonable DRY GOODS.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Beaven.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8, 1787 3taw4w

Sales of Forfeited Estates

IN P E N N S Y L V A N I A.

WHEREAS the estate of Christian Hook, late of the city of Philadelphia, attorney at law, hath been forfeited to this Commonwealth, by his attainder, for treason: I the subscriber, agent for the county of Northampton, do hereby give notice, that the following estate late of said Christian Hook, in the county aforesaid, will be sold by Public Vendue at the Court-house, in Easton, in the said county, on *Thursday* the 20th day of September next; the Sales to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and to continue until all be sold, viz.

Nº 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, being 6 contiguous tracts of land, situate on a branch of Lehawanick Creek, adjoining lands of Reuben Haines, Isaac Wikoff, and others; Nº 1, containing 387 acres, 77 perches, and allowance; Nº 2, 301 acres, 141 perches, and allowance; Nº 3, 4, 5, and 6, each containing a like quantity, the whole being patented to said Hook, Nov. 5th, 1776.

7, A tract of land situate on Shahawken Creek about two miles and a quarter from Delaware river, containing 271 and a half acres, patented to said Hook, Aug 21st, 1776.

The terms of sale will be according to law as follows, viz. one-fourth part of the purchase money to be paid within 10 days after sale, and the remainder within 30 days after sale, or the premises to revert to the state, and the bidder to forfeit one-fourth part of the purchase money—On a certificate being produced from the agent, of the payment of the purchase money, a deed will be given as by law directed.

Draughts of the several tracts, may be seen at the old Coffee-house, in the city of Philadelphia, and in Easton, on the day of sale.

And I, the agent, do also pursuant to law, notify all the claimants of the said premises: and the creditors of the said Christian Hook, to exhibit their claims and demands to the justices of the supreme court, within the time limited by law, or they will be for ever debarred from recovery thereof. July 24, 1787.

JOHN M'NAIR, Jun. Agent.

T O B E S O L D,

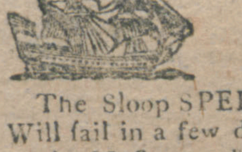
A Two story Brick House and Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, situate on the west side of Front street, Southwark, now in the tenure of Alexander Dowe, shoemaker. The lot is 16 feet front and 90 feet in depth, subject to a ground rent of 6l. per annum.

Also, for Sale—Sundry *Tracts of Land* in Northumberland and Bedford counties, Pennsylvania, which are of an excellent quality and abound with beaver dams, so as to render them valuable for grazing. Likewise, several other *Tracts of Back Lands*, the whole being the property of *Hubley & Graff*, and by them assigned over for the discharge of their debts: wherefore, any person inclining to purchase any part of the aforesaid property, are desired to apply to *Benjamin Fuller*, *John Donnaldson*, or *Benjamin Swett*, who earnestly desire all persons indebted to the aforesaid *Hubley & Graff*, or either of them, to discharge their respective debts to prevent further trouble. 1aw2m

To be Sold,

PURSUANT to the last will and testament of Ann James, deceased, 12 and an half acres of LAND, fronting Passyunk road, about one mile and three quarters from the court-house, with a large convenient brick Dwelling House thereon, and a hay-house and stabling, an apple orchard and some other fruit trees. This place lying so convenient to Philadelphia market, and the soil good for gardening, renders it valuable. The terms of payment will be made easy to the purchaser. Any person inclining to treat for the above described place, may apply to the subscriber in Third-street, a few doors above Market-street.

3t1aw JOB BACON, Acting Executor.



For *Hobs-Hole, Port Royal, & Fredericksburg,*
(Virginia)

The Sloop SPEEDWELL, Stotesbury, Master: Will sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Walnut-street wharf, or

Sept. 13 4t J. & WALTER PAYNE.

To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a house in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Chesnut streets, or for a good vessel,

Two new well-finished Brick Houses;

Situate on Eleventh and Locust streets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingston.

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Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the last importation from the East-Indies,

To be Sold by Charles Wharton,

At his Store near the Drawbridge,
Who has also for sale, a large assortment of

Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Lisbon Wine in quarter casks, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c. 2aw5w

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, fans, fine and second cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratafia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Lacaze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same. August 30. 2awtf

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and souchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spanish brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spanish brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wool
A few barrels of saltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
English and Swedish steel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware assorted in packages
Tin ware in hogsheads
Grindstones
A parcel of gold and silver watches
Russia matts and oacum
Ditto sailcloth
Haircloth for malsters
A quantity of feathers
And a very large Assortment of DRY GOODS.
August 29 2aw6w

James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-street,
HAVE FOR SALE

A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;

ALSO,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the first quality, in cases
Port wine
West India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron shovels, ditto
Pork Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few casks of rice
Salmon
Lynn shoes
Boston iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Brass kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD BY

John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,

The Cargo of the Brig St. John

Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal:
Consisting of

Port and Faval Wines,

Four years old, in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks:

ALSO,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins, Silk serges, Slain and striped lutestrings, Seelongs, Saduasoys and spotted silks } of various colours
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New-England Rum. 2aw

James Newport,

At his Distillery Store, in Front-street (west side) six Doors above Arch-street,
Has by Wholesale and Retail, of very best Quality, at the lowest Rates,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Teneriffe } Wines
Jamaica Spirits
West India Rum
Philadelphia & New England Rum
Plain Brandy
Rasberry ditto
Cherry ditto
Gin in casks and cases
Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Cinnamon Water
Annifeed ditto
Clove ditto
Orange ditto
Pepper-mint ditto
All-Fours
Spirits of Wine

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.
N. B. Good Allowance is made to those who buy to sell again. Aug. 18. 2awtf

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by
BERTIER & Co.
Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses,

New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion; printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.
Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes
Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather. d Sept 5

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *House, Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water street between Arch and Race streets. Enquire of John Thompson, merchant, in Front street. 3taw3w

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail-cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

Adam Hubley,

In Third-street, a few doors below Market-street,

Has for Sale,

LONDON particular Madeira Wine, 5 years old,
Old Hock in bottles
Port wine in bottles and casks
Lisbon and other wines
Spirit 3 years old
Imperial, hyson, souchong, and bohea teas
Raisins in jarrs, and Holland Gineva in cases
Syrups of capilaire, &c. nutmegs, allspice
Sweet Oil, Barbadoes Cayenne, &c.

ALSO,

A few hogsheads high proof Jamaica spirits, and
Strong white wine vinegar. 2aw4w

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,
At their store on Mease's wharf, the second below the Drawbridge,

Pennsylvania refined Barr Iron,
Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughshare moulds with and without bars
English, German, and American steel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } *STOVES*
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other castings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, sugar, coffee, &c, August 29. eo1m

A LARGE and GENERAL

Assortment of Merchandize,

Wholesale and Retail,

TO BE SOLD BY

William Beaven,

In Second street, between Market and Chesnut streets, Philadelphia, *viz.*

SUPERFINE and second cloths
Cassimers
Scarlet, red and yellow flannels
Calimancoes, durants and moreens
Rattinets and shalloons
Drab coloured double sattinet for mens breeches
Chintzes and calicoes
Silk umbrellas
Mens ribbed and plain silk and thread hose
Mens and womens cotton ditto
Ditto ditto silk and leather gloves
Black, white and blue sattin
Brocades, mantuas and persians
Corduroys and honeycombs
Furniture and cotton checks
Irish linens and brown hollands
Striped and masqueraded bengals
9-8 and 3-4 cotton and linen stripes
Turky ditto
Fine black crape for gowns
Damask and diaper tablecloths
Clouting diaper
Wilton and Scotch carpets and carpeting
Silk, linen, cotton and check handkerchiefs
Striped and plain muslins
Muslin handkerchiefs
Sewing silks
7-8 and 3-4 striped ticking
Black lace shades
Gauze aprons & handkerchiefs
Cotton & linen striped linsey
White and brown buckram
White tapes
Elegant and common fans
Ditto silk purses
Marseilles quilting
Muslinets and dimothies
Broad and narrow worsted bindings
Quantity of silk and linen dressed dolls
Steel collars for young ladies
Low priced knives and forks

Japanned Ware.

Elegant oval and square waiters
Tea urns, coffee and tea pots
Sugar and tea cannisters
Bread baskets and muggs
Hyson TEA of the first quality by the chest, doz. or pound; besides a number of other Articles not mentioned. *September* 11 w&f.th&ftf

RAN-AWAY this morning at 11 o'clock, from the subscriber, an *Indented Negro LAD*, named *JACK*, who is about 19 years of age, and was born in Virginia. It is expected he will attempt the sea, as he was *retaken* last year and brought from the capes of Delaware: he is short and thick of stature; has a remarkably large mouth, is active, plausible, and exceedingly deceitful: he had on a white linen shirt, a light coloured broadcloth coattee, a spotted yellow plush vest, brown linen trowsers, good shoes with large metal buckles, and a castor hat; and took with him another hat, one striped gingham vest, one fustian and one pair of nankeen breeches, two other linen shirts, and a pair of boots, which were his usual apparel; also, a violin, his own property; besides, he stole and carried off, one large linen cloaths bag, one small looking glass, a double milled cloth great coat, one black and one pair corduroy breeches, 3 or 4 fine linen shirts, one red camblet coat, one new bandano handkerchief, and an old blanket. He is suspected of having a plenty of money, of another persons, from the same bad cause, as several purchases he made have been discovered since his elopement. Whoever will apprehend this unprincipled Fellow, and restore him to me, shall have *FOUR DOLLARS REWARD* and reasonable charges.

JOSEPH WHARTON.
Philadelphia, September 8.

Just arrived, and now landing from on board the sloop Apollo, Wm. Place, master, from St. Vincent's and Grenada, now lying at Walnut-street wharf,

A parcel of excellent Rum,

And a few hogsheads and barrels of

Muscovado Sugar,

Which will be disposed of on reasonable terms, by

Conyngham, Nesbitt & Co.

August 25

JAMES WITHY,

HATMAKER,

RETURNS his sincere thanks to his Friends and Customers, and informs them, he has removed to Third-street, between Market and Arch-streets, the fourth door from Church Alley, opposite Mr. John Dorsey's; where he continues to carry on the Hat Manufactory, as usual, of beaver, castor, half castor and felt hats; and makes as great allowance as possible to those who purchase to sell again.

N. B. A very good Malt House, Wharf, Stores, and Lot of Ground, situate in Marcus Hook, to be disposed of for cash, or bartered for goods, country produce or manufactures. 2aw7t

John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Rose*, in Walnut, between Second and Third streets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has just received a variety of high scented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will dispose of on very reasonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the present opportunity of returning thanks to those Ladies and Gentlemen who have been so good as to favour him with their custom, and flatters himself his conduct will be such as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the first quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be sold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry's*, Chesnut street, No. 19, between Second and Front streets.
August 13 2awtf

TO BE LET,

A convenient three-story Brick

HOUSE,

In UNION-STREET.
Also, a small TENEMENT in Pine street.
The present tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.
August 1. 2awtf

Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred Dollars REWARD.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned;

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.
The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

No.	Name	£.	s.	d.
No. 10717	Reede and Forde, for	£. 176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£. 5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Christian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.
Philadelphia, August 22. eptf

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiser.*

[Price Four-Pence.] SATURDAY, September 15, 1787. [No. 2687.]

Sales at Auction.

Sale by Auction.

THIS DAY, at 1 o'clock at the Coffee-House, Will be sold,

The Sloop Betsey,

With her appurtenances, as she now lays at Dawes's wharf. She is a well built vessel, will carry 420 barrels, and is only 4 years old; was sheathed the last winter, and may be sent to sea at a very small expence. Inventory may seen in the hands of the Auctioneer.

September 15 4sp

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

THIS DAY, at Noon,

A Coach; a Bay Horse

near 16 hands high, either fit for brewers, draft, carriage, or chair, 7 years old. A sound HORSE, nothing known to the contrary. 4sp. Sept. 15.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

This Day, the 15th of Sept. between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock, at the Old Coffee-House,

A Convenient two story Brick HOUSE, situated on the north side of Prune-street, between Fourth and Fifth streets from Delaware, in breadth on the said Prune-street, 18 feet, and in length or depth 70 feet, bounded southward by Spruce-street, eastward and northward by ground of William Shippen, and westward by the back end of said Shippen's ground, and of Fifth street. Subject to a yearly rent of 36 Spanish milled dollars. Any person inclined to purchase at private sale, may know the terms by applying to the auctioneer, or Bartholomew Baker, on the premises. The purchase money to be paid in three payments; 1 3d to be paid at the time of purchase; the 2d payment in 3 months, and the 3d payment in the next 3 months following. cotf

On Monday the 17th instant,

At 9 o'clock in the Forenoon,

Will be sold, at the late Dwelling house of John Dugan, deceased, in Front-street, 2 doors below Spruce-street, All his Houshold and Kitchen

FURNITURE,

Viz Desks and Drawers
Dressing Tables
Mahogany and Walnut Tables
Mahogany, walnut and windsor Chairs
Beds, Bedsteads, and Bedding
Some Plate Kitchen Furniture

N. B. One-fourth paper money of the late emission will be taken in payment. 4sp

On Monday Next,

The 17th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction Store,

Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays.*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture, and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning,* and no other time. *Sept* 15.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock.

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise On commission, disposed of at private sale. *Sept* 15

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,

On Tuesday, the 25th of Sept.

At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, surveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres with allowance, lying and being in Brunswick township, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract and some small streams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A considerable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are several mill seats.

No 2. 421 5 8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, surveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Christian Dethong, being in the same township, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract also; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well settled country, this and the foregoing tract must be very valuable.

No. 3. 353 acres of patented Land surveyed in pursuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, situate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the east side of a path leading from Little Juniata to Susquehanna, having an excellent mill seat and some small improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock township, Berks county, 58 miles distant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the last mentioned place to Lancaster, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the best fruit trees, and a cider press, a good log house, large barn, spring house, and other out houses thereon. Under and subject to the payment of the first purchase money, &c.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Assignee of the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or suits will be commenced for the recovery of the same. R. R.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787. w&stf

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays.*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept 13 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by

Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

LAST NOTICE.

In the Case of Lewis Gabel,

BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Lewis Gabel, of Uckland township, Chester county, store-keeper and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Monday* the 13th day of August, instant; on *Monday* the 3d day of September following, and on *Friday* the 21st day of the same month, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State-house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees; and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Office Watkins's Alley, Aug. 10 1787 11.31.15

For Charleston,

The Ship PHILADELPHIA,
William Jones, Master;

To sail the 15th instant. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Clifford's wharf, or

James & Shoemaker;

Who have for sale, rice, tobacco, indigo and soal leather, imported in the said ship; also, Madeira and Fayal Wines, a few casks of snuff in bottles, 20 barrels rosin, and a small invoice of Irish printed Goods.

9th Month, 4, 1787. eptd

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale, A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper.

Aug. 30 ett

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR,*
William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

For *Hobs-Hole, Port Royal, & Fredericksburg,*

(Virginia)

The Sloop SPEEDWELL, Storesbury, Master: Will sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Walnut-street wharf, or

Sept. 13. 4f J. & WALTER PAYNE.

FOR SALE,
The Stout new Ship

GOLIAH:

SHE is a very elegant, well built ship, of about 250 tons, is at present on the stocks at Baltimore, and may be launched in two weeks. The payments will be made very easy to the purchaser, and, if necessary, a long credit will be given on paying interest. Paper money or public securities will also be received. For terms apply to COXE and FRAZIER.

Philadelphia, September 12, 1787 2aw2w

IF *Robert Henderson,* who formerly lived near Pittsburg, and *Mary Henderson,* wife of *Jonathan Hays,* who lived formerly at Toms creek, in Frederick county, are now alive, they are informed that their Mother, *Jane Henderson,* is living at Shelburne, in Nova-Scotia, and would be glad to hear from her children above named, or either of them.

Direct to the care of the Rev. Dr. *Welter,* at Shelburne, Nova-Scotia. Aug 22 3sp

Virginia Coal,

Of the Best Quality, for sale at the stores of

Willing, Morris and Swanwick,

In Penn-street. 3sp

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses, New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success,* from Liverpool, A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4-4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash,* at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather. d Sept 5

TO BE LET,

A Commodious three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market street, between Front and Second streets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. d

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

Imported in the Brig Francisca, Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks, Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail-cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.

Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4, 1787 mwf 1m

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,

In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks, for sale by

w&stf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Lately Imported, and for sale by

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

FIRST and second quality St. Croix sugars in hogsheads, tierces and barrels; sweet oil in baskets of a superior quality; liquers, ratifia, and best double distilled lavender water in cases, Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons,* on the north side the subscribers' alley, with the wharf in front; also, a convenient three story Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the subscriber—*And to be sold,* A House and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchase money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&stf

Just arrived and to be sold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of

Cape of Good Hope WINES.

September 7. 2w3taw

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,

FOR SALE BY

Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,

In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,

Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the best chosen

GROCERIES:

As sago, oatmeal, barley, spices, Malmsey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, soy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, sallad oil, &c.

FOR SALE BY

John Dorsey.

Sept 4 3w3taw

British Vessels.

THE Master of every British Vessel, entering the Port of Philadelphia, is requested to make report of his arrival to his Britannic Majesty's Consul.

Second-street, Sept. 8, 1787. ep4w.

Foreign Intelligence.

L I S B O N, May 29.

THE 4th inſtant the operations for recovering the contents of the St. Pierre D'Alcantara, which the winter had frequently interrupted, were renewed; but notwithſtanding, by different attempts, in the ſpace of twenty-four days, 2542 ſtrong piaſtres in gold and ſilver money, 3 ingots of gold, 10 ounces of gold duſt, 10 pieces of wrought gold, 2 bars of ſilver, and 270 marcs of wrought ſilver, were obtained. The operations which were renewed on the 4th inſtant, produced in the ſpace of four days 5643 ſtrong piaſtres in gold and ſilver money, 21 pieces of manufactured ſilver, weighing 25 marcs. Of the rich cargo of this veſſel, there now remain unrecovered 212,382 ſtrong piaſtres, 6171 marcs of wrought ſilver, and 396 bars of copper, of which it is imagined the major part, if not the whole, will be acquired.

L E Y D E N, July 5.

We learn from the Hague, that the princeſs of Orange has again written from Nimeguen. a letter to the ſtates general, and another to the ſtates of Holland, to complain of their noble and great mightineſſes having approved of the conduct of their commiſſioners, when they prayed her royal highneſs to ſuſpend proviſionally her journey to the Hague. We ſhall, next poſt, mention ſome new circumſtances, that ſhew what regard has been uſed towards her royal highneſs, in a rencounter ſo unforeſeen. Nothing proves better the neceſſity of that ſtep, than the news received from Gueldres, Overyſſel, and Zealand. At Zutphen, Arnhem, and Middlebourg, and in divers other cities, the citizens known for their attachment to republican principles, are given up to be murdered and pillaged, under the auſpices of the magiſtrates themſelves, devoted to the ſtadtholderian party. The military, encouraged by the example of their unworthy chiefs, and the populace, ſupported by the regents, who are the firſt to ſtick the Orange cockade in the hat, commit with impunity the moſt horrible exceſs; and to facilitate them the peaceable burghers are diſarmed. As overcharged as this picture may ſeem, it is but a feeble ſketch of what is doing in our country, as we ſhall ſet forth by degrees, as ſoon as we can find room.

H A G U E, July 5.

The ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland have held an aſſembly to take into conſideration the diſpatches they had received relative to the interruption given to the journey of the princeſs of Orange, in which they have approved of the conduct of the committee appointed for the protection of this province and the city of Utrecht, who arreſted her royal highneſs; though the equeſtrian order of the province have proteſted againſt the meaſure, and declared their readineſs to facilitate the journey of her royal highneſs, as have alſo the deputies from Delft, Brielle, Edam, and Medenblik.

U T R E C H T, July 5.

The powerful protection of the republican party of the united provinces can no longer be doubted. An army of obſervation is poſted on the frontiers ready to aſſiſt if any foreign troops ſhould attempt to join the ſoldiers in the pay of the ſtadtholder, commanded by the count de Rochambeau, the count D'Eſterhaſi, and the duke de Laval. The generoſity of the French monarch has made him attend alſo to a ſupport by ſea, if neceſſary; and a maritime force will be ready for our aſſiſtance, proportionate to the ſhips which England may think proper to ſend to ſea.

B R U S S E L S, July 2.

It is certain, that the courier which arrived here from Vienna the 26th of laſt month has brought a ratification of every thing that has been done by our governors general in favour of the inhabitants: and it is expected, that in the courſe of a week they will receive full powers from the Emperor to treat with the ſtates of Brabant with regard to the repreſentation from thoſe ſtates of the 30th of May laſt.

BRIGHTHELMSTONE, July 22.

By command of the counteſs of Talbot, laſt Saturday evening, Mr. Ryder played the Copper Captain in the comedy of Rule a wife and have a wife, and the Mock Doctor. The counteſs was accompanied by Mrs. Fitzherbert, his royal highneſs the prince of Wales, Lord Brudenell, the honorable Mr. St. John, colonel St. Leger, major Churchhill, captain Paine, and ſome foreigners of diſtinction.

L O N D O N, July 10.

A large quantity of military ſtores, and ſeveral cannon, are now lading on board different tranſports by order of government, to be ſent to the Weſt Indies.

The patriots in Holland are very deficient in one reſpect, which prevents them from having many friends on the continent. They have no ſpecific charges to advance, which can juſtify the violent meaſures which they have adopted. Their caſe is but little underſtood, and will be leſs attended to, while they confine themſelves to perſonal abuſe of the ſtadtholder, whoſe leaſt epithet with them, is 'tyrant.'

It is 43 years ſince the princeſs royal of England was married to a branch of the houſe of Orange. Should a ſimilar event now take place, it is hoped, that in this accompliſhed age, the bridegroom will be able to make a more learned anſwer to an addreſs, than the then prince of Orange gave to the vice chancellor of Oxford, and the univerſity thereof: 'I know myſelf ſaid he, to be unlearned, and therefore undeſerving the honor conferred upon me —and I readily confeſs it; yet I hope, the love I bear to learning, will in ſome meaſure ſupply the place of merit.' He added, that he had left ſchool four years, and had forgot moſt of his Latin.

Accounts from Berlin ſay, that a new foundery for cannon and other implements of war, has juſt been opened near that capital, under his Pruſſian majeſty's immediate direction.

Letters from Revel ſay, that a great number of French ſhips are now there, lading ſhip timber and naval ſtores for the uſe of the navy of that kingdom.

A letter received from the Captain of a veſſel trading from the Muſquito ſhore to Jamaica ſays, that the Muſquito's have ſtrengthened themſelves incredibly, and in a manner that proves paſt a doubt that they have amongſt them many Europeans hearty in their cauſe—a cauſe of liberty, and a cauſe in which it is probable they will meet ſucceſs, having it in their power to reward thoſe who aſſiſt them.

Extract of a letter from l'Orient, June 22.

'The loſſes at the Mauritius in Africa will be felt exceedingly heavy by the merchants of this place who were more or leſs concerned in all the ſhips loſt there. The Lady Sophia, La Camilla, and La Bourgeuſe, are juſt failed for Pondicherry. Two Dutch officers of diſtinction have taken their paſſage on board the latter for the Cape of Good Hope, at which place La Bourgeoiſe is ordered to touch for the purpoſe of landing them. There are ſeveral Engliſh and Iriſh veſſels from different ports, now in this harbour.'

For ſeveral miles round London, there has been an almoſt general blight upon the keeping of apples, but of codlings and other apples for ſummer uſe, there is expected to be a moderate produce.

July 11. A letter brought by the laſt Dutch mail ſays, "That on the 7th inſtant the Prince of Orange attacked and took the city of Wyck." No particulars are mentioned in the letter. The fact, however, is poſitively aſſerted. Wyck ſtands upon the Lych, about twelve miles above Utrecht, and commands all that river.

July 16. The letters from Utrecht paint the devaſtations committed by the Orange party at Middlebourg in the darkeſt and deepeſt colours. Fire and ſword, they ſay, carry every thing before them. They accuſe the ſtadtholder of having encouraged the ſoldiers to pillage and plunder, and go ſo far as to aſſert, that it is by his ſanction and authority that a great number of citizens of all claſſes have been maſſacred, robbed, plundered, burnt and drowned. For theſe accounts there is no other authority than the *ipſe dixit* of the Utrecht Gazette.

The town of Fluſhing has not yet ſuffered in this violent manner; but the magiſtrates have been obliged to ſubmit to the ſtadtholder's yoke. On the 2d inſtant, every thing was calm and quiet; but in leſs than half an hour the face of affairs became quite changed. The chimes of the great church gave the ſignal, by playing an air very well known, 'Wilhelmus Van Naſſau;' but which was compoſed upon a William of a very different ſtamp from William the Vth. The Orange flag was diſplayed, and the regency obliged by force to ſubſcribe to the four following promiſes:

1ſt. To vote in the aſſembly of the ſtates of the provinces agreeable to the ariſtocratic principles of Middlebourg and Goez.

2d. To annihilate the patriotic national fund.

3d. To deſtroy the batteries which had been erected to protect them from the mob; and

4th. To recall the promiſe of reward placed upon his head who had occaſioned the firſt of the diſturbances, by ſubſtituting the Orange flag for that of the ſtates.

There are ſome rotten members of the council of war, who have cauſed their troops to exact all this of the magiſtrates, threatening that plunder would be the conſequence of their refuſal. All the inhabitants of Fluſhing are in the greateſt terror, dreading every minute the fate of the citizens of Middlebourg, and are compelled to ſmother their indignation againſt the proceedings of the ſtadtholder's party.

July 19.

The loſs of Wyck is a very ſevere ſtroke to the people of Utrecht: the prince and the aſſembly at Amerſfort have ſet all hands they can command to augment the fortifications, meaning to make it their point of retreat, from which they can very much annoy the city of Utrecht.

The town of Wyck, which the prince of Orange has taken, is not conſiderable in itſelf, but it is a kind of key to Utrecht, where the prince certainly has a deſign of commencing hoſtilities. The patriots (we uſe their own phraſe) are ſenſible of this, and the town of Utrecht is at preſent ſtrongly defended, and the inhabitants under military law.

It is to be remarked, that, of the ſeven provinces Holland and Overyſſel; are the only two which have ſuſpended the ſtadtholder from his dignity, which he ſtill retains over the other five, although little more than nominally.

The precipitate reſolution of the province of Overyſſel, by which they ſuſpend the ſtadtholder from his functions and dignities in their province, is a counterpart of the meaſure already adopted by the ſtates of Holland.

On the 7th inſtant the ſtates of Holland iſſued out a placart, on the propoſition of Rotterdam, declaring that all perſons who excite the populace in any manner whatever to carry about orange flags, or diſtribute ſeditious papers, &c. ſhall ſuffer death. This placart was publiſhed and ſtuck up in the cuſtomary places in Holland.

The ſtates of Holland laſt week filled up every vacancy in their troops that had been occaſioned either by deſertion of the officers, or their being broke.

By an Engliſh gentleman who arrived in town on Saturday laſt from Brabrant, we are informed, that the people, to a man, are reſolved to oppoſe the emperor's late and preſent meaſures with regard to the government of the provinces of Brabant. They inſiſt upon the reſtitution of the religious houſes, both eſtates and money taken away: they have been loaded with the pay of 40,000 troops, whereas there were never more than 18,000 employed, and at preſent not more than 14,000. They likewiſe inſiſt upon the return of the money overpaid for the ſupernumerary troops, and at preſent have all the revenues of the country in their poſſeſſion.

Robert Burns, the poetic ploughman has been liberally ſubſcribed for by ſome of his ſpirited countrymen, who mean to place him in a farm: and who judiciouſly have decided that Parnaſſus abounds neither in corn nor olives.

It is very proper to inform the public, that the ſuppreſſion of the duty called anchorage in France, only reſpects the ſhips of that nation. Foreign ſhips are ordered to pay 6 ſols per ton, in the room of 3, heretofore paid. This alteration will materially effect the commerce of other nations, whilſt it encourages their own.

The ingenious aſtronomer Mr. Herſchell, who has juſt made the diſcovery of ſome burning mountains in the globe of the moon, has, we underſtand, now given orders for the conſtruction of a ſpeaking trumpet, with which he means to hold ſome converſation with the inhabitants; provided their organs and ſenſes are ſimilar to thoſe of the inhabitants of the earth, and particularly to enquire whether the lunar ſphere is in the magazine and repoſitory of men's loſt wits, according to the conception of Orlando Furioſo. This project keeps the Royal Society here on tiptoe—but when people have a great deal of loſt property to recover, it is natural to be anxious.

Farmers in general agree, that there has not been a ſeaſon within the memory of man more favorable than the preſent for abundant crops of fine turnips in all parts of the kingdom: whence it is conjectured, that the preſent exorbitant prices of animal food will be lowered, turnips being very much uſed in feeding cattle.

July 20. Among other deſires for literary gratifications entertained by the publick, we, in their name, repeat a wiſh once before expreſſed, of Hayley's publication of his verſion of Dante. Three cantos have already been printed, in the valuable notes to his Epiſtle on Epick Poetry, as a ſpecimen of the ſtyle of his tranſlation; and he more than half promiſed, that if they met with a favourable reception with the public, he would attempt to finiſh the tranſlation. They have been moſt favourably received; and it is hoped that he will put his promiſe in execution.

Of Cumberland, however juſtly he may be cenſured for his Country Attorney, we ought not to forget the Weſt Indian, and ſeveral other dramatic productions of great merit. And even the preſent ſubject of newſpaper ſtrictures, whatever it may want in originality of character, or novel and happy conſtruction of incident, deſerves much praiſe, for the conſtant elegance of its language, and the general amiable tenour of its ſentiments.

Tueſday, about two o'clock, as a perſon who is employed by the New River Company in laying down their pipes, was working near the Hare at Hoxton, he was ſtruck by a flaſh of lightning, which blinded him, and burnt his arm in ſo terrible a manner, that it is feared he never will recover the uſe of it.

The following circumſtance is mentioned in a letter brought with the foreign prints of the preſent month: A tradeſman at Montreuil, in Lower Picardy, leaving his houſe a few days, aſked a ſervant on his return if any body had been there from ſuch a particular gentleman, mentioning his name, and being told that the latter had ſent a young man to receive caſh for a bill of exchange, Well, ſaid he, and what did you ſay to him? I told him to call again to-day.——In about two hours the young man called again, as he had been deſired; the tradeſman received him very politely:——Give me your bill, Sir, and you ſhall have the caſh. The bill was given; but the tradeſman tore it to pieces, and with a poignard ſtabbed himſelf to the heart.

A higler coming to town over Blackheath on Thurſday laſt, during the thunder and lightning, had the following extraordinary accident happen to him: he had eleven cocks and nine pullets in one baſket, and ſeven geeſe on the oppoſite ſide. As ſoon as the rain came on, he fled to a tree for ſhelter. The lightning ſtruck his hamper with conſiderable force: and on looking in when the thunder ceaſed, to ſee what damage was done, he found the eleven cocks quite dead, and the pullets not in the leaſt injured. There was no viſible mark of the injury on the outſide of the fowls; but when opened, the heart was found quite black, and ſmelt ſtrong of ſulphur. Let the curious in electricity account for this.

July 24. On Saturday morning died at Heythorp, in Oxfordſhire, in the 68th year of his age, the right honorable George Talbot, Earl of Shrewſbury, Baron Talbot, Strange of Blackmere, Furnival, Verdon, Lovetot, Gifford of Brimsfield, Comyn of Badenagh, Valence and Montchenſy, and Earl of Wexford and Waterford, and Baron of Dungarvan in Ireland. His lordſhip married Elizabeth the daughter of the late, and ſiſter to the preſent Lord Dormer, and dying without iſſue, the titles and eſtate devolve to Charles Talbot of Hoare Croſs, in Staffordſhire, Eſq; his lordſhip's nephew. The great and eminent qualities of his lordſhip's mind were an ornament to his exalted ſtation. His whole life was ſpent in the conſtant practice of every virtue that could render it acceptable to God, or uſeful to mankind. His charities were ſuch, that all the neighbouring poor were ſupported by his bounty, and they, and all who were bleſt by his acquaintance, or benefited by his influence, deeply deplore their loſs.

Extract of a letter from Bury, in Lancaſhire, dated July 5.

"I am ſorry to acquaint you with a moſt dreadful accident which has happened in this town.—The theatre here being crowded, & the people in the gallery very riotous, on a ſudden the whole gave way, & the walls, roof, and every part, fell in, by which myſelf, wife, two brothers and a ſiſter, with upwards of three hundred perſons, were buried in the ruins.—I believe I was the firſt who got out. The ſpectacle was now very ſhocking. In one part the cries of the wounded pierced the ear. In another, the heads, limbs, & bodies of people were ſeen ſtruggling in the ruins. Happily out of ſo great a number, only five perſons were killed on the ſpot, among whom I have to regret the loſs of one of my brothers and my ſiſter. Many more, however, are dangerouſly wounded; and eight or ten paſt all hopes of recovery. Broken limbs, fractured ſkulls, &c. and mangled and bruiſed bodies are in abundance. In ſhort, our little town is all in ſorrow on the occaſion. The landlord of the firſt inn in it, is among the number of the killed. His wife was delivered of a child at the very moment of the accident. She is ſo ſhocked at the news that her life is deſpaired of. Yet God be praiſed for his mercies, that ſo many have eſcaped, and among them ſeveral unhurt. My wife, myſelf, and little boy I reckon with the latter. When it is conſidered that the heavy timbers in the roof, the ſlate, the walls, and all fell in, it is next to a miracle that any one eſcaped."

KING's BENCH.

A motion was made by Mr. Erſkine for leave to poſtpone the trial of the counteſs of Strathmore, for perjury, on an affidavit made by Mr. Bowes, that a material witneſs was abſent. This motion was ſtrongly oppoſed by Mr. Mingay, who contended, that as the indictment had ſtood in the paper during the whole term, and of courſe the proſecutor had full time to collect his evidence together, it would be now very prepoſterous, and equally unjuſt to put off the trial, when his client had brought all her witneſſes up to town, from Northumberland, and other parts of the kingdom. Mr. Juſtice Buller agreeing in his opinion, refuſed his aſſent to Mr. Erſkine's motion, ſo that the cauſe ſtands as it did for this day.

Yeſterday Sedgeley, an attorney of the New Inn, who, ſome time back, was convicted of perjury, ſtood an hour on the pillory in Ruſſel-ſtreet, Covent Garden; after which he was conducted to Newgate, where he is to be impriſoned two years.

AMERICA.

B O S T O N, September 6.

On Tueſday laſt arrived here, His Moſt Chriſtian Majeſty's Frigate the Cleopatre, commanded by M de la Bouchetiere, from the harbour of Cape-Ann.

P R O V I D E N C E, Auguſt 25.

A merry fellow, on reading the following paragraph in the laſt Chronicle—"The meeting of the General "Aſſembly of this ſtate, which was to have been at "Briſtol, on Monday laſt, *FELL THROUGH*, as "none of the members of the upper houſe arrived there "on that day"—facetiouſly remarked, he was glad to learn that the Aſſembly "FELL THROUGH." he hoped however that they had not received any injury in their *Paſſage Through*, but that they would all be ſafe *ON THE OTHER SIDE*, or at leaſt a majority of them, at the next ſeſſion.

B A L T I M O R E, September 6.

A correſpondent obſerves that as the moment is faſt approaching when we will be favored with the proceedings of that truly auguſt body, the Fœderal Convention, and that on a ſubject of the greateſt moment, he hopes every one will be prepared to receive thoſe important productions with a ſuitable degree of reverence impartiality and candour—and that neither party nor diſappointment of office, on this occaſion, may influence any amongſt us, but particularly thoſe gentlemen whom God has bleſſed with a greater ſhare of genius. This body is compoſed of part of the greateſt men in our nation, many of whom, if not all, certainly have no other motive in view but the honor and happineſs of the country.

How anxiouſly have we waited to know the event of a battle during the late war, though not of half the conſequence with the preſent deciſion of our national council.—But it is the feweſt number that either ſee or foreſee the real criterion of impending danger. There is even yet a few obdurate Americans, who, to their ſhame, look back to their old deſpotic Britiſh government, with the ſame wiſhful eye that Lot's wife looked back to Sodom, and with the ſame heart that the Iſraelites had when they murmured at Moſes, their deliverer, and wiſhed again to experience Egyptian bondage. God grant that thoſe may not be puniſhed as the Iſraelites were, who for their abduracy, afterwards endured a ſeventy years captivity in Babylon.

P E T E R S B U R G, September 6.

By a gentleman from Green-Brier county, we learn, that a number of the inhabitants of that county, headed by one Matthews, have lately attempted to ſtop the court from proceeding to buſineſs—and had nearly effected their purpoſe—but in conſequence of the interference of civil authority, Matthews thought proper to retire, and the reſt diſperſed. It is ſaid Matthews has ſince been apprehended, and is now in cloſe confinement.

N E W - Y O R K, Sept. 13.

From European papers, brought by captain Folger, from Dublin, and captain Allen, from London, to the 21ſt of July, the following intereſting particulars are abſtracted, viz.

Carrying the Orange flag, and diſtributing papers in favor of that party, are inſtituted capital crimes by the ſtates of Holland; who have alſo iſſued a declaration, dated the 3d inſtant, whereby they pledge themſelves to guard and maintain for ever the wives, children and heirs of all burgeſſes, who may be killed or wounded in defence of that province. They have likewiſe iſſued orders, that no perſons whatever ſhall ſing ſongs in their ſtreets, or do any act naming the houſe of Orange, on pain of being ſeverely puniſhed. On the 7th of July the town of Wyck was taken by a body of 1000 of the Orange party, without any reſiſtance, and licence given to pillage and murder: there were but 100 burgeſſes in garriſon. It is ſuſpected, that the ſtadtholder intends to invade Holland, as his army has been ſeen in motion; but many obſtacles are raiſed effectually to render the ſucceſs of ſuch intention unfruitful. The ſtates of Holland have finaly agreed to requeſt the mediation of the court of France, and conſequent orders are given to the grand penſionary. The capture of Wyck is likely to be followed by that of Harderwick and Guelderland, ſays a Britiſh paragraphiſt. Zealand hitherto has wavered between the two parties, but that iſland has now joined the ſtates of Holland, which has occaſioned a conſiderable fracas in Middleburgh, the capital of that iſland, by the Orange party, who declared that fire and ſword ſhould carry every thing before them: here they murdered and pillaged many. The patriots accuſe the prince of having encouraged this practice.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 15.

The former diſtinction of the citizens of America (ſays a correſpondent) into whigs and tories, ſhould be loſt in the more important diſtinction of *fœderal* and *antifœderal* men. The former are the friends of liberty and independence—the latter are the enemies of liberty, and the ſecret abettors of the intereſts of Great Britain.

Should the fœderal government be *rejected* (AWFUL WORDS) another correſpondent has favored us with the following paragraphs, to be publiſhed in our paper in the month of June, 1789——

On the 30th ult. his Excellency David Shays, eſquire, took poſſeſſion of the government of Maſſachuſetts. The execution of —— ———, eſquire, the late tyrannical governor, was to take place the next day.

Accounts from New-Jerſey grow every day more alarming. The people have grown deſperate from the oppreſſions of their new maſters, and have ſecretly, it is ſaid, diſpatched a meſſenger to the court of Great Britain, praying to be taken again under the protection of the Britiſh crown.

We hear from Richmond, that the new ſtate-houſe lately erected there was burnt by a mob from Berkeley county, on account of the aſſembly refuſing to emit paper money. From the number and daring ſpirit of the mob, government have judged it moſt prudent not to meddle with them.

Yeſterday 300 ſhip-carpenters embarked from this city for Nova Scotia, to be employed in his Britannic majeſty's ſhip-yards at Halifax.

We hear from Cumberland, Franklin and Bedford counties, in this ſtate, that immenſe quantities of wheat are rotting in ſtacks and barns, owing to the demand for that article having ceaſed, in conſequence of our ſhips being ſhut out of all the ports of Europe and the Weſt Indies.

We hear that 300 families left Cheſter county laſt week, to ſettle at Kentucke. Their farms were expoſed to ſale before they ſat off, but many of them could not be raiſed to the value of the taxes that were due on them.

On Saturday laſt were interred, from the Bettering-houſe, the remains of Mrs. Mary ———. This venerable lady was once in eaſy circumſtances, but having ſold property to the amount of 5000l. and lodged it in the funds, which, from the convulſions and diſtractions of our country, have unfortunately become inſolvent, ſhe was obliged to retire to the City Poor-houſe. Her certificates were ſold on the Monday following her interment, but did not bring as much caſh as paid for her winding ſheet.

By a veſſel juſt arrived from l'Orient we learn, that partition treaty between Great-Britain and the emperor of Morocco was ſigned on the 25th of April laſt, at London. The Emperor is to have poſſeſſion of all the ſtates to the ſouthward of Pennſylvania, and Great-Britain is to poſſeſs all the ſtates to the eaſtward and northward of Pennſylvania, incluſive of this middle ſtate. Private letters from London add, that Silas Dean, Eſq; is to be appointed governor of Connecticut, and Joſeph Galloway, Eſq; is to be appointed governor of Pennſylvania. The government of Rhode Iſland was offered to brigadier general Arnold, who refuſed to accept of it, urging, as the reaſon of his refuſal, that he was afraid of being corrupted by living in ſuch a neſt of ſpeculators and traitors.——

But, adds our correſpondent, ſhould the fœderal government be *adopted*, the following paragraphs will probably have a place in our paper in the ſame month, viz. in June, 1789:——

Yeſterday arrived in this city his excellency the earl of Surry, from the court of Great Britain, as envoy extraordinary to the United States. He was received by the principal ſecretary of ſtate, and introduced to the preſident general, at the fœderal State-houſe, who received him with great marks of politeneſs. His lordſhip's errand to America is, to negociate a commercial treaty with the United States. The foundation of this treaty is, that all Britiſh ports are to be opened to American veſſels, duty free, and a propoſal to build 200 ſhips every year in the ports of Boſton, New York, Philadelphia and Charleſton.

Laſt evening arrived at Billingſport the ſhip Van Berkel, Nicholas Van Vleck, maſter, from Amſter-

dam, with 100 reputable families on board, who have fled from the commotions which now distract their unhappy country. It is said they have bro't cash with them to the amount of 45,000l. sterling, to be laid out in purchasing cultivated farms in this and the neighbouring states.

We learn from Cumberland county, in this state, that land in the neighbourhood of Carlisle, which sold in the year 1787 for only 5l. has lately been sold for 10l. per acre, at public vendue. This sudden rise in the value of estates is ascribed to the new mode of taxation adopted by the fœderal government, as well as to the stability of this government.

Such are the improvements in the roads in this states since the establishment of the fœderal government, that several loaded waggons arrived in this city in two days from the town of Lancaster.

By a gentleman just arrived from Tioga we learn, that the insurgents, in that place were surprised and taken by a party of the new fœderal militia, and that their leaders are on their way to Wyoming to be tried for their lives.

It appears from the custom-house books of this city, that the exports from this state were nearly double last year, of the exports of the year 1786.

In the course of the present year, it appears that there have arrived in this state 18,923 souls, from different parts of Europe.

Several foreigners, who attended the debates in the fœderal assembly and senate last Wednesday, declare, that they never saw half so much decorum, nor heard more noble specimens of eloquence in the British house of lords and commons, than they saw and heard in our illustrious republican assemblies.

We hear from Fort Pitt, that since the navigation of the Mississippi has been confirmed to the United States by the court of Spain, the price of wheat has risen from 4/. to 7/6 per bushel in all the counties to the westward of the Alleghaney Mountain.

In consequence of the new and successful modes of taxation adopted by the United States, public securities of all kinds have risen to par with specie, to the great joy of widows, orphans, and all others who trusted their property in the funds of their country.

We hear that the honorable Thomas ——, Esq; is appointed to deliver the anniversary Oration, in in September next, in honor of the birth day of our present free and glorious fœderal constitution—a day that cannot fail of being equally dear to all Americans with the 4th of July, 1776—for while this day gave us *liberty*, the 15th of September, 1787, gave us, under the smiles of a benignant Providence, a *government*, which alone could have rendered that liberty *safe* and *perpetual*.

Extract of a letter from Edinburgh, July 14.

'This morning arrived in the Leith Roads, the ship Raith, of Leith, Alexander Young, master, from the Greenland seas, with 5 whales and 1400 seals, producing 135 butts of blubber and 18 butts of cring. Captain Young left the ice the 2d of July, and brings the following accounts of the fishing, viz.

'Saw the Royal Bounty, of Leith, capt. Paton, the 8th inst. in lat. 70. with 8 fish, producing about 120 butts of blubber—Saw the Six Brothers, of Leith, capt. Ferguson, the 25th of June, with 1 fish, producing about 35 butts of blubber—Saw the Grampus, of Leith, capt. Balfour, the 12th of June, with 5 fish, producing about 42 butts of blubber; and on the 25th of June heard she had no more—Heard that the Princess of Wales and the Blessed Endeavour, of Dunbar, had each 7 fish, producing 130 butts of blubber—Saw the Satisfaction, of Greenock, the 25th of June, with 6 fish, yielding about 78 butts of blubber—Heard that the Perseverance, of the same place had 1 fish of 11 foot bone—Saw the Hercules, of Aberdeen, the 25th of June, with 3 fish and 500 seals, producing about 88 butts of blubber; also the Latona, of the same place, with 6 fish, and 120 butts of blubber—Saw the Dundee, of Dundee, the 30th of June, with 5 fish and 1400 seals, producing 140 butts of blubber—Heard that the Christiana, of Aberdeen, had 3 fish and 1300 seals—Heard that the Peace and Plenty of Grangemouth, had four fish and about 70 butts of blubber.

'Capt. Young did not see nor hear any thing of the Friendship, of Leith, Reid, master.

'The Britannia, of Bo'ness, and Neptune, of Kincardine, passed Leith Roads last night from the Greenland seas; the Britannia clean, having received considerable damage in the ice, was obliged to return in distress; the Neptune had 1 small fish, but having lost three boats, and most of her fishing tackle, was also obliged to return.

'Yesterday afternoon Mr. Spalding made an experiment from the Champion frigate, in Leith Roads, with a diving bell upon a new construction, with an air pump, at each stroke of which his object was to force down as much air as would preserve existence for the space of a minute. Mr. Spalding himself first went down, and continued under water for the space of 15 minutes. He could have remained much longer; but the leathern tube, by which the air was communicated from above to the bell below, not being sufficiently tight, the pump was prevented from working as it otherwise would have done. A second experiment was made by Mr. Spalding's friend, Mr. Small, who was under water for about ten minutes; but for the reason above mentioned, found it improper to continue longer. There is little doubt, when the apparatus is compleated, of rendering this invention exceedingly beneficial.

Extract of a letter from a Gentleman of Connecticut, now in the West Indies, to his friend in that state, dated June 1787.

'*Dear Sir.*

'The task you put upon me, I am afraid I am not able to perform to your satisfaction, viz. to give you a speculative knowledge of the best exports to these islands, or at least to inform you what produce of the growth of your state answers best at these markets; however, I will venture to give you an imperfect sketch, and when my acquaintance is more extensive (for I intend to visit both the Windward and Leeward Islands) will inform you more fully.

'Lumber almost of every kind commands a good price, such as boards, shingles, staves, heading, hoops, &c. Flour does at present well, but you know the price of that article has its ups and downs and varies much at different islands. Horses, until some other state but your's undertakes the shipping them, will bear a good price at these markets.—— Fall oxen, sheep and poultry, also pay a good freight —In regard to the article mules, concerning which you desire me to be very particular in my information, would observe that the Planters, &c. in these islands, out of policy, I find are for encouraging the raising and exportation of mules from the United States, as they think thereby to have the price lowered one half from what they now fetch. I believe a cargo of mules, of good size and age, would now sell at thirteen joes per mule. The people here have expected from the pompous accounts they have had of a number of extraordinary jacks for size being sent to general Washington, &c. that the mules shipped from the United States, would exceed for size those shipped from any other part of the world, till of late they have been informed that several vessels from Rhode Island, have been at the Cape de Verd Islands, and taken a large number of wild jack apes, with an intent to distribute them through the states, for the purpose of propagating mules, which now lead them to think they are to have a very contemptible breed of mules from the states; and that their markets in a very few years will be glutted.— For the Cape de Verd Islands you must know are very barren, inhabited principally by negroes, and the apes run wild on the mountains, as the moose and Buffaloes do in the wilderness of America, and the negroes will go out and hem them in between the ledges of the rocks and mountains, catch them and slit their noses, each one with his mark, and tie them together with bark, and drive them on to their employer, where they sell them in the same manner, viz. by the score, and for about the same price that the people of Connecticut do their sheep and lambs after sheering. However, it is rather hoped here that your people in the country are too knowing than to be imposed upon with such miserable race of animals for sires, for what they intend for a foreign market, for so surely as they do, they ruin the price of those mungrel animals which are recommended by nothing but their bigness, hardiness and longevity.'

Extract of a letter from London, July 6.

"We long to hear what your Grand Convention is doing. The friends of America have been much distressed to hear of the evils which you have brought on yourselves by the weakness of your governments. The habits of your people I fancy will never be at ease 'till you adopt a government something like the governments you once lived and flourished under. I do not mean a king, lords, or commons, but a power composed of three independent branches chosen by the people or by their representatives. There can be no government without a head, and where a head consists of more than one person it is a monster. You must expect no favors from our ministry. The late duty upon coals shews that they would impel you to eat raw flesh, or freeze you to death, if they could. Happily for you, you can do better without us, than we can without you. Union alone will save you; and disappoint your enemies. If your convention gives you a strong government, and you have wisdom enough to adopt it, you will half depopulate this country by emigration, for thousands are waiting only to see whether a Shays will seize your supreme power by force, or whether you will be an enlightened and free people, chuse a Washington, a Hancock, or a Franklin, to be the legal head of your country."

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Wyoming to his friend in this city, dated September 6.

"Our court this day adjourns; it has been conducted with the best order, and affairs wear a much better aspect here than they did a short time ago. We have learnt nothing from the convention at Tioga, except that the meeting was not so great as was expected. I have just heard, but how true I cannot tell, that they have dispatched two surveyors to lay out two towns upon the waters of Tioga, in this state. The appointment of a lieutenant, I flatter myself, will have a good effect."

Yesterday arrived the ship Harmony, Capt. Willet, from London, which she left July 29th, and Land's end August 8th. We have London papers to July 28, extracts from which will be given in our next.

☞ The Pennsylvania owners of Land in the neighbourhood of Wyoming, are earnestly requested to meet at the City Tavern, THIS evening, the 15th instant, at 7 o'clock, to consult upon measures of great importance to their interests, previous to a conference with the committee appointed by the honourable House of Assembly. Sept. 15.

||‡|| The friends to equal liberty in the county of Montgomery, are requested to meet on Monday the 17th inst. at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the house of George Egert, in the township of White-Marsh, upon business relative to the ensuing election. *September 15 1787.*

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

THIS DAY, at *Twelve* o'Clock,

Two MARES,

The property of a Gentleman going to Europe: One 4 years old, 14 hands and a half high; the other a 3 year old Colt: they have been broke for the saddle, and are warranted sound. They are to be seen at *Blake's* Livery Stable, Back-horse alley, Front street.

September 15

Just arrived, and for Sale by

Benjamin Fuller,

A small Parcel of

CARRACCA COCOA,

And a few Bags of excellent

Cotton of the first quality.

September 14 6teop

To the Curious.

Just arrived from the Coast of Africa,

A CAMEL;

Full grown, and near twenty-one hands high. This Animal, of which such frequent mention is made in the Holy Scriptures, and of which there has not been one in this city for near 50 years, is to be seen in Shippen's alley (near the Romish chapel) next door above George Clymer, esquire's. Price for grown Persons 1/6 each, and for Children 9*d* each.

September 14 7sp

The MENAGE,

At the Center-House, will be opened on the 17th instant, by the subscriber, for the instruction of Gentlemen in that manly, useful and heathy exercise, the Art of Horsemanship in all its different branches. The days of exercise will be on *Monday*, *Wednesday* and *Friday*. He proposes to begin each morning at six, and close at 8 o'clock.

Sept 14 2aw3w JACOB BATES

CHARLES FORD,

CABINET-MAKER,

At the southeast corner of Second and Chesnut streets,

BEGS leave to return his thanks to his Friends and the Public, for their encouragement; and being now about to remove from this city to Pittsburgh, purposes to sell his remaining STOCK at the most reduced prices for cash—Which consist of the following:

Plain, claw feet and ornamented chairs of the newest taste
Ditto tea tables of the newest fashions
Circular and square tea tables ditto
Plain and commode bureau tables
Dressing tables
Dining ditto, large and small

N. B. A small quantity of the best seasoned MAHOGANY will be sold cheap. Sept 14 fmw

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Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House*, on *Wednesday* the 10th day of October next, will be sold to the highest Bidder, the following

PROPERTY,

Belonging to the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

No 1, A Tract of valuable patented land, containing 272 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, in Bald Eagle township, Northumberland county; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Thomas Denton*, dated the 1st day of July, 1784.

No 2, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, and adjoining the before mentioned tract; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Lewis Farmer*, dated 1st July, 1784.

No 3, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, as aforesaid, and separated from *No* 2 by a tract of about 300 acres; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to John Hughes, dated the 1st of July, 1784.

No 4, A tract of land, containing 319 3-8 acres and allowance, situate on Sinnamahoning creek, 25 miles from the mouth, and county aforesaid; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to col. *Isaac Melchor*, dated the 17th of May 1785. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered the purchaser of this tract, free from any expence.

No 5, A tract of patented land, containing 300 acres and allowance, in the county of Westmoreland, being lot *No* 16, in the second district of Donation lands.

Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

Philadelphia, September 14, 1787

ALL persons indebted to the estete of the said bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber. R. R. 2aw

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Philadelphia, September 8, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at the Merchants' Coffee-House, in the city of Philadelphia, on Saturday the 22d instant, at 7 o'clock in the evening, the following Messuages and Lots of Land.

N°. 1. A certain new two story brick house and lot or piece of land, situate in the district of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, at the south west corner of Delaware Third-street and Cedar (or South) street, containing in breadth north and south on Third-street 20 feet, and in length or depth on South-street 42 feet, bounded eastward by the said Third-street, southward by a lot lately let to Daniel Kewer, westward by ground of Richard Moseley, and northward by South-street aforesaid; subject to ——.

N°. 2. Also a brick messuage, a kitchen, a frame messuage and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Vine-street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, from the river Delaware, in the Northern-Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front 87 feet, and in depth 120 feet; bounded on the east by ground of William Lawrence, on the west by Eighth street, on the north by ground of —— Summers, and on the south by Vine-street aforesaid. Taken in execution as the property of Charles Julian de Longchamps, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

BY virtue of two writs of Alias Lavaria Facias to us directed, will be exposed to *Public Sale*, on Saturday the 29th instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, two tracts or pieces of land, situate and lying in the county of Lancaster and in the county of Dauphin, in the townships of Mountjoy and Londonderry, containing 250 acres, with allowance, adjoining lands of John Duncan, Andrew Robinson and others; there is a large quantity of meadow already made, with an elegant mill-seat, and a never failing stream of water runs through the middle of the land, well known by the name of Conneawga Creek, and abounds with large timber throughout the whole of the land, late the property of William Hay. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by us,

JOHN MILLER, Sheriff of Lancaster County.
ANTHONY KELKER, Sheriff of Dauphin County.

Lancaster, September 6.

For Sale,

A Pair of Excellent

Bright Bay Horses,

With or without a very Good *PHÆTON*. Enquire of the subscriber, in Fifth, 2 doors above Arch-street.

Sept. 13 eotf WILLIAM DAVIDSON.

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

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TO BE SOLD,

THE noted TAVERN in Walnut street, near Front street, known by the name of the *George* and *Dragon*. Enquire of

w&stf Sept 5 JOSEPH PRICE.

To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORES adjoining, situate in Penn and Water streets, between Lombard and South streets.

July 18 w&s JOHN ANGUS.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and solicit a Continuance thereof as the ensuing Election, for the *Coroner's* Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, August 25, 1787. eotf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your suffrages at the last Election, in placing me on the return with the present Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the ensuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,

James Ash.

Philadelphia, August 7, 1787. w&stf

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

From QUARLES's Emblems.

Let not the waters overflow me, neither let the deep swallow me up.——

THE world's a sea; my flesh a ship that's mann'd
With lab'ring thoughts and steer'd by reason's hand;
My heart's the seaman's card, whereby she sails;
My loose affections are the greater sails;
The top sail is my fancy, and the gusts
That fill these wanton sheets, are wordly lusts;
Pray'r is the cable, at whose end appears
The anchor Hope, ne'er slipp'd but in our fears;
My will's th' unconstant pilot that commands
The stagg'ring keel; my sins are like the sands:
Repentance is the bucket; and mine eye
The pump, unus'd (but in extremes) and dry;
My conscience is the plummet, that doth press
The deeps, but seldom cries, O fathomless!
Smooth calme's security; the gulph dispair;
My freight's corruption and this life's my fare;
My soul's the passenger, confus'dly driv'n
From fear to fright; her landing port is heav'n;
My seas are stormy and my ship doth leak;
My sailors rude, my steers-man faint and weak;
My canvas torn, it flaps from side to side,
My cable's crack'd, my anchor's slightly ty'd;
My pilot's craz'd; my shipwreck sands are cloak'd;
My bucket's broken and my pump is choak'd:
My calm's deceitful and my gulph too near;
My ware's are slumber'd and my fare's too dear;
My plummet's light, it cannot sink nor sound,
O! shall my rock-bethreaten'd soul be drown'd.
LORD! still the seas and shield my ship from harm,
Instruct my sailors, guide my steers man's arm;
Touch thou my compass and renew my sails;
Send stiffer courage or send milder gales:
Make strong my cable, bind my anchor faster;
Direct my pilot and be thou his master.
Object the sands to my more serious view,
Make sound my bucket, bore my pump anew,
New-cast my plummet, make it apt to try,
Where the rocks lurk and where the quicksands lie:
Guard thou the gulph with love, my calms with care;
Cleanse thou my freight, accept my slender fare;
Refresh the sea sick passenger, cut short
His voyage, land him in his wished port,
Thou, thou, whom winds and stormy seas obey,
That through the deep gave gumbling ISR'EL way:
Say to my soul be safe, and then mine eye
Shall scorn grim death, although grim death stand by.
O! thou, whose strength-reviving arm did cherish
Thy sinking PETER, at the point to perish,
Reach forth thy hand, or bid me tred the wave,
I'll come, I'll come——The voice that calls will save.
My soul, the seas are rough and though a stranger
In these false coasts——O! keep aloof, there's danger:
Cast forth thy plummet, see a rock appears,
Thy ship wants sea room, make it with thy tears.

STORY of the PIPER of HAMELEN.

HAMELEN, 23 miles south west from Hanover, an ancient city, formerly belonging to the abbot of Fuld, but in 1259, the citizens put themselves under the protection of Albert duke of Brunswick, and acknowledged him as their hereditary sovereign, to be revenged of the abbot, who, without their consent, had sold their city to the bishop of Minden. This city is famous for a story, which, however fabulous, is related by all historians, and to this day firmly believed by the inhabitants, and indeed, supported by as authentic circumstances as any ancient fable whatever. The story is as follows:——'The town being sadly pestered with rats, a piper happened to stroll that way, who covenanted with the burghers to free them from those vermin for a certain reward, to be paid in a twelve month and a day after. This being agreed to, he began to play on his tabor and pipe, and the rats from all parts of the town gathered about him, and followed him and his music quite into the river, where they were all drowned, so that the town was no more infested with any such vermin. At the end of the twelve month the piper came and demanded his reward, but the burghers thinking it too great, would have put him off with a trifle, which he rejected with disdain, and swore he would be revenged. The burghers not suspecting that a poor piper could do them an injury, despised his menace, and he left the town for that time: but soon after, June 26, 1284, being a Sunday morning, when the people were all at church, the piper returned, marched through the town, playing on his pipe and tabor, and all the children of the town followed him to the top of a neighbouring hill, called *Copplebergh*, which opened, swallowed up the piper and all the children, and then closed up again: tho' some say they entered at a cave, which is there still to be seen.——But which soever it was, neither the piper nor the children were ever more heard of. In remembrance of this catastrophe, the citizens, for many years after, dated all their public writings from the day they lost their children, as is evident from several old deeds and records.——They still call the street through which the children passed, Tabor Street: and at the foot of the hill there is a great pillar of stone, with an inscription in barbarous Latin verse, by which it appears, that 130 children were thus lost.'

TO BE SOLD,

A Commodious Store and Lot of Ground, in Second-street, opposite the New-Market, and clear of incumbrances. For particulars enquire of JOHN PALMER, Junr. wstf

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ALL persons indebted to the estate of *Richard Tarbet*, late of this city, merchant, deceased, are requested to make payment of their balances as soon as possible; and those who have demands upon said estate, are requested to produce them to

Isabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguson, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for sale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet's* Importation, in part consisting of striped and plain kentings of sundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be sold wholesale, at prime cost, for cash.

Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

Rundle and Murgatroyd,

Water-ſtreet, juſt above Market-ſtreet,
Have received for ſale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and ſheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d ſterling per yard
Ruſſia ſheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glaſſes
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool ſalt, and
Excellent London bottled porter

Alſo, an INVOICE, conſiſting of
Luſtereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.
To be ſold at a very low advance. mwf

High Proof RUM

In Puncheons,
Muſcovado SUGAR in Hogſheads, and a few

Bags beſt Green Coffee,

Juſt arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by

Robert M'Clenachan,

At his Wet Good Store, in Third ſtreet, S. W. corner of Arch-ſtreet; where he has alſo for ſale ſundry other

Articles in the Grocery Line.

July 23. mwſtf

William Compton,

In Third-ſtreet, between Race and Vine ſtreets, has for ſale on very low terms, for caſh or ſhort credit,

LONDON pewter, in caſks, well aſſorted
Engliſh ſail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A caſe of boys hats, of various colours
A ſmall invoice of beſt London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, ſhalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.

ALSO,

Garden ſeeds of different kinds, rape and canary ſeeds, &c mwſtf

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About fifty hogſheads of good and ſound

MOLASSES,

Juſt Arrived from Hiſpaniola, on board the Brig Sovereign, captain Samuel Crawford, laying at Willing, Morris and Swanwick's wharf,

Will be Sold by the hogſhead,

Or a larger quantity. —Alſo,

Old Madeira Wine by the half pipe

And a few caſes of Good CLARET.
The ſale to begin this day (Sept. 13) eo3t

James Miller,

In Front, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, has juſt Imported in the Pigou, from London,

OZNABRIGS ſileſias, dowlas
9-8 wide brown Ruſſia ſheeting
Red and white flannel
Mens and womens cotton and worſted hoſe plain and ribbed
Childrens worſted hoſe
Mens coarſe yarn hoſe
6-4 book muſlin and fine book muſlin handkerchiefs
F & FF gunpowder, bar lead
7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens
Stuffs—and a Variety of other Articles ſuitable to the ſeaſon—Which he will diſpoſe off on the moſt reaſonable terms, by the package or otherwiſe

September 11 wth&ſ

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's STORE,

In Third ſtreet, oppoſite Church alley——A freſh Aſſortment of

Muſlins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;
A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glaſs, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Liſbon, Port, Calcavella and Weſtern Iſland Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf

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Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-ſhare moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouſe } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings
Jamaica ſpirit, Weſt-India and country rum } by the hogſhead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogſhead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 4 3tawtf

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be ſold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain townſhip, Lancaſter county, and ſtate of Pennſylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making ſuperfine flour, having two pair of ſtones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, alſo very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Suſquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on ſaid river. The Saw Mill was new built laſt ſpring, and is alſo in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on ſaid place a good ſtone dwelling houſe with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the poſſeſſion of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any perſon inclined to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premiſes, or to the ſubſcribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan,
John Barclay, } Aſſignees of T. B. Hugo.
John Miller,

N. B. If they are not ſold before the 17th September, they will on that day be expoſed to Public Sale on the ſpot, by the ſubſcribers. *Sept.* 3 d

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Iſaac Hazlehurſt & Co.

(In Water-ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets)
HAVE for SALE
The Following

GOODS;

Moſt of which have been imported in the lateſt veſſels from the different and moſt advantageous ports of exportation for the reſpective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes	German looking glaſſes of various ſizes
Bourdeaux claret in caſes of ſuperior quality } all genuine and good of their kind	Nuremberg toys for children
Ditto 2d ditto	Beſt Dutch rappee & Weſton's ſnuff
Ditto inferior do	Table ſetts of china and china plates
Zant currants in barrels	Boxes of Engliſh glaſs ware aſſorted fit for country ſtores
Cocoa	Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
Chocolate in boxes	German ſteel
Hyſon, Green, Souchong, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS	German ſcythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each	Whetſtones
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per ſheet	Frying pans
Ditto fit for ſheathing a veſſel of 250 tons	Shovels and ſpades
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto	Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and ſhort
Iron and braſs wire of different ſizes	Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Braſs kettles in neſts, Engliſh and Dutch	Glaſs pint canniſters with ſcrews
Briſtol window glaſs 8 by 10	Engliſh and French ſail cloth
A ſmall aſſortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan Houſe, at Halle in Saxony	Pit ſaws of different ſizes
German ſchool books of different ſorts	A new copper ſtill, head and neck, fit for a ſtill of 8 or 900 gallons, will be ſold cheap
Ditto glaſs tumblers aſſort.	A ſhip's longboat 27 feet
	Black and Seneca ſnake-root
	Womens London ſhoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general aſſortment of *EUROPEAN GOODS,*
In their original packages, and opened as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers; they are well adapted to the ſeaſon, and will be ſold on low terms for caſh, or at the cuſtomary credit.

They have alſo for ſale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to diſpoſe of on the loweſt terms for caſh:

Nail rods of different ſizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and ſheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and ſpades
Phæton and chair tire

They have alſo on hand a quantity of large ſap pine Scantling, which they will ſell at a reaſonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. Auguſt 18. ſ&w tf

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Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnerſhip of *Footman & Shippen* being this day diſſolved: all perſons indebted to them are earneſtly requeſted to make immediate payment.

The remaining Stock on

Hand of ſaid Partnerſhip, conſiſting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be diſpoſed of on advantageous terms, for Caſh, Paper Money of the laſt Emiſſion, or upon a ſhort Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the firſt quality	Ruſſia drilling
Middling and low priced broadcloths	Cotton counterpanes
7-4 and 8-4 bath coatings	9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton ſtripes
Fine forreſt cloths	Womens black ſilk velvet
Blue and drab linſies	Long pile mohair pluſhes
Striped cotton linſies and German ſtripes	*A Variety of Stuffs, viz.*
Emboſſed ſerges	Dorſettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, moſt colours
Plain and ſpotted ſwanſkins	Superfine camblets, hairbines, ſhalloons & rattinets
Blue and red halfthicks	Yard wide crapes
White kerſies and fearnoughts	Corduroys and thickſetts
Printed linſies, blue, green and red	Scotch & coloured threads
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts	Gartering & quality binding
Twilled blankets	Nonſopretties, tapes and bobbins
Caſtor and beaver hats	Pins and needles
Superfine caſſimers	4d and 6d ferrets
Mens and womens worſted hoſe	White ſtitching threads
Mens patent ribbed ditto	Worſted mitts
Childrens ſpotted hoſe	Womens black ſilk gloves
Mens white and brown thread hoſe	Coloured fans
Plain and printed jeanets	Chineſe ribbons
Striped demaſcus and tabbies	Campaign and death head buttons
Bed bunts	Scarf and mohair twiſt
India bengals	Genteel pocket books
Mourning and Italian crapes	Black and white edging
Coloured lamb mitts	Hanover lace
Check and printed handkerchiefs	Dutch looking glaſſes
Cotton ſhawls	Girandoles, gold frames
Fringed ſilk handkerchiefs	Japanned waiters & bread baſkets
A large aſſortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes	Japanned bottle ſtands
Furniture calicoes & cottons	Womens ticking ſtays
Fine and coarſe catgut	Elegant perſian carpets
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs	Hoſes ſhoes
Needle work ditto	*Cutlery and Hardware, viz.*
Needle work lawn aprons	Steel and plated ſpurs
Checked, ſpotted & ſtriped lawns	Snuff and tobacco boxes
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns	Sciſſars and ſhears
Holland whited long lawns	Shoebuckles, common and plated
Plain and ſouffl'ee gauzes	Knives and forks
Black taffity and perſians	Cutteau and piſtol capt knives
Blue and roſe coloured ſarſnets	Childrens plain & ſpotted knives
White and pink ſattins	Silver and braſs links
Rich black armozeens	Corkſcrews, ſpectacles
White and puſe coloured mantuas	combs
Marſeilles quilting	Shovels and tongs
	Steelyard
	H hinges
	Tin, iron and japanned candleſticks
	Frying pans
	Long pipes in boxes
	Pewter by the caſk
	Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 ſ&w3m

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

For Sale on Moderate Terms,
A Variety of Elegant

Mahogany Furniture,

AT

THOMAS BOWEN's CABINET MANUFACTORY, No. 20.

In Spruce ſtreet near Second ſtreet;
Where every ſort and faſhion of Mahogany Goods are made with Care and Diſpatch. Aug 31 3ſf

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John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the ſtore lately occupied by Meſſrs. Bache & Shee, on the weſt ſide of Front, the 5th door ſouth of Cheſnut ſtreet, where he has for ſale on the loweſt terms——Window Glaſs of every ſize from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewiſe, Linſeed Oil, Painters Colours, Varniſh, Roſin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmoſt abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received ſince his commencement in buſineſs. Philad. Aug. 25 ſ&wtf

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Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING* for *SALE*, a General

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitt.
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow, red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
6 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3taw1m

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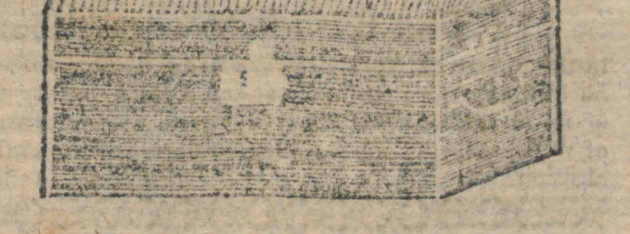

Sellers's American made Trunks.
ARE SOLD BY

John & James Oldden,

AND

WILLIAM ZANE,

In Second, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, and near Black-Horſe alley,

WHERE, at all times, a capital aſſortment of the moſt elegant ſealſkin, hair, and black leather portmantua and other travelling trunks, of all dimenſions, may be obtained for the complete accommodation of the Public—Poſſeſſing every advantage in procuring materials and conducting their factory, they flatter themſelves with being able to vend the various preceding articles on terms more favourable than any other perſon in this country. eſtf

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WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, ſurviving Partner of *Meaſe & Caldwell*, has made an aſſignment of his own, as well as all the eſtates, both real and perſonal, of the ſaid Parnerſhip, to *Robert Millegan*, eſq; attorney at law, and the ſubſcriber, for the uſe of their creditors.——All perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are deſired to ſettle their reſpective balances on or before the 1ſt of October next, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced againſt them without further notice: alſo, thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Partnerſhip, are requeſted to furniſh their accounts to the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Aſſignee to *Meaſe & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787. 3taw1ſtO

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for ſometime paſt kept the Inn in Black Horſe Alley; is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third ſtreet. He begs leave to ſolicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and aſſures thoſe gentlemen who formerly frequented that houſe and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themſelves and horſes, ſhall be furniſhed in the beſt and moſt careful manner, and on the moſt reaſonable terms. 3tawtf.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

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ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eotf

This Day is Publiſhed, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market ſtreet—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.
By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.
That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains ſhall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The ſeas ſhall waſte, the ſkies in ſmoke decay,
Rocks fall to duſt and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his ſaving pow'er remains;
Thy realm forever laſts, thy own Meſſiah reigns.
Pope.

The ſubject of the above piece, having been much canvaſſed of late, both in Europe and America, the curioſity of the Public, and eſpecially of ſuch gentlemen of the city who are pleaſed with the diſcovery of Truth, may be excited to the peruſal of the ſentiments and reaſoning of a fellow citizen, upon ſo momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Alſo, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;
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Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

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REWARD.

WAS Broke Open laſt night, the houſe of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the ſundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spaniſh milled Dollars
1 China faced ſilver Watch with a ſteel chain, and a ſilver ſeal repreſenting Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold ſattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.
The following New Loan Certificates—two years intereſt paid on each:

No.		£.	s.	d.
10717	Reede and Forde, for	176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
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10551	Iſaac Melcher, Eſquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£5306	1	7

2 Funded Jerſey Certificates, one endorſed with intereſt paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
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Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Maſon to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a ſtate of tranſactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of looſe Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the deſk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, ſuppoſed tobe taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Caſh, and *Fifty Dollars* for the Papers, and no queſtions aſked. PETER KNIGHT.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiſer.

[Price Four-Pence.] MONDAY, September 17, 1787. [No. 2688.]

Sales at Auction.

This Day, the 17th inſtant,

At 9 o'clock in the Forenoon,
Will be Sold, at the late Dwelling houſe of John Dugan, deceaſed, in Front-ſtreet, 2 doors below Spruce-ſtreet, All his Houſhold and Kitchen

FURNITURE,

Viz. Deſks and Drawers
Dreſſing Tables
Mahogany and Walnut Tables
Mahogany, walnut and windſor Chairs
Beds, Bedſteads, and Bedding
Some Plate Kitchen Furniture

N. B. One-fourth paper money of the late emiſſion will be taken in payment. 4ſp

THIS DAY,

The 17th Inſtant—At the
Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,
Preciſely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of an

Aſſortment of Merchandize:

The ſtated days of ſale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture, and other out door Goods, will be received and ſold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept.* 17.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 17 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

On Thurſday the 20th inſtant, at Nine o'clock in the Morning,

Will be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the late dwelling houſe of *John Andrew Meſſerſmith* deceaſed, in Fourth ſtreet, between Arch and Race ſtreets, and near Cherry alley,

ALL his Houſhold Goods and Kitchen Furniture: Alſo a quantity of tin-ware ready made up, and ſome half finiſhed work; together with a complete and general aſſortment of Tinmens Tools. Alſo a quantity of bohea tea, and about 10,000 weight of Spaniſh whiting in caſks, with a number of other articles, too tedious to mention. Attendance will be given by

Catharine Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtratrix.
John Andrew Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtrator.

All perſons who have any demands againſt the eſtate of John Andrew Meſſerſmith, deceaſed, are deſired to bring their accounts, properly atteſted, to the ſubſcribers for ſettlement, and all thoſe who are in any way indebted to the ſaid eſtate, are deſired to make immediate payment, otherwiſe their accounts will be put in to the hands of an attorney at Law, or juſtice of the peace, for the recovery of the ſame.

Catharine Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtratrix,
John Andrew Meſſerſmith, Adminiſtrator. w1t

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 11, 1787.

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Eſtate.

At the Old Coffee-Houſe, on Friday the 21ſt day of the preſent month, at 7 o'clock in the evening,
Will be Sold to the higheſt Bidder,

THE Life Eſtate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt, in the following Property:

An undivided fourth part of 243 acres of improved Land in Charleſton townſhip, Cheſter county, now in the tenure of Thomas Robinſon, and rented at 25*l.* per annum.

An undivided fourth part of 400 acres of improved Land at Cohickon, in Bucks county, now rented at 20*l.* per annum.

One half of a Ground Rent of 56*ſ.* per annum, iſſuing out of a lot in Arch-ſtreet, near Fifth-ſtreet, in the city of Philadelphia, payable by —— Parker.

One half of a Ground Rent of 50*ſ.* per annum, iſſuing out of a lot in Fifth ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet.

One half of 397 acres of Woodland lying near the Blue Mountains, in Northampton county.

One half of 150 acres of unimproved Land in Saliſbury townſhip, Lancaſter county, now rented to colonel Parke for the payment of the annual taxes.

One half of 4300 acres of unimproved pine Land in Salem county, New-Jerſey.

One half of a ſhare in a propriety of Weſt Jerſey; alſo, a ſhare in the Library Company of Philadelphia, belonging to the eſtate of the ſaid Bankrupt.

Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Aſſignee
Of the eſtate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid Bankrupt, are required to make immediate to the ſubſcriber. R. R. 2aw

September 7, 1787.

Public ſale of Bankrupt's real Eſtate.

At the Old Coffee-Houſe,
On TUESDAY the 18th day of September next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, will be ſold to the higheſt bidder, a Valuable

Tract of Land,

SITUATE in Wheatfield townſhip, in the valley of Ligonier, and county of Weſtmoreland, containing 405 acres and 5-8ths, with allowance. This land was warranted and ſurveyed in the year 1786, for Claudius Paul Raguet, and is now ſold as property belonging to his eſtate. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered to the purchaſer free from any expence. Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Aſſignee of the eſtate of Claudius Paul Raguet, A Bankrupt.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid bankrupt, are deſired to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, who will be under the neceſſity of commencing ſuits, in a ſhort time, againſt all delinquents.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 30, 1787. R. R. 2aw

To be Sold at Auction,

On Saturday the 22d day of September, inſtant, at the old Coffee-Houſe in the city of Philadelphia; the ſales to commence at 12 o'clock on that day,

Seventeen City Lots,

SITUATE on the weſt ſide of Eigth-ſtreet from Delaware, and between Cherry-ſtreet and Race-ſtreet.

Alſo, an annual Rent Charge of £.10 Pennſylvania currency per annum, iſſuing out of a lot on the weſt ſide of Eighth-ſtreet aforeſaid, between Race-ſtreet and Cherry ſtreet, now in the tenure of Andrew Walker.

The purchaſe money, which will be received in gold, ſilver, or paper money of this ſtate of the laſt emiſſion, to be paid within 8 days after the ſale, or the premiſes to revert, and the bidder ſuſtain any loſs which may accrue on a ſecond ſale.

A plan of the lots aforeſaid may be ſeen at the ſaid Coffee-Houſe.

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, September 8, 1787. eotf

Sales of Forfeited Eſtates

In PENNSYLVANIA.

WHEREAS the eſtate of Chriſtian Hook, late of the city of Philadelphia, attorney at law, hath been forfeited to this Commonwealth, by his attainder, for treaſon: I the ſubſcriber, agent for the county of Northampton, do hereby give notice, that the following eſtate late of ſaid Chriſtian Hook, in the county aforeſaid, will be ſold by Public Vendue at the Court-houſe, in Eaſton, in the ſaid county, on *Thurſday* the 20th day of September next; the Sales to commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, and to continue until all be ſold, viz.

N° 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, being 6 contiguous tracts of land, ſituate on a branch of Lehawanick Creek, adjoining lands of Reuben Haines, Iſaac Wikoff, and others; N° 1, containing 387 acres, 77 perches, and allowance; N° 2, 301 acres, 141 perches, and allowance; N° 3, 4, 5, and 6, each containing a like quantity, the whole being patented to ſaid Hook, Nov. 5th, 1776.

7. A tract of land ſituate on Shahawken Creek about two miles and a quarter from Delaware river, containing 271 and a half acres, patented to ſaid Hook, Aug 21ſt, 1776.

The terms of ſale will be according to law as follows, viz. one-fourth part of the purchaſe money to be paid within 10 days after ſale, and the remainder within 30 days after ſale, or the premiſes to revert to the ſtate, and the bidder to forfeit one-fourth part of the purchaſe money—On a certificate being produced from the agent, of the payment of the purchaſe money, a deed will be given as by law directed.

Draughts of the ſeveral tracts, may be ſeen at the old Coffee-houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, and in Eaſton, on the day of ſale.

And I, the agent, do alſo purſuant to law, notify all the claimants of the ſaid premiſes: and the creditors of the ſaid Chriſtian Hook, to exhibit their claims and demands to the juſtices of the ſupreme court, within the time limited by law, or they will be for ever debarred from recovery thereof. July 24, 1787.

JOHN M'NAIR, Jun. Agent.

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be expoſed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thurſday the 29th of November next, at the Court-Houſe in Harford county, ſtate of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilſon and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-houſe, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a ſmall expence by ſeveral ſprings, and a conſiderable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewiſe flows through a part of it, on which is a mill ſeat. There is on each farm a good brick houſe, with barn, ſtables, &c. a large orchard ſtocked with the beſt fruit, and a large garden paled in. The ſituation is high and healthy, the ſoil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to ſeveral merchant mills, where there is a conſtant market for all kinds of grain.

Thoſe who wiſh to view the land, on application to Meſſ. Aſhton and Waters, the preſent tenants, will be ſhewn it. Poſſeſſion will be given the 1ſt of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be eaſy to the purchaſer, and will be made known on the day of ſale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Eſtate.

At the *Old Coffee-Houſe*, on *Wedneſday* the 10th day of October next, will be ſold to the higheſt Bidder, the following

PROPERTY,

Belonging to the eſtate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

No 1, A Tract of valuable patented land, containing 272 acres and allowance, ſituate on the waters of Bald Eagle, in Bald Eagle townſhip, Northumberland county; was ſurveyed in purſuance of a warrant granted to *Thomas Denton*, dated the 1ſt day of July, 1784.

No 2, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, and adjoining the before mentioned tract; was ſurveyed in purſuance of a warrant granted to *Lewis Farmer*, dated 1ſt July, 1784.

No 3, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, ſituate on the waters of Bald Eagle, as aforeſaid, and ſeparated from *No* 2 by a tract of about 300 acres; was ſurveyed in purſuance of a warrant granted to John Hughes, dated the 1ſt of July, 1784.

No 4, A tract of land, containing 319 3-8 acres and allowance, ſituate on Sinnamahoning creek, 25 miles from the mouth, and county aforeſaid; was ſurveyed in purſuance of a warrant granted to col. *Iſaac Melchor*, dated the 17th of May 1785. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered the purchaſer of this tract, free from any expence.

No 5, A tract of patented land, containing 300 acres and allowance, in the county of Weſtmoreland, being lot *No* 16, in the ſecond diſtrict of Donation lands.

Any perſon deſirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Aſſignee
of the eſtate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

Philadelphia, September 14, 1787

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber. R. R. 2aw

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,
At the Southwark Auction-Store,
Will commence the ſale of a Large and Freſh

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandiſe On commiſſion, diſpoſed of at private ſale. *Sept.* 17

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On the laſt *Tueſday* in April next, at Lewis-Town, in the county of Suſſex, in the Delaware ſtate,

A Very fine Tract of Land, ſituate in Baltimore hundred, in the county and ſtate aforeſaid, containing about 3000 acres, remarkably well timbered, and of a rich and fertile ſoil, abounding particularly in white oak, ſuitable for ſhip-building. It lies within two or three miles of two good ſaw mills and a griſt mill, and is at the diſtance of one mile from a landing. It will be ſold in parcels of one, two, or three hundred acres, as may beſt ſuit the purchaſer. The terms of payment will be made eaſy. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe at private ſale before the above day, or to view the premiſes, may apply to Mr. *George Mitchell*, at Daggſbury, in the ſaid county of Suſſex.

Martha Dagworthy, Executrix.
Lambert Cadwalader, } Executors.
George Mitchell, }

September 6 1aw3m

SECOND NOTICE.

In the Caſe of JONATHAN SMITH, Bankrupt.

WHEREAS a commiſſion of bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt *Jonathan Smith*, of the City of Philadelphia, trader and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the commiſſioners in the ſaid commiſſion named, or the major part of them, on *Friday* the 31ſt day of Auguſt, inſtant, on *Friday* the 21ſt day of September next, and on *Thurſday* the 11th day of October following, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the ſaid days, at the State-houſe in the city of Philadelphia and make a full diſcovery and diſcloſure of his eſtate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the ſecond meeting to chuſe aſſignees, and at the laſt meeting the ſaid bankrupt is required to finiſh his examination.

All perſons indebted to the ſaid bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give notice to the ſubſcriber.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Office, Wakins's alley, Aug. 30, 1787. 31 17.8

Daniel Tyſon

Is now Opening for Sale a general Aſſortment of

MERCHANDIZE,

Suitable for the approaching ſeaſon,
In Third ſtreet, near Arch-ſtreet, and oppoſite the Bunch of Grapes Inn,——Conſiſting of

STRIPED and Roſe Blankets, ſwanſkins, flannels, coatings and baizes, ermines, lambſkins and broadcloths. Alſo a handſome aſſortment of ſuperfine cloths, double milled drabcloths from 13*ſ* to 45*ſ* per yard, druggets, duroys, corduroys, velverets and thickſets, worſted hoſe, leather gloves and mits, calicoes, chintzes, muſlins, cambrics and lawns, ſewing ſilks, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs, Britannias, heſſans, platillas and checks, diapers and drillings, tickings, German ſheetings, ribbons and ſcarf twiſt, Barcelona handkerchiefs, perſians and ſarſnets, Marſeilles quiltings, mantuas and ſattins, felt hats, beaver and caſtor hats laced and plain, camblets, calimancoes, ſhalloons, durants, and cutlery.

Alſo, a quantity of excellent *GENEVA* in caſes, and a very extenſive aſſortment of excellent *BOULTING CLOTHS.* 4t2aw

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-ſtreet—Who have for Sale, A few Hogſheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

For London,

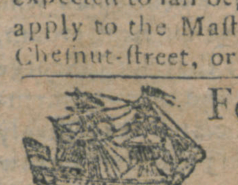
The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Maſter;

Now laying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf; will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the ſaid Maſter, Thomas Penroſe, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,
William Brougham, Maſter;

A STOUT Britiſh ſhip, with a new Mediterranean paſs; has good accommodations for paſſengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to ſail September 25th. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Sims's wharf, near Cheſnut-ſtreet, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

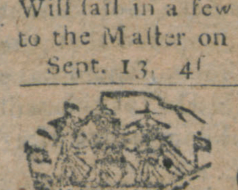


For *Hobs-Hole, Port Royal, & Fredericksburg,*

(Virginia)

The Sloop SPEEDWELL, Stoteſbury, Maſter: Will ſail in a few days. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Walnut-ſtreet wharf, or

Sept. 13. 4t J. & WALTER PAYNE.



FOR SALE,
The Stout new Ship

GOLIAH:

SHE is a very elegant, well built ſhip, of about 250 tons, is at preſent on the ſtocks at Baltimore, and may be launched in two weeks. The payments will be made very eaſy to the purchaſer, and, if neceſſary, a long credit will be given on paying intereſt. Paper money or public ſecurities will alſo be received. For terms apply to COXE and FRAZIER.

Philadelphia, September 12, 1787 2aw2w

PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Honorable *Thomas M'Kean*, Eſquire, Doctor of Laws, Chief Juſtice of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennſylvania, and of the Courts of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, in and for the ſaid State; the Honorable *William Auguſtus Atlee*, Eſquire, and the Honorable *George Bryan*, Eſquire, Juſtices of the ſaid Courts, have iſſued their precept, bearing date the 2d day of Auguſt (inſtant) to me directed, for holding a Court of Oyer and Terminer and General Gaol Delivery, at the State-Houſe in the city of Philadelphia, on Monday the 17th day of September next.

NOTICE is hereby given to all Juſtices of the Peace, the Coroners, Eſcheator and Conſtables, within the ſaid city and county, that they be then and there in their own perſons, with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do thoſe things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; alſo all they who will proſecute againſt the priſoners that are or then ſhall be in the gaol of the ſaid city and county, are to be then and there, to proſecute againſt them as ſhall be juſt.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 3d day of Auguſt, in the year of Our Lord one thouſand ſeven hundred and eighty-ſeven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.

JOSEPH COWPERTHWAIT, Sheriff.

God Save the Commonwealth.

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is repreſented to this board that there are many of the line of this ſtate intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themſelves, or ſent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a reſolution of this Board, of the 31ſt day of Auguſt, 1786, they will be precluded, unleſs the time is prolonged ſo as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Reſolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1ſt day of October next, and that this reſolution be publiſhed, ſo that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,
James Trimble,
2awtO For John Armſtrong, jun. Secretary.

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennſylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inſt. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the ſeveral Lodges under their juriſdiction are requeſted punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

To the Curious.

Juſt arrived from the Coaſt of Africa,

A CAMEL;

Full grown, and near twenty-one hands high.

This Animal, of which ſuch frequent mention is made in the Holy Scriptures, and of which there has not been one in this city for near 50 years, is to be ſeen in Shippen's alley (near the Romiſh chapel) next door above George Clymer, eſquire's. Price for grown Perſons 1/6 each, and for Children 9*d* each.

September 14 7ſp

The MENAGE,

At the Center-Houſe, will be opened on the 17th inſtant, by the ſubſcriber, for the inſtruction of Gentlemen in that manly, uſeful and heathy exerciſe, the Art of Horſemanſhip in all its different branches. The days of exerciſe will be on *Monday, Wedneſday* and *Friday*. He propoſes to begin each morning at ſix, and cloſe at 8 o'clock,

Sept 14 2aw3w JACOB BATES

CHARLES FORD,

CABINET-MAKER,
At the ſoutheaſt corner of Second and Cheſnut ſtreets,

BEGS leave to return his thanks to his Friends and the Public, for their encouragement; and being now about to remove from this city to Pittſburgh, purpoſes to ſell his remaining STOCK at the moſt reduced prices for caſh—Which conſiſt of the following:

Plain, claw feet and ornamented chairs of the neweſt taſte
Ditto tea-tables of the neweſt faſhions
Circular and ſquare tea tables ditto
Plain and commode bureau tables
Dreſſing tables
Dining ditto, large and ſmall

N. B. A ſmall quantity of the beſt ſeaſoned MAHOGANY will be ſold cheap. Sept 14 ſmw

For Sale,

A Pair of Excellent

Bright Bay Horſes,

With or without a very Good *PHÆTON*. Enquire of the ſubſcriber, in Fifth, 2 doors above Arch-ſtreet.

Sept. 13 eotf WILLIAM DAVIDSON.

WANTED, A Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. Auguſt 25 d

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom-Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

Foreign Intelligence.

UTRECHT, July 9.

IT was by a majority of 12 voices that the ſtates of Holland have determined to requeſt the mediation of France, of which the grand penſionary is charged to give notice to the marquis de Verac, ambaſſador from his Chriſtian majeſty.

July 20. On the 18th arrived here a reinforcement of 600 men from Amſterdam, which contribute much to exhilirate the ſpirits of our garriſon. It has been propoſed to deſtroy all impediment, preparatory to a ſiege which we expect; but this project is deferred for a day or two, till we hear what ſteps are taken reſpecting the propoſal of Holland, for the mediation of France.

FRANCFORT, July 19.

A report prevails here, that the Dutch patriots have offered the people of Brabant ſixty millions of florins, to join them in the common cauſe. We are perſuaded, that Great Britain is diſpoſed to do every thing with efficacy for the ſtadtholder. The journey of her royal highneſs really covered a ſecret plan concerted with the court of London, to accelerate a revolution in favour of the houſe of Orange; and that having failed, makes the thread, on which the repoſe of Europe hangs very ſlender.

HAGUE, July 19.

The marquis de Verac, ambaſſador from the French king, preſented the following memorial yeſterday, to the ſtates general:——

High and Mighty Lords,

"The king being informed that the ſtates of Holland propoſed, on the 7th inſtant, to your high mightineſſes, to have recourſe to his mediation, for conciliating the differences which divde the republic—His majeſty is highly ſenſible of this mark of confidence; and he has ordered the under ſigned, his ambaſſador, to declare to your high mightineſſes, not only that he is diſpoſed to agree thereto, but alſo that he is eager, as far as lays in his power, to re-eſtabliſh peace in the republic, and good harmony between the different members of the union.

"The king ſeizes, with haſte this occaſion to expreſs to your high mightineſſes, the extreme grief which theſe troubles give him, that agitate the united provinces, and to fix your attention upon the diſaſters which muſt follow, if they are not ſpeedily terminated.

"His majeſty thinks, that to attain this ſalutary end, it is preſſing, that your high mightineſſes take the moſt ſpeedy and efficacious means to ſtop the preſent hoſtile meaſures which are preparing in many of the provinces. Your high mightineſſes thereby preventing a civil war, and facilitating the ſucceſs of a reconciliation, which is ſo deſirable to effect.—This exhortation, on the part of the king himſelf, is dictated by the friendſhip which he bears to the republic—the intereſt which he takes for its preſervation, and its proſperity—and the particular attention which he has for each of its conſtituent members.

LE MARQUIS DE VERAC."

At the Hague, 18th July 1787.

LONDON, July 12.

A morning paper ſays, that the public may be aſſured of this important fact; that on the 30th ult. the French ſquadron, conſiſting of 8 ſhips of the line and 4 frigates ſailed from Breſt harbour.—The lords of the Britiſh admiralty having intelligence of the equipment, ſent the Hebe frigate to look into Breſt water: the ſquadron was ſailed before the Hebe's arrival, and ſhe returned with this intelligence.

As far as military preparations can give alarm, the alarm is given from the centre of France through every direction. In Paris the ſoldiery are recruiting in every corner, and in every place from Calais to Paris; and from Dunkirk to the Straſbourg corner of Lorrain, all the garriſons through the northern extremity of the kingdom are conſiderably reinforced. The duc de Rochambeau is at Valenciennes with an army of 12,000 men. Theſe are facts confirmed by all the lateſt letters from that country.

A letter from Copenhagen, ſays, The military and naval movements in this kingdom, are now in agitation, cauſe divers opinions to be held, as to the purport of ſuch extraordinary proceedings; the general notion is, that the intention of this court, is to take an active part in favour of the prince of Orange, in whoſe behalf ſome of the northern ſtates have combined.

Extract of a letter from Oſtend, July 11.

'The number of Dutch families that are arrived here have taken up all the houſes that were empty, and the foundations of ſeveral capital buildings are laid within 200 yards of the harbour, fit for merchants, and ground marked out for more. Should the troubles in Holland continue, this will be as capital a town as Amſterdam or Rotterdam for trade and commerce. The emperor has ſent orders for erecting two docks for building large ſhips fit for the Eaſt India trade, and in ſhort, does every thing in his power to promote the welfare and happineſs of his people.'

By the Dutch mail, which arrived early this morning, we have received the following intelligence:——

The intereſt of the prince of Orange rapidly increaſes ſince his recent ſucceſs in the reduction of the town of Wyck; the troops forming the cordon of Holland, in the ſervice of that ſtate, daily deſert in great numbers to the prince's camp, and his ſerene highneſs was preparing to act with vigour in the maintenance of his privileges.

[The above article is copied from a public newspaper, which has hitherto diſcovered the moſt violent zeal in the patriotic cauſe—the Utrecht Gazette.]

The ſtates of Holland have iſſued another proclamation, of which the following is the ſubſtance:—That having obſerved the inhabitants of the Hague, and other places attached to the intereſt of the prince ſtadtholder, lately wearing orange ribbons in the form of a W. and other party emblems, tending to inflame the minds of the people, and exciting them to renounce their allegiance to their lawful ſovereigns, the ſtates of Holland; beſides publiſhing placarts, ſongs, &c. highly derogatory to the honor of the ſaid ſtates; in order the more effectually to ſuppreſs this ſpirit of rebellion and diſobedience, their noble mightineſſes have reſolved, that every perſon who ſhall be heard ſinging any inflammatory ſongs, particularly thoſe beginning with the words Orange, Booven, &c. and prince Deuntjes; or who ſhall be ſeen wearing the aforeſaid orange ribbons in the above ſhape, or in any form whatever, ſhall be puniſhed with inſtant death! on the very ſpot where the party is detected, without any kind of trial!

The above proclamation, which paſſed under the ſeal of the ſtates of Holland, is dated at the Hague, the 4th of July 1787, and ſigned,

By order of the ſtates of Holland,
C. CLUTTERDOOKS.

July 16.

By accounts from the Hague we hear, that the officers of the burgeſſes of the Hague had ſecretly agreed with the officers, or at leaſt ſome of the officers of the garriſon, to take their departure with what numbers they could collect to meet the princeſs of Orange, when ſhe ſhould arrive at a ſmall diſtance from the Hague: but this was prevented by the arreſt of her highneſs. M. le Droſſart, Vander Meer has diſcovered behind the houſe of Doelen, where the council of war of burgeſſes of the Hague is kept, five cheſts of fire arms, and 2200 cartouches made up; theſe cheſts had been ſecreted there by three officers of that faithful corps, who are known. The college of the deputy council being informed of this, the cheſts were brought to them, but at the requeſt of the magiſtrates they were depoſited under the Town Houſe, where it is hoped they will be put to a very different uſe from that which they were deſigned to ſerve. Such is the plot which has been fortunately diſcovered; and it is on ſuch plots that William the Fifth depends for ſucceſs! [Amſterdam Gazett, publiſhed by authority.]

The capture of Wyck, which we already announced to our readers, is confirmed. A body of 1000 men aſſembled before Wyck in the night of Friday or Saturday ſe'nnight; the place ſubmitted without reſiſtance, that in fact it was not capable of making; and according to a letter from Utrecht, pillage and murder were committed by the captors, according to the mode adopted by the ſtadtholder party; ſelon le methode adoptee par la parta Stadthauderian.

The capture of this place gives additional reſolution to the patriotic party, who are more determined than ever to withſtand the ſtadtholder. There were about 100 burgeſſes in garriſon in Wyck, who could not be expected to attempt to defend the place againſt 1000 regulars.

A letter from the Hague dated July 10, ſays,—'It appears from the regiſters of the ſtates general of the United Provinces, that their high mightineſſes having deliberated upon the letter received from the prince ſtadtholder, relative to the detention of her royal highneſs the princeſs, they have reſolved, that the repreſentations made to the ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland upon the ſubject, ſhould be reitterated by another letter, written in the moſt earneſt, and at the ſame time moderate manner, and requiring a full and equitable ſatisfaction to be made for the outrage offered to her royal highneſs, and at the ſame time that the princeſs ſhould be ſo far from being prevented in her intentions of going to the Hague, that ſhe ſhould, on the contrary, be requeſted, as ſpeedy and convenient as poſſible, to proceed on her intended journey, it being the opinion of their high mightineſſes, that the views expreſſed by her royal highneſs in going to the Hague, are the only ones, under the Divine Benediction, that can put an end to thoſe diſſentions and dreadful differences which ſeem to threaten this republic with ruin and deſtruction. That their high mightineſſes are extremely apprehenſive for the conſequences that may ariſe from a further oppoſition to the journey and laudable views of the princeſs, in which (they again repeat) they will not take the ſmalleſt part; but if the ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland continue to refuſe giving any ear to the equitable and proper advice of the illuſtrious aſſembly of the ſtates general, the ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland muſt take the conſequences to themſelves.

'The ſtates general further reſolved to write to the prince, acquainting him how ſenſibly they feel for the inſult offered to the perſon of his royal conſort, & the ſteps they have and will take in that affair, but that they had not yet found that they had produced the deſired effect with the ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland; that they would not however, diſcontinue the uſing every endeavour conſiſting with the nature of the affair, the dignity of her royal highneſs, and the intereſt they take in every thing that relates to her and his perſon, the houſes they ſpring from, and the relation they bear to this repulic, to engage the ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland to conform to the juſt and preſſing inſtances of the aſſembly of the ſtates général, and the wiſhes of his ſerene highneſs.

'The Greffier Fagal is authoriſed by the ſtatés general to give notice to the prince of Orange of all that had been done in their aſſembly upon the above ſubject.'

From reſpectable authority we can inform our readers, that an alliance, offenſive and defenſive, has been ſigned between Great Britain and Pruſſia. It paſſed the great ſeal laſt week, and was forwarded to the continent with the greateſt expedition. This will in all probability accelerate the criſis of the tumults in Holland.

Accounts from France ſpeak very poſitively of hoſtile preparations there, and that 29 ſhips of the line, and 13 frigates are fitting out with all poſſible diſpatch.

A gentleman juſt arrived from Amſterdam ſaw lord George Gordon there—and thus he deſcribes his conduct and ſituation. On his arrival in the city lord George waited on one of the magiſtrates, and informed him, 'That having been moſt cruelly perſecuted in England, he had retreated to a country *very dear to him*, as being the land of Proteſtantiſm and of Liberty.' Lord George added, 'that as he had ſought an aſylum in Holland, he ſhould, live as a private citizen, and not by any means interfere in commotions; his employment would be of a religious nature.' Lord George then took his leave, enquired for the houſe of Mr. Moſes, a Jew, which, having found, he delivered a recommendatory letter, written by a Rabbi, in Hebrew. Mr. Moſes received lord George with extreme cordiality, allotted him apartments in his houſe, where he at this moment reſides; and when the gentleman who communicated theſe particulars quitted Amſterdam, there was every reaſon to believe, that lord George was preparing for circumciſion, and meant to embrace Judaiſm. His lordſhip aſſociates exceſſively with people of that purſuaſion, lets his beard grow and, in every reſpect reſembles a proſelyte. This whimſical incident is a proof of events being produced by cauſes apparently not bearing the moſt diſtant relation; for who could have ſuppoſed that the French ambaſſador, a Roman Catholic, ſhould have occaſioned a Preſbyterian to turn Jew? Yet this will be the caſe, if lord George ſhould commence Iſraelite.

July 19. To prevent gardens from being robbed of their choiceſt fruits, let the owner of ſuch fruit cut in paper the initial letters of his name, or any other mark he likes; and juſt before his peaches, nectarines, &c. begin to be coloured, ſtick ſuch letters or mark with gum water on that ſide which is next the ſun, and that part of the fruit which is under the paper will remain green, in the exact form of the mark; by which he may know his fruit whereſoever he finds it; and this mark cannot be obliterated.

Sir George Auguſtus Elliott taking the title of Baron Heathfield, of Gibraltar, and uſing the arms of that place, is at once the reward and memorial of his fame. The Roman generals were honored in the ſame manner, as Scipio Africanus, from the conqueſt of Africa, and others. And amongſt our own heroes, the titles of Mahon and Baron Plaſſey remain as ſimilar inſtances.

A citizen preſented a complaint to the court, of the guard that is ſent from Whitehall every evening to the bank, having aſſaulted him, and ſhoved him off the foot pavement. The court unanimouſly deſired the lord mayor to make a repreſentation of the matter to the ſecretary at war; and to requeſt in future the guard may walk ſingly, and not two a-breaſt as they do now, to the hindrance and inſult of foot paſſengers.

Various complaints have been made for ſome time paſt in the newſpapers, relative to the ſoldiers marching two a-breaſt on the footway, in going to the bank, by which means the people going on their lawful buſineſs were often endangered. One would naturally have thought that theſe hints would have been ſufficient; but the young gentlemen who have the ſupreme command on ſuch occaſions, chooſe to think otherwiſe; and in conſequence of the letter from the lord mayor to the ſecretary of ſtate, they will be obliged to do that againſt their inclination, which politeneſs would have dictated—to leſs well bred people!

For ſeveral miles round London, there has been an almoſt general blight upon the keeping apples, but of codlings and other apples for ſummer uſe, there is expected to be a moderate produce.

Among the crowd aſſembled on London-bridge to obſerve Lunardi's aquatic manœuvres, was a well dreſſed countryman, who frequently exclaimed, "There's your ſwimming! How mortal well he does it!" To this exclamation a perſon near him anſwered, "What ſignifies his ſwimming, I'll dive with him for any ſum."—This introduced a converſation between them on the reſpectable merits of the two arts, in which the latter had evidently the advantage, for it was the countryman's misfortune very ſoon after they parted to find, that his opponent had enforced his aſſertions by an example the moſt deciſive—he had dived for, and carried off the clodpole's watch.

Tueſday night, between ſix and ſeven o'clock, a fellow was detected, near Charing-croſs, in the act of kidnapping a boy not twelve years of age, for the purpoſe, as is ſuppoſed, of ſending him for an Eaſt-India ſoldier. He was ſoon ſurrounded by a multitude of people, who manifeſted their abhorrence of this inhuman practice, by dragging the delinquent to an adjacent pump, where he experienced the diſcipline of a ſevere ducking. Not ſatisfied however with this, the populace afterwards conducted the victim of their reſentment to the river ſide, in order to give him a ſecond drenching in the boſom of old Father Thames.

The above raſcal is doubtleſs a member of that nefarious gang, who have long infeſted the vicinity of Charing-croſs, and who are generally denominated Eaſt-India Crimps, numbers of whom may be daily ſeen lurking near that place, ready to avail themſelves of every opportunity of trepanning unwary ſtrangers and boys.

When Alderman Crampton, who acquired an immenſe fortune in the buſineſs of a bookſeller, firſt begun trade in Dublin, the few volumes he had collected were inſufficient to fill his ſhop; but knowing how much the world is led by appearances, he had recourſe to a whimſical expedient, which fully anſwered his purpoſe. In a few days his ſhelves appeared compleatly covered, but as he afterwards confeſſed to his friends, it was done thus: Locke on Education conſiſted of a couple of bricks neatly covered and labelled; Theobald's edition of Shakeſpear was made of ſome ſquare boxes of bran, which his wife had collected for domeſtic uſes; Hill's voluminous works were neatly made up in wood, and the Sure Guide to Salvation was labelled on his tobacco-box. Theſe ſubſtitutes, as his finances flouriſhed, were exchanged for the volumes they repreſented; but in many inſtances he uſed ſarcaſtically to obſerve, the change was not much for the better.

Extract of a letter from Dunoon, July 5.

"Yeſterday morning, about three o'clock, the inhabitants of this place were ſuddenly alarmed by the appearance of an armed party of ſoldiers. The novelty of the ſight ſoon raiſed ſeveral of the inhabitants, who were firſt at a loſs to gueſs their intention; but by obſerving ſome of the exciſe officers among them, concluded it was to carry off ſome ſmall ſtills, which two or three very poor people made uſe of for the ſupport of their little families. They made a ſeizure of two, which they ſent to the boats at the ſhore. They met with no reſiſtance; but ſeeing ſo many perſons aſſembled, they, by the advice of the exciſe officers, thought prudent to reimbark; accordingly they retreated; but I am ſorry to acquaint you, that the affair did not terminate here. Ferguſon and M'Lean, the two ferrymen, ran to the boat in which the ſtills lay; Ferguſon inſtantly knocked down one or other of the two boatmen, who had the charge of them, and endeavoured to get the boat off: at this moment two ſoldiers ran to the ſhore, and called to Ferguſon to deſiſt, or they would be under the neceſſity to fire; but he ſtill continued obſtinate, upon which one of them, in conſequence of an order from one of the exciſe officers, immediatle fired, and ſhot him dead on the ſpot, the bullet having gone quite through his body. The other ſoldier had his piece levelled at M'Lean, but was very humanely prevented by the ſerjeant, who came to the ſpot that inſtant.

"Ferguſon, though not a native of this place, is very much lamented. During the ſhort time he has been here, he made ſeveral improvements upon the ferry, which is one of the moſt frequented in the weſt country. He was of a very bold and enterpriſing ſpirit, which at laſt proved fatal to him.

"The ſoldier who fired is laid up in the goal of Renfrew, and the exciſe officer, who gave orders to fire, has abſconded."

Extract of a letter from Kelſo, July 13.

"On Tueſday laſt, about mid-day, there was a moſt dreadful ſtorm of thunder, lightning and hail, in the eaſtern parts of Berwickſhire. In the neighbourhood of Allanbank, ſome of the hailſtones meaſured about three inches round, and lay on the ground till next day. The peaſe and potatoes ſuffered prodigiouſly, and in ſome places were entirely deſtroyed. Many windows were broken, the gardens made a mere wreck, the corn diſmally laid, and the hot houſe at Allanbank demoliſhed."

Extract of a letter from a reſpectable houſe of Jamaica, dated May 18, 1787.

"Dry goods are ſtill in but little demand, owing to the very ſlight intercourſe now here with foreigners, principally occaſioned by the rapacity of our revenue officers, who, adhering to the letter, inſtead of the ſpirit of the free port act, have for the laſt twelve months ſeized every Spaniard, who has made his appearance in any other form than exactly conformable to the letter of the law, thereby giving a finiſhing blow to the moſt lucrative and uſeful trade that this once flouriſhing iſland ever enjoyed."

July 23. The preſent conteſt in Holland, which takes up the greater part of the attention of the people of all ranks, bids fair to loſe the Dutch a great part of their trade, particularly to the ports of Smyrna, Zante, Scanderoon, Conſtantinople, Genoa, Leghorn, Venice, Naples, Villa Franca, and others; but it is moſt likely we ſhall be but little benefited by it, it being more than probable the beſt ſhare will fall to the lot of France. On this and ſimilar accounts France may hold off from interfering in the troubles of the United Provinces, except as negociators.

By the laſt letters from Holland, a mediation is ſaid to be not only on the tapis, but almoſt agreed upon, between the ſtadtholder and his opponents. France is to be the arbitrator on the part of the people, Pruſſia on the part of the prince, and England is to be the umpire. Under ſuch auſpices who can deſpair? But the princeſs and her charming family are now ſafe at Nimeguen; a circumſtance very flattering to the hopes of thoſe who wiſh not for inteſtine war, and will certainly be a cauſe of this arbitration proceeding with more order and leſs interruption: peace is now the chief advantage of all the ſtates of Europe: and if a war be reſolved upon, the reſources of them all muſt be drained to the utmoſt diſtreſs.

There are accounts from Cleves, which mention that the duke of Brunſwick, who, on the late promotion in the Pruſſian armies, was made a field marſhal, and one of the generaliſſimos, is daily expected in that duchy, to review the troops already arrived there, and others which are expected, to the amount of 27,000 infantry, and 4000 cavalry; and that general Archibald Gaudrie, who commands, was actually preparing for his royal highneſſes's reception, who will reſide at the Ducal Caſtle of Cleves, and is looked for early in the month of Auguſt.

July 28. The following circumſtance occurred yeſterday morning, at the houſe of a gentleman on the Surrey ſide of Weſtminſter bridge:—The ſervant, who was cleaning the ſteps leading to the door, having occaſion to go down ſtairs for water, on her return along the paſſage, was alarmed by a violent noiſe in the front parlour. On entering the apartment, to her extreme ſurprize, ſhe diſcovered a large he goat belonging to a neighbouring livery ſtables, reared on his hinder legs, and butting with conſiderable force at his ſuppoſed opponent, in the remains of a very elegant pier glaſs, which he had ſhivered into numberleſs fragments in attacking his own likeneſs: With ſome difficulty this troubleſome viſitor was at length expelled the premiſes.

Orders have been iſſued by the commiſſioners of victualling to their offices at the different ports, not to ſupply any of the guardſhips with the ſalt proviſions at preſent in ſtore; but to furniſh them with freſh beef. This certainly wears the aſpect of hoſtile preparations!

The French brokers have been playing the ſame game in Paris, as their brethren of 'Change alley here; but not having the ſame bank of credulity to draw upon, the game has not been quite ſo high; enough, however, to have occaſioned about half a dozen lame ducks.

The well known counteſs of Berghauſen, the lady of the once faſhionable and happy Mr. Henley, ſince the ſettlement of her income by the court of chancery, has taken her paſſage to India, under the protection of an Iriſh lieutenant in the company's ſervice, being of opinion that the heat of that climate will beſt agree with the warmth of her conſtitution.

It is a melancholy fact, that at the laſt jail delivery at the ſeſſion houſe, Clerkenwell Green, upwards of one hundred and ſeventy priſoners were turned looſe upon ſociety; a great majority of whom had no other mode of obtaining the neceſſaries of life, than to return to their old practices.

The duke of Rutland has been as buſily employed in his late tour through the North of Ireland, in diſpoſing of the invaluable honors of knighthood as formerly in the other parts of that kingdom, and has found as many honorable men who were willing to undergo the operation. Sir Denis O'Donohue, mayor of Drogheda, who was laſt dubbed, was obliged to employ an interpreter, which contributed to render the awful ſcene not a little ridiculous.——The knight then gratefully offered the freedom of the city to his grace, with whom the corporation thought proper to include his aid du camp. The duke's coachman was then actually propoſed, but prudently withdrawn by Mr. Foſter, and if the preſident of Caligula's horſe had occurred, they would, no doubt, have conferred the honor on his grace's charger.

The parliament ſtands prorogued to Tueſday next. A council was held on Thurſday, when the neceſſary orders were given for another prorogation of 40 days.

The taxes in Holland are raiſed by an almoſt general exciſe; for there is ſcarce any thing in the whole country, but ſome duty is laid upon it. Every province and every city varies its taxes as they think fit, provided they furniſh the quota demanded by the ſtates general, who never give directions concerning the mode of raiſing it. But though the Dutch tax every thing that is conſumed at home, by eating' drinking, cloathing, &c. they take care that the duties on merchandize ſhall be extremely low, both on importation and exportation; which makes this country in a manner a free port, and draws to it a conſiderable portion of the general trade of Europe.

Prince William Henry is eſteemed a moſt excellent officer, but no man, however exalted in rank, is free from failings. His royal highneſs poſſeſſes an uncommon warmth of diſpoſition, and when in the heat of paſſion, has often ſo far forgot his princely dignity, as to beat the ſailors very unmercifully; we however hope, that time and experience will regulate his conduct, and convince him that true greatneſs conſiſts in acts of mercy and benevolence.

The Eaſt India officers by no means approve of the new uniforms which the arbitrary board of controul has inſiſted on their wearing. The crimſon waiſtcoat and breeches, with the blue coat, gives them the appearance of German Dyers; for ſuch is the dreſs of that claſs of men at Vienna.

The negligent hay makers, in which from preſent appearances, we may claſs 3-4ths of the occupiers of meadow land within 30 miles of the capital, are woeful ſufferers by the rainy ſeaſon. It is calculated that not one half of the crops has been got in any tolerable order, and that the remainder will be unfit for any thing but the dunghill.

BRIGHTHELMSTONE, July 19.

Boxing Intelligence.

On Monday a battle was fought in the field above the Steyne, between Coffee, alias Brighton Bob, who has been a bruiſer of ſome note at this place, and an athletic young ſeaman, belonging to a veſſel lying off Shoreham.

When the combatants were ſtript, Coffee appeared to have it hollow in weight, but this advantage was evidently counterbalanced by the muſcular activity of his opponent. Their mode of fighting was what might be expected on the firſt appearance. Coffee ſtood to his ground, whilſt the other ſhyed the blows, and generally fell when he made his ſtroke.

By this management, the battle had laſted forty minutes without any decided ſuperiority on either ſide, when a chance blow from Coffee, taking the ſailor on the temple, gave a very ſudden termination to the combat.

The prince, with major Hanger, captain Payne, and a number of other gentlemen, were preſent; but the ſpirit of betting was by no means prevalent on the occaſion.

To the Printer of the Morning Chronicle.
Bella. Horrida Bella.

S I R,

WHILST a convention with Spain, and a commercial treaty with France have ſo much and ſo happily engaged the attention of our preſent able and active miniſters, we may reaſonably ſuppoſe, from the great events, and from the patriotiſm that ſo eminently diſtinguiſhed their adminiſtration, that they will give the earlieſt and moſt ſerious attention to the preſent diſturbances in Holland, which threaten all Europe with the calamity of war, a calamity that is the greateſt plague to ſociety, and the greateſt evil that can happen to a great trading ſtate like this.

That the miniſters of Great Britain will ſoon and duly attend to the ſtorm that thickens in Holland, and endangers all Europe, there cannot be the leaſt doubt, ſince they are indubitably the moſt attentive and patriotic miniſters we have been bleſſed with, ſince the ſhort but glorious adminiſtration of the illuſtrious Chatham, whoſe memory will be dear to Great Britain as long as ſhe has any ſenſe of public virtue.

To ſuppoſe, Sir, that the great misfortune that now convulſes Holland, and threatens it with all the calamity of civil and foreign war, will come to nothing; and that the mediation of foreign powers will happily effect a ſpeedy reconciliation, and quietly reſtore things to their former ſtate of tranquility and confidence, between the ſtadtholder and the Dutch nation, upon the principles of their conſtitution, is indeed ſuppoſing a miracle far, very far, beyond the faith of this writer, who is taught by long experience, and by the recent example of America, to view the ſituation and fate of the Dutch Republic in the moſt ſerious and alarming light; and to conclude, from premiſes ſo clear, that as foreign intervention is inevitable, ſo the great powers of Pruſſia, France, Germany, Great Britain, and conſequently their allies, muſt take an active part, and ſoon or late involve all Europe in another war.

This calamitous event already diſcovers itſelf by the diſpoſition of Pruſſia and France: the former interpoſes in favour of the conſtitutional power of the prince ſtadtholder; and the latter in behalf of the conſtitutional authority of the people, in conſequence of the recent alliance of the French and Dutch nations.

PHILOCLETES,

June 29, 1787.

A M E R I C A.

L E X I N G T O N, (Kentucke) Auguſt 16.

A few days ago colonel Benjamin Logan received an expreſs from colonel James Robinſon, commanding officer of the ſettlements on Cumberland, (N. Carolina) containing the following intelligence:

That he was informed by expreſs from the chief of the Chickeſaw nation, and alſo by ſome Indians who had eſcaped from that country, that the Creek, Chechamaga, and ſome other tribes of Indians, had, in a grand council held at Mobile, declared war againſt the ſettlements on Cumberland river, and were to invade that country in the courſe of the preſent month, with all the force they could raiſe. That in conſequence of this determination M'Gillivray, ſuperintendant of the Creek nation, had ſent a party of the Creeks to the Chickeſaw nation with orders to kill Mr. Turnbull, captain Davenport, and every other white man they could find in that country. Turnbull having information by an Indian of their deſign, made his eſcape, but Davenport and four men were killed in the Chickeſaw town, and the whole ſettlement at the Chickeſaw Bluff were cut off, except three. The Chickeſaws, (though mortal enemies to the Creeks) were unable to protect theſe people from their cruelty, being deſtitute of ammunition, but aſſure colonel Robinſon, that as ſoon as they receive a ſupply from Cumberland or Kentucke, they will declare open war againſt that nation. Colonel Robinſon wrote in the moſt preſſing manner for aſſiſtance from this country, urging, that unleſs immediately reinforced, that whole country was in imminent danger of falling a ſacrifice to the ſuperior force of the enemy, an attack from whom they daily expected, as the ſign of large parties had been diſcovered within a few miles of Naſhville.

We have received intelligence which there is every reaſon to believe authentic, that two days after the expreſs left that country, they expected the attack was made; that the Indians had deſtroyed 40 families in one day, and had defeated a party of men that had given them battle, of which few eſcaped; that upwards of 100 Indians were ſeen cutting down corn in one plantation.

The executive of this ſtate, by late inſtructions to the officers of this diſtrict, have directed, as general notice as may be, to be given to the militia under their command—That the time given by law for providing ſuch arms, ammunition and accoutrements as is therein directed, will expire with the preſent year.

Every non-commiſſioned officer and private is by law directed to furniſh himſelf with a good clean muſquet containing an ounce ball, three feet eight inches long in the barrel, with a good bayonet and iron ramrod, well fitted thereto, a cartridge box properly made, to contain and ſecure twenty cartridges fitted to his muſquet; a good napſack, and canteen; and to have at every muſter one pound of good powder, and four pounds of lead, including twenty blind cartridges; and each ſerjeant to have a pair of moulds fit to caſt balls, in their reſpective companies. But the militia of this diſtrict are permitted, in lieu of muſquets, to provide good rifles with proper accoutrements. The arms to be conſtantly kept, and ready to furniſh whenever called for: It is ſuppoſed the commiſſioned officers are well equipped, and already furniſhed with what arms are neceſſary for their own equipment.

B A L T I M O R E, September 7.

Extract from the Votes and Proceedings of the Houſe of Delegates of the State of Maryland.

THE houſe reſumed the further conſideration of the bill reſpecting inſolvent debtors, and on further progreſſion in reading the ſame, the queſtion was put, That the following clauſe be ſtruck out of the ſaid bill: 'And whereas tradeſmen, labourers and others, often obtain credit for ſmall ſums much to their accommodation and comfort, on the proſpect and expectation of their paying the ſame from their gains by labour, which they might do in a ſhort and reaſonable time, but in many inſtances, rather than work even a few months for the honeſt diſcharge of their debts, they have lain in gaol the limited time, and have got diſcharged under the late act for the relief of inſolvent debtors; to diſcourage, and as far as may be prevent, ſuch diſhoneſt practices, Be it enacted, That if any county court to whom application ſhall be made by any debtor to be diſcharged under this act, ſhall, on examining into his circumſtances, his ability to gain by his labour, and the amount of the debts due from him, be of opinion and adjudge that he might by diligent application to his trade or labour, pay off his debts or the greater part thereof, in a reaſonable time, ſuch court ſhall not diſcharge ſuch priſoner by virtue of this act, unleſs ſuch priſoner, beſides giving up his effects as aforeſaid, will enter into contract, ſuch as the court ſhall, on all circumſtances, adjudge reaſonable, for ſervice at his uſual occupation, on which contract the wages or reward for ſuch ſervice, or ſuch part thereof as the court may think reaſonable, ſhall be ſecured for the benefit of the creditors of ſuch debtor; provided, that no widower, having children, or married man, ſhall be obliged to contract for a longer time than twelve months, and that no other perſon ſhall be obliged to contract for a longer time than eighteen months.' The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Oneale, appeared as follow:

Affirmative.

Meſſieurs	Abell	Miller	J. Johnſon
	Chaſe	Taney	Grahame
	Dent	M'Pherſon	Stone
	Owings	Cockey	Ridgely
	Steele	R. Bond	F. Bowie
	R. Bowie	Digges	Quynn
	John Seney	Joſhua Seney,	Jackſon
	Mantz	J. Bond	Love
	Wheeler	Loockerman	Burgeſs
	Oneale	Nicholls.	29

Negative.

Meſſrs.	Hopewell	Perkins	Wright
	N. Worthington	B. Worthington	Stewart
	Polk	Shaw	Pattiſon
	Wallace	Brevard	Paca
	Purnell	Henry	Faw
	T. Johnſon	Hollingſworth	Norris
	Funk	Cromwell	20

So it was reſolved in the affirmative.

The following ACT is inſerted by Order of the Special Commiſſioners of Baltimore-Town.

An ACT *for the more effectual remedy to extinguiſh Fire in Baltimore Town.*

WHEREAS the calamity of fire breaking out in ſo populous a town as Baltimore, is greatly to be dreaded, and every preparation ought to be made by the inhabitants to prevent its ſpreading whenever it doth break out.

§ I. Be it enacted by the general aſſembly of Maryland, That every houſholder within the ſaid town, whoſe real property therein is aſſeſſed to one hundred pounds or upwards, current money, ſhall be obliged to keep him or herſelf provided with two good and ſufficient leather buckets, marked with the owners' names, and hung up near the front door of their dwelling houſe, which buckets ſhall be uſed for no other purpoſe but handing water at fires; and every ſuch houſholder now reſiding within the ſaid town, ſhall be allowed ſix months from the end of this preſent ſeſſion of aſſembly*, to procure the ſaid buckets, and every ſuch perſon, who ſhall hereafter come to reſide in the ſaid town, ſhall be allowed three months from the time of their reſidence and aſſeſſment as aforeſaid, to procure their ſaid buckets.

§ II. And be it enacted, That any perſon of the above deſcription, who ſhall neglect to provide themſelves with two buckets as aforeſaid, after the times allowed by this act to procure them, ſhall forfeit and pay ſeven ſhillings and ſix-pence, current money per month, for every month he or they ſhall ſo neglect to provide themſelves with the ſaid buckets, to be recovered before any juſtice of the peace.

§ III. And be it enacted, That if any of the ſaid buckets be loſt or broke at fires, that the Special Commiſſioners of ſaid town ſhall, out of the fines and forfeitures incurred under this act, replace the ſaid buckets ſo loſt or broke at fires.

§ IV. And be it enacted, That the Special Commiſſioners of ſaid town ſhall be, and they are hereby authoriſed and empowered to ſink or cauſe to be ſunk, wells, and to erect pumps in ſuch parts and places on the ſides of the ſtreets in ſaid town, that are at preſent remote and at a diſtance from water, for the eaſe and convenience of the inhabitants of ſaid town, and the expences thereof to be raiſed and paid by the aſſeſſable property on the ſquare that wants ſuch wells or pumps, to be levied, collected and applied by the commiſſioners aforeſaid, for the purpoſe aforeſaid: Provided always, that the commiſſioners aforeſaid ſhall, in no caſe, proceed to ſinking the wells, or erecting the pumps, on any ſquare, unleſs the majority of the perſons owning property on ſuch ſquare, petition the ſaid commiſſioners for doing the ſame.

§ V. And be it enacted, that all fines and penalties incurred in virtue of this act, ſhall be paid to the Special commiſſioners, to be by them applied to the ſinking wells, and erecting pumps in ſaid town.

§ VI. And be it enacted, That every tenant under leaſe from year to year, furniſhing and ſupplying leather buckets under and in virtue of this act, ſhall be allowed to deduct out of the rent ariſing due to the landlord, the expence of procuring the ſaid buckets, the ſame ſhall be conſidered as the property of the landlord, and not removeable by the tenant on his leaving the premiſes leaſed.

* *The ſeſſion ended May 26, 1787.*

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 17.

The late alarming encreaſe of robberies in this city is a proof of the inefficacy of the wheelbarrow law in its preſent form. So far from being conſidered as a puniſhment, it is viewed with deſire by many poor wretches who are in want of work and ſubſiſtence. The criminals are happier than they ever were before, in their preſent ſituation. They are well fed and clad——are pitied, and of courſe become the ſubjects of frequent and liberal charities. They enjoy likewiſe, as much ſociety with each other, and the ſpectators who ſurround them, as they wiſh for—and from being well doſed with rum (the liquor that firſt ſeduced them into vicious practices) they are ripening every day by new vices to encreaſe the wickedneſs and miſery of our country when the time of their ſervitude expires.

The debate in the general aſſembly reſpecting the petition of Lewis Caſtleman, and the facts ſtated in Mr. Galbraith's letter to the houſe, will ſerve to ſhew how cautious we ſhould be in yielding to our paſſions, before the judgment has been conſulted. The protracted exiſtence of the petitioner naturally excited compaſſion, and there is ſomething in age which promiſes veracity, and calls for veneration. To have been miſtaken in the preſent object, is indeed a melancholy proof of the depravity of the human race; but ſurely the inferrence is not juſt which aſcribes the guilty of deception, to thoſe who have been deceived. For it is with pleaſure that we have ſeen an innocent and deſerving character reſcued from groſs imputation and obliquy; and it is with ſorrow that we have ſeen the laſt ſtage of a life, ſingularly long, polluted with a baſe and wicked action.

On Tueſday laſt ſeveral of the convicts endeavored to make their eſcape by getting into the common ſewer, but after a long and vigilant ſubterraneous purſuit, we are informed they are all reſtored to their keepers.

On Friday laſt, in the general aſſembly, after a very long debate, the bill for erecting parts of Weſtmoreland and Waſhington into a new county was poſtponed, upon the queſtion, whether it ſhould be taken up by paragraphs? Mr. Brackenridge then moved for the yeas and nays: When twenty five appeared againſt the poſtponement and thirty three for it.

The ſtates of Holland and Weſt Frieſland have, in anſwer to the baron de Thulemeyer, miniſter to the king of Pruſſia, declared, that they, as ſovereign of the province, always ſhould act for the good of their country, and make no alterations in any of their reſolutions, by paying regard to the threats or intreaties of any foreign power whatſoever.

N A V A L - O F F I C E, Sept. 5 to 15.

Inwards.

Ship Pigou, Sutton	London
Charles, Pitt	Spain
Proteus, Anderſon	Cape de Verdes
Betſey, White	St. Euſtatia
Brig Monique, Lauga	Guernſey and Madeira
Philadelphia, Strong	Charleſton
Sovereign, Crawford	Cape Francois
Schooner Polly and Ann, White	Baltimore
Catey, Riley	Connecticut
Union, Cirwithen	North-Carolina
Good Hope, Donaldſon	ditto
Victory, O'Niell	Curacoa
Betſey and Polly, Cuningham	Virginia
Mary, Boyd	ditto
Sloop Harriet, M'Cormick	ditto
Little Joſeph, Meredith	ditto
Speedwell, Stoteſbury	ditto
Little Sukey, Harſhaw	ditto
Rebecca, Whittemore	North-Carolina
Barſtow, Newman	Maſſachuſetts
Friendſhip, Connell	St. Euſtatia
Alcey, Vanſiſe	St. Thomas
Brilliant, Waterman	Nantucket
Harriet, Roſs	Antigua
Betſey, Driggs	St. Johns
Betſey, Williams	Connecticut
Dolphin, Carhart	New-York
Mermaid, Watſon	ditto

Outwards.

Schooner Ceres, Baſden	Bermuda
Sloop Sally and Polly, Dunſcomb	Weſt-Indies
Molly, Gamble	ditto
Brilliant, Waterman	Nantucket

Cleared.

Ship Patſey Rutledge, Bell	Cork
Thereza, Paplay	Liſbon
Fortune, Henry	Nova-Scotia
Columbia, Vulphius	New-York
Snow Peggy, Davis	Antigua
Brig John, Stable	ditto
Sophia, Ewing	North Bergen
Friendſhip, Arthur	Barbadoes
Schooner Antelope, Hall	Charleſton
Polly and Ann, White	Maryland
Friendſhip, Hathaway	North-Carolina
Adventure, Juſtice	St. Euſtatia
Induſtry, Ridgeway	Cape Francois
Hunter, Butler	Virginia
Sloop Henry, Colley	ditto
Betſey, Brooks	New-York
Harriet, Billings	Cork
Nancy and Polly, Branſby	North-Carolina
Brooke, Scott	Antigua
Speedwell, Coffin	Nantucket

This Morning,
A T T H E
Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,
Will be Sold, a Quantity of
Yard wide Iriſh Linens,
And ſeveral other Articles, for Paper Money.
September 17
C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Iriſh Linens,
Juſt arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for S A L E by
Roſs and *Vaughan.*
September 15 d

T H I S D A Y,
A T T H E
Northern-Liberty Auction-ſtore,
Will be Sold, a large Aſſortment of Mancheſter
Chintzes and Cottons.
C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.
September 17.

Juſt Imported in the ſhip Harmony,
captain Willet, from London—A Quantity of
Well aſſorted Shot,
And for S A L E by
Forbes and *Morris;*
Alſo, to be Rented, a compleat Compting-Houſe—likewiſe a Store or two, if wanted. Apply as above.
September 15 mftu F. & M.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
(Water ſtreet, juſt above Market ſtreet)
Have received for ſale by the Harmony from London, and other late Arrivals,
RUSSIA, Scotch and Iriſh ſheetings
Iriſh linens, low priced
Raven ducks, ticklenburgs
Sileſias, lace edgings
Elegant pier glaſſes
Whiting, chalk, & excellent London bottled porter
Alſo, an Invoice, conſiſting of luſtereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c. to be ſold at a very low advance.
Likewiſe, high proof Grenada rum, and beſt Burlington pork. September 17 mwf

FOR
Dominica & St. Kitts,
The Sloop WELCOME RETURN,
Richard D. Place, Maſter;
NOW laying at the Old Ferry wharf; will ſail in 8 or 10 days; two thirds of her cargo already engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or to *ELLISTON & JOHN PEROT,*
Who have for ſale, Muſcovado ſugar in hogſheads and barrels, Grenada rum in puncheons, old Antigua rum in tierces, geneva in caſes, cotton, &c.
September 17 eotf

W A S L O S T,
AN Order drawn by *David Rittenhouſe,* eſquire, on *Sharp Delaney,* eſquire, dated March 31, 1787, for 100*l.* in favour of *Thomas Smith.* Whoever has found it, and will bring it to the ſubſcriber, ſhall have *Twenty Shillings Reward.* It can be of no uſe to any perſon, as payment is ſtopped. THOMAS SMITH. Sept 10 1

The F O X C H A C E.

Sung by Mr. INCLEDON, at Vauxhall Gardens.

The Muſic by Mr. DIBDIN.

AT the ſound of the horn
We riſe in the morn,
And awaken the woods as we thunder along.
Yoix, yoix, Tal-li ho,
After Reynard we go—
While echo on echo, redoubles the ſong.
CHO. We waken the woods, &c.

Not the Steeds of the Sun,
Our brave courſers out run—
O'er the mound horſe and hound, ſee us bound in full cry,
Like *Phœbus* we riſe,
To the heights of the ſkies,
And careleſs of danger five bars we defy.

At eve, Sir, we ruſh
And are cloſe to his bruſh,
Already he dies, ſee him panting for breath;
Each feat and defeat
We renew and repeat
Regardleſs of life, ſo we're in at the death.

With a bottle at night,
We prolong the delight,
Much Trimbuſh we praiſe, and the deeds that were done,
And yoix, tally ho!
The next morning we go,
With Phœbus to end, as we mount with the ſun.

A N E C D O T E.

THE little value placed upon money by ſeafaring people in general, is well known—An honeſt Tar, who had lined his pockets with the ſpoils of the enemies of his country, ordered a huge gold ring. When the tradeſman had finiſhed it, he told him it was common to have a *poeſy* engraved on it. Very well, (ſaid the ſeaman) what muſt it be?—Any thing you pleaſe, (replied the goldſmith)——Then, (returned the other) put on it

'When money's low—the *ring* muſt go.'

This was done, and the honeſt ſon of the waves was ſo well pleaſed with the execution of the whole, that he ordered a maſſy pair of ſilver buckles to be made, with rims as broad as the edge of a two inch plank—'and here, (ſaid he) you may as well put a *poeſy* on them a ſo:

'If that won't do—the *buckles* too.'

For *LONDON,*
The Ship H A R M O N Y,
John Willett, Maſter;
FOR freight or paſſage apply to the Commander on board at Meaſe's wharf, or to
Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

This Day is P U B L I S H E D, *by*
Prichard & Hall,
And to be had at *Prichard's* Book-Store and Circulating Library, in Market ſtreet,
(*Neatly bound and lettered—Price 3/9*)
T H E
ALGERINE SPY
In Pennſylvania:
Being the epiſtolary correſpondence between Mehemet, the *ſecret deputy* from the ſublime Porte, reſident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the ſentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the cloſe of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully diſplayed.
The whole tranſlated from the original Arabic manuſcript. By *S. T. P.*
*** *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous cuſtomers, that he has, juſt arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Aſſortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept 17* d

IF *George Carl Frederick Hartmann,* formerly a corporal in the ſervice of the Duke of Brunſwick, and who in the year 1780, reſided in Loudon county, ſtate of Virginia, would apply to the ſubſcriber in Third ſtreet, he will be informed of an event in which he is particularly intereſted.
SAMUEL M. FOX.
Philadelphia, *September* 15, 1787 3taw2w

SECOND NOTICE.
In the caſe of Joſeph Page, Bankrupt.
WHEREAS a commiſſion of bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Joſeph Page, of the townſhip of Paſſyunk, in the county of Philadelphia, dealer, and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the commiſſioners in the ſaid commiſſion named, or the major part of them, on Saturday the 25th day of Auguſt, inſtant; on Monday the 17th day of September next, and on Friday the 5th day of October following, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the ſaid days, at the State houſe in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full diſcovery and diſcloſure of his eſtate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the ſecond meeting to chuſe aſſignees, and at the laſt meeting the ſaid bankrupt is required to finiſh his examination.
All perſons indebted to the ſaid bankrups, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give notice to the ſubſcriber.
By Order of the commiſſioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.
Office, Watkin's-alley, Auguſt 24, 1787. 3

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *Richard Tarbet,* late of this city, merchant, deceaſed, are requeſted to make payment of their balances as ſoon as poſſible; and thoſe who have demands upon ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to produce them to
Iſabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguſon, }
N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for ſale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet's* Importation, in part conſiſting of ſtriped and plain kentings of ſundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be ſold wholeſale, at prime coſt, for caſh.
Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

T O B E L E T,
A Commodious three ſtory Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market ſtreet, between Front and Second ſtreets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN,

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather d Sept 5

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their STORES in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4 4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will sell low for Cash, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1 dtf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses,

New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermaceti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

A few beautiful Dining Setts of

Blue and White

C H I N A,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

C A S S I A,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish

linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases;

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.

Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

G R O C E R I E S,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4, 1787. mwf 1m

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones waranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds. &c. &c.

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons;

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

Rundle and Murgatroyd,

Water-street, just above Market-street,
Have received for sale, by the Commerce from Ireland, and Ruby from London,

IRISH linens and sheetings, in boxes, from 7d 1-2 to 22d sterling per yard
Russia sheetings, dowlas, ticklenburgs
Allum, black pepper, elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, Liverpool salt, and
Excellent London bottled porter

Also, an INVOICE, consisting of Lustereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c.

To be sold at a very low advance. mwf

High Proof RUM

In Puncheons,

Muscovado SUGAR in Hogsheads, and a few

Bags best Green Coffee,

Just arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica, And to be SOLD by

Robert M'Clenachan,

At his Wet Good Store, in Third street, S. W. corner of Arch-street: where he has also for sale sundry other

Articles in the Grocery Line.

July 23. mwftf

William Compton,

In Third-street, between Race and Vine streets, has for sale on very low terms, for cash or short credit,

LONDON pewter, in casks, well assorted
English sail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A case of boys hats, of various colours
A small invoice of best London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, shalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c

A L S O,

Garden seeds of different kinds, rape and canary seeds, &c mwftf

Peter Heissler

Has for sale, at his store in Second street, next door to Messrs. Wager & Habacker—A Quantity of excellent

G U N P O W D E R;

Also, a few Spanish HIDES;—And

Rhenish Wine by the dozen or

quartercask *Sept* 11 1aw7t

Adam Hubley,

In Third street, a few doors below Market-street,

Has for Sale,

LONDON particular Madeira Wine, 5 years old,
Old Hock in bottles
Port wine in bottles and casks
Lisbon and other wines
Spirit 3 years old
Imperial, hyson, souchong, and bohea teas
Raisins in jarrs, and Holland Geneva in cases
Syrups of capilaire, &c. nutmegs, allspice
Sweet Oil, Barbadoes Cayenne, &c.

A L S O,

A few hogsheads high proof Jamaica spirits, and Strong white wine vinegar. 2aw4w

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, fans, fine and second cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratassia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Lacaze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same. August 30. 2awtf

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,

At their store on Mease's wharf, the second below the Drawbridge,

Pennsylvania refined Barr Iron,

Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughshare moulds with and without bars
English, German, and American steel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } *STOVES*
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other castings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum, sugar, coffee, &c. August 29. eotm

Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the last importation from the East-Indies,

To be Sold by Charles Wharton,

At his Store near the Drawbridge,
Who has also for sale, a large assortment of

Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Lisbon Wine in quarter casks, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c. 2aw5w

James Newport,

At his Distillery-Store, in Front-street (west side) six Doors above Arch-street,
Has by Wholesale and Retail, of very best Quality, at the lowest Rates,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Teneriffe } Wines	Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Jamaica Spirits	Cinnamon Water
West India Rum	Anniseed ditto
Philadelphia & New England Rum	Clove ditto
	Orange ditto
Plain Brandy	Pepper-mint ditto
Rasberry ditto	All-Fours
Cherry ditto	Spirits of Wine
Gin in casks and cases	

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.

N. B. Good Allowance is made to those who buy to sell again. Aug. 18. 2awtf

TO BE SOLD BY

John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,

The Cargo of the Brig St. John

Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal: Consisting of

Port and Fayal Wines,

Four years old, in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks:

A L S O,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins, Silk serges, Slain and striped lutestrings, Seelongs, Paduasoys and spotted silks } of various colours
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New-England Rum 2aw

James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-street,
HAVE FOR SALE

A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;

A L S O,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the first quality, in cases
Port wine
West India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron shovels, ditto
Pork Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few casks of rice
Salmon
Lynn shoes
Boston iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Brass kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and souchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spanish brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spanish brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of saltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
English and Swedish steel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware assorted in packages
Tin ware in hogsheads
Grindstones
A parcel of gold and silver watches
Russia matts and oacum
Ditto sailcloth
Haircloth for malsters
A quantity of feathers
And a very large Assortment of DRY GOODS.

August 29 2aw6w

John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Rose*, in Walnut, between Second and Third streets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has just received a variety of high scented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will dispose of on very reasonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the present opportunity of returning thanks to those Ladies and Gentlemen who have been so good as to favour him with their custom, and flatters himself his conduct will be such as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the first quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be sold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry's*, Chesnut street, No. 19, between Second and Front streets.

August 13 2awtf

Philadelphia, September 6, 1787.

One Hundred & Fifty Dollars

R E W A R D.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

No.		£.	s.	d.
10717	Reede and Forde, for	176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	3
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	6
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£.5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 806 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed to be taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and 100 *Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

For Grist Mills & other Water Works

On an extensive Plan,
One of the best situations in America is offered

FOR SALE,

Together With

Batsto Iron - Works,

At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the most healthy spots in New Jersey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours sail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the sea by the best inlet on the Jersey coast, is navigable for vessels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; those of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and scows, carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The usual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 shillings per ton. The furnace stream affords plenty of water, in the dryest season, for 3 or 4 pair of mill stones, besides supplying the iron works.——An excellent dam, which has been increasing in strength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well secured from the danger of freshes, and the works are scarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or back water, though the tide swells to the foot of the dam; mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are necessarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the same time illy adapted to the raising of grain for their support, there is, and must continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, shorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the convenience of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more distant markets, will not be overlooked nor considered as of small importance, especially as there are few mill seats of any considerable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently supplied with superfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this seat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York with greater ease and convenience than to almost any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extensive lands annexed to it, is abundantly supplied with wood and ore, is now in blast, and is noted for producing the best hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of castings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron:

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the estate, and stands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine stream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been disused for the last two or three years, may want some repairs to prepare it for use; but the fore-bays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper spot for grist mills, may be appropriated to that use.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a small Grist Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly situated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the surrounding buildings belonging to the estate, such as barns, stables, coal houses, workshops, storehouses and dwellings for workmen. Adjoining the mansion house is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well stored with chosen fruit trees; also a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, mostly grafted.

These excellent accommodations for extensive and profitable manufactories, are offered to sale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the ease of the purchaser, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the said Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomsbury, near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL who has two years and 4 months to serve: she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

August 30 eotf

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiser.*

[Price Four-Pence.] TUESDAY, September 18, 1787. [No. 2689.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays and Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 18 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise

On commission, disposed of at private sale. *Sept.* 18

Public sale of Bankrupt's real Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,

THIS DAY, the 18th day of September, Inst. at six o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest bidder, a Valuable

Tract of Land,

SITUATE in Wheatfield township, in the valley of Ligonier, and county of Westmoreland, containing 405 acres and 5-8ths, with allowance. This land was warranted and surveyed in the year 1786 for Claudius Paul Raguet, and is now sold as property belonging to his estate. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered to the purchaser free from any expence. Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Assignee of the estate of Claudius Paul Raguet, A Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are desired to make immediate payment to the subscriber, who will be under the necessity of commencing suits, in a short time, against all delinquents.

Philadelphia, Sept. 18, 1787 R. R. 2aw

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House, THIS DAY*, the 18th day of September Inst. at 6 o'clock in the evening,

Will be Sold to the Highest Bidder,

The Life Estate of Joshua Pusey,

A Bankrupt, in the following Property:

A WELL finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, on the north side of Pine street, between Second and Front street now in the tenure of Mrs. York, and rents at 50l. and the taxes per annum: the house is 20 feet front by 32 feet deep, and built over an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide, of which it has a privilege. The lot is 80 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of 40*s.* sterling per annum.

A well finished two story brick house and two story brick kitchen, situate on the south side of Queen street, in the Southern-liberties of this city, between Front street continued and Swanson street, now in the tenure of Mr. Frederick Bird, and rents at 35l. per annum: the house is 22 feet front by about 30 feet deep, with the privilege of an alley 3 feet 10 inches wide. The lot is 90 feet deep, and subject to a ground rent of ——— per annum.

A lot or Stamper's lane, in the township of Moyamensing, and about two miles from the city, containing two and a half acres of good meadow ground, is now leased to Mr. William Brouger, for the term of 5 years from the 1st day of March, 1784, at the rent of 15l. specie per annum. Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee
of the estate of Joshua Pusey, a Bankrupt.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are required to make payment to the subscriber, on or before the 1st day of October next. Those who neglect to comply with this request will be proceeded against as the law directs. R. R.

Philadelphia, Sept. 18, 1787 th&tu.tf

On Friday Next,

The 21st Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,

Will begin the sale of an

Assortment of Merchandize:

The stated days of sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture.

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and no other time. *Sept* 18.

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

Philadelphia, September 8, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at the Merchants' Coffee-House, in the city of Philadelphia, on Saturday the 22d instant, at 7 o'clock in the evening, the following Messuages and Lots of Land.

N°. 1. A certain new two story brick house and lot or piece of land, situate in the district of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, at the south-west corner of Delaware Third-street and Cedar (or South) street, containing in breadth north and south on Third-street 20 feet, and in length or depth on South-street 42 feet, bounded eastward by the said Third-street, southward by a lot lately let to Daniel Kewer, westward by ground of Richard Moseley, and northward by South-street aforesaid; subject to ———

N°. 2. Also a brick messuage, a kitchen, a frame messuage and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Vine-street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, from the river Delaware, in the Northern-Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front 87 feet, and in depth 120 feet; bounded on the east by ground of William Lawrence, on the west by Eighth street, on the north by ground of ——— Summers, and on the south by Vine-street aforesaid. Taken in execution as the property of Charles Julian de Longchamps, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

Treasury of the United States,

May 14th, 1787.

THE Commissioners of the Board of Treasury of the United States, give notice, That on the 21st day of September next will be exposed to Sale, at the place where the United States in Congress may hold their sessions—The following Townships and Lots of Lands in the Western Territory, which were surveyed last year, under the direction of the Geographer General of the United States, viz

FIRS RANGE.	
N° 3, containing	4350 acres.
SECOND RANGE.	
No. 1, containing	1386
2	5434
3	8598
5	21139
6	23040
7	23040
8	22886
9	18644 1-2
THIRD RANGE.	
No. 1, containing	6596
2	11797
3	14482
5	23040
6	23040
7	23040
8	23040
9	23040
10	23040
11	23040
12	23040
FOURTH RANGE.	
No. 1, containing	4574
2	21350
3	23040
7	23040
8	23040
10	23040
11	23040
12	23040
13	23040

The admirable quality of these lands, and the favourable climate in which they are situated, are too well known to need description. The conditions of sale are as follows, to wit.

1st. The townships or fractional parts of townships throughout the different ranges, will be sold either entire or in lots, in alternate order; that is to say, where a township, or fractional part of a tonshwip, is sold entire, the next will be sold in lots, agreeably to ordinance of the 20th of May 1785.

2d. The lands are not to be sold under a dollar per acre, payable in gold or silver, or any of the securities of the United States.

3d. The purchasers are to pay the charges of survey, which are to be estimated at thirty-six dollars in specie, or certificates as aforesaid for every township; and in the same proportion for fractional parts of townships or lots; this payment to be made at the sales, and in case of failure, the lands to be again exposed to public auction.

4th. One third of the purchase money is to be paid at the time of purchase; and the remaining two thirds in three months after the date of the sale; on which payment a certificate shall be given by the Treasurer of the United States, which shall entitle the person to whom the same is given to receive from the Commissioners of this Board a proper title; provided, that if the second payment is not made at the time above specified, the first payment is to be forfeited, and the land on which the forfeit accrued be again set up for sale.

5th. The platts of the townships will be marked by sub divisions into lots of one mile square, or 640 acres, and numbered from one to 36, and out of each township Lot No. 8, 11, 26 and 29, are to be reserved for future sale; Lot No. 16, for the maintenance of Public Schools within the respective townships, and out of every fractional part of a township, as many lots of the same number as shall be found therein. There will also be reserved to the United States one third part of all gold and silver, lead and copper mines.

Proper maps and descriptions of the lands will be exhibited at the time and place of sale, and the sales will continue from day to day until the whole are sold

Samuel Osgood,
Walter Livingston, } Commissioners.
Arthur Lee,

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica.

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses,

New-England rum lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

For *Hobs-Hole, Port Royal, & Fredericksburg,* (Virginia)

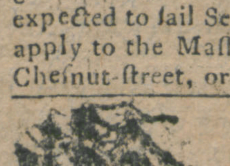
The Sloop SPEEDWELL, Stotesbury, Master; Will sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Walnut-street wharf, or

Sept. 13. 4t J. & WALTER PAYNE.

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*, *William Brougham, Master;*

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY*.



For London,

The Ship PIGOU, Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master. Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper, Aug. 30. ett

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

About fifty hogsheads of good and sound

MOLASSES,

Just Arrived from Hispaniola, on board the Brig Sovereign, captain Samuel Crawford, laying at Willing, Morris and Swanwick's wharf,

Will be Sold by the hogshead,

Or a larger quantity, —Also,

Old Madeira Wine by the half pipe

And a few cases of Good CLARET.

The sale to begin this day (Sept. 13) eo3t

Just arrived, and for Sale by

Benjamin Fuller,

A small Parcel of

CARRACCA COCOA,

And a few Bags of excellent

Cotton of the first quality.

September 14 6teop

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.

Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY

Barclay, Brown & Co.

July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,

A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather. d Sept 5

A few beautiful Dining Setts of

Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

Benjamin Mason

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-street,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spanish hides, soal leather
Cordage of various sizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee snuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Silesia linens and sail cloth
Also, mahogany, fustick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks, Senneca snake root in hhds. &c &c.

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

Imported in the ship Pigou, captain Sutton, from London, by

Peter W. Gallaudet,

Now opening for sale at his store in Second street, 2d door below Chesnut street,

A Variety of seasonable Goods, *viz.*

ROSE blankets assorted	Moreens, durants and jeans
Spotted and green rugs	Black, dark blue, bottle green & drab coloured super. cloths } retail
Striped blanketing	
Blue and red duffils	
Kerseys & kendle cottons	Sattinets and florentines
Broad and narrow cloths	Scotch & coloured threads
Rattinets and shalloons	Light, cloth coloured and black sewing silks, a large assortment, at low prices
White and brown buckrams	
A variety of printed cottons	Skeleton and lb. cap wire
	Cotton checks
Calicoes and chintzes	Chinnese ribbons
Printed linen handkerchiefs	Mens beaver gloves
	Womens leather and silk gloves and mitts
Black and coloured silk dit	
Furniture cottons with fringe, tassels and line	Sattins and modes
Bed bunts & fine tickens	Glossey cypress French net, crape and striped gauzes
Counterpanes and Marseilles bed quilts	

Also, for Sale,

A few casks sheathing nails
Maxwell's Scotch snuff in kegs, bladders and bottles
A large, fine toned harpsichord, neatly finished
Scotch carpets of most sizes, &c. &c Sept 12 3tf

A Merchant-Mill and Saw-Mill

To be sold, with about 50 Acres of *LAND*, lying in Little-Britain township, Lancaster county, and state of Pennsylvania.

THE Mill is in good repair for making superfine flour, having two pair of stones, one whereof are French burs, with boulting cloths, all in order, and is in a good neighbourhood for grain, also very convenient for getting wheat from over and down the Susquehanna, being within half a mile of Peach-Bottom ferry on said river. The Saw-Mill was new built last spring, and is also in a good place for getting of timber.

There is on said place a good stone dwelling house with a log kitchen adjoining thereto; the whole being late in the possession of Thomas Brogden Hugo. Any person inclined to purchase, may know the terms by applying to *Jeremiah Brown*, near the premises, or to the subscribers in Philadelphia.

John Vaughan,
John Barclay, } Assignees of T. B. Hugo.
John Miller,

N. B. If they are not sold before the 17th September, they will on that day be exposed to Public Sale on the spot, by the subscribers. *Sept.* 3 4

Foreign Intelligence.

VIENNA, June 30.

THIS afternoon, about five o'clock, the emperor arrived in this capital from his journey to Cherson. His majesty was not expected before Monday, but it is imagined the situation of affairs in the Netherlands has accelerated his return. This is the more apparent, as his majesty immediately upon his arrival, went to the prince de Kaunitz, with whom he had a very long conference, and, as may be easily imagined, the general curiosity is awake to know the result of their meeting.

BRUSSELS, July 8.

An universal consternation took place here upon the publication of the contents of some dispatches brought by a courier, sent by the emperor from Limberg, in which his majesty testifies his surprise at the state of affairs in the Netherlands, as his majesty declares, that all he had in view by any altercations he proposed to introduce into those countries was for the good of his subjects, and consequently he could not form any idea of the representation made by the different states nor could he approve of what the chancellor prince de Kaunitz had done; that his majesty wished their royal highnesses the archduchess and archduke, together with the count de Belgiojoso, to come to Vienna as soon as possible; to which capital the deputies of all the provinces are also to repair, bringing with them their complaints; and that his majesty, after having conferred with the said deputies, would immediately go in person to the Netherlands, where every thing is in the mean time to remain in a state of suspension. The above dispatches were made public this day.

CLEVES, July 11.

The affront offered to her royal highness the princess of Orange, by stopping her on her journey to the Hague, has, as may be naturally imagined, not a little hurt the king of Prussia, her brother, who no doubt, will insist upon a full satisfaction for the insult; and in order to obtain the same, it is said, his majesty has ordered a considerable corps of troops to prepare to march, some say to the amount of upwards of 40 000 men. The regency and chamber of war and finances of this city, have prepared for the passage of those troops, who are to be commanded by general Gaudi. The peasants have been ordered to bring all their horses to a certain rendezvous, for those to be picked out that are fit for the artillery service, and drivers have been also engaged. The affairs of Holland seem now to be coming to an important crisis, and it cannot in all probability be long before matters are brought to some termination.

LONDON.

July 19. Letters from the continent mention, that there is printing at the city of Nimeguen, at the prince of Orange's private press, a paper, in the form of a manifesto, which is meant to be distributed on the part of the stadtholder throughout the United Provinces, in justification of his late proceedings, copies of which will be sent to all the courts of Europe.

Extract of a letter from Liverpool, July 16.

'A circumstance that happened in the county prison of Gloucester, is much talked of there.——The fact is thus related by the master and turnkey. Daniel Munday committed for house breaking, after the prisoners were locked in their apartments on Wednesday night, was uttering those blasphemous imprecations too frequently made use of in the discourse of the people of this country. His brother reproved him, and said he should not wonder if the devil should fetch his soul that night. He notwithstanding continued his profaneness, and blasting his eyes, said he wished God Almighty might strike him dumb if he did not hang himself. He was not heard to utter another word after this. The next day he did not leave his room as usual. The turnkey went up, and found him in his bed. Supposing he lay there from sulkiness or ill humour, he gave him some blows with a stick. The man then lifted up his head, and with his finger pointing to his mouth, made signs that he could not speak. The turnkey then ordered him to be brought down, and a person of the faculty was sent for, who attempted to wrench open his jaws, but found it impracticable. The wretch had not the power to utter the least noise. He was totally dumb. Blisters and other applications were made to the throat and neck.

'About the middle of the next night he came to his speech, and told a fellow prisoner, that at the instant he uttered the horrid expression, he heard a small voice twice repeat the words 'strike him dumb!' and from that moment his jaws were fixed, and the power of utterance was entirely taken from him.

'This singular incident has made a momentary impression on the rest of his associators; at present there is a total suspension of oaths and imprecations through the whole prison.'

July 25. The Spanish ambassador has ordered a considerable quantity of goods, of different denominations, to be purchased, in order to be sent to the Musquito Shore, for presents to the Indian tribes.

To the honor of the admiralty of England, be it known, that the formidable fleet, which has been equipping for these *seven weeks*, in our principal harbours, is now nearly ready for sea! It consists of Six Ships of the Line, and Two Frigates!

A letter from Philadelphia, dated June 4, says, 'Scarce any money is to be got, except paper, which is at a discount of 12 per cent. the merchants have for that reason raised the prices of their goods. Very little business stirring, and but few ships in the Delaware. My relation has large sums owing him by people of great property, who will not pay their just debts, and the laws are insufficient to compel them. A convention of delegates from the different states have met, and General Washington is chosen president. We are in expectation that something will be attempted to put our trade on a better footing, or shortly we must give over crediting our neighbours, very few of whom have any pretensions to be stiled 'the noblest work of God.'

Few people will imagine lord Dunmore is about to commence Merchant; yet an entry in his lordship's name was last week passed at the custom-house for

Five hundred weight of wrought iron.
Ten pounds weight of printed books.
Sundry wearing apparel.

With household furniture, value 1000l. in the Mercury, John Gillespie, per New Providence.

The fact is, the above articles are such as his lordship will have occasion for during a short residence which he is going to make at New Providence, as governor of the Bahama Islands.

A very curious system of domestic enjoyment is at present practised in the neighbourhood of Soho. A gentleman who returned a few years since from India, without the wealth of a nabob, but with sufficient, however, to make life comfortable, is so far tinctured by the manners of the East, that though he is married, he actually makes his house a complete haram; and what is very extraordinary, with the entire concurrence of his *cara sposa*. The number of his fair associates is confined to six, who all sleep in different beds in the same room. His wife and himself occupy a bed also in the same room, which the other beds surround at equal distances, in a circle, and whenever any tender impulse seizes him, he quits his wife without ceremony, and goes to the favorite of the hour. The most perfect harmony prevails in this singular society, and they all enjoy their domestic repasts together, the husband sitting at one end of the table, his wife at the other, and three of the females on each side. The fair tenants of this mansion, however, enjoy an advantage over the usual inhabitants of similar places in the East, for they are freely permitted to go abroad singly whenever any domestic occasion may require, but the wife constantly attends to guard them from the seductions of the world. Our readers will probably deem this a mere romantic tale, but we have every reason to believe, that it is strictly veritable in every particular, and if we should hear more of the interior regulations of this extraordinary family, we shall certainly communicate the information for the benefit of those favorites of fortune, who may not know how to escape the curse of *ennui* in their domestic retirements.

Yesterday noon the Inquest met at Newgate, to sit on the body of Dr. Elliot, lately tried at the Old Bailey for shooting at Miss Boydell, when the jury returned 'Died by the Visitation of God:' and orders are accordingly given for his interment.

LORD GEORGE GORDON.

The following are the original orders which the Burgomasters of Amsterdam delivered to the sheriff, to communicate to Lord George Gordon, at his lodging of Moses Opden Berg, (Moses on the mountain) written in French and Dutch, on the 11th of this month:——

'*Monsieur Gordon,*

'Je vous ordonne, de la Par de Meseigneur le Bourgemaitre de cette ville, pour y sortir dans les tans de d[illegible] fois vainte quatre Eure, & de la jurisdiction d-isi.

'TEILLIER.

Amsterdam, Le 11 Julliet, 1787. Huissier.'

N. B. Our readers will readily observe the misspelling and ungrammatical construction of the above; but it is the exact copy of the original, which is in our hands, as well as the Dutch, which contains a contraction about the time specified for his lordship's departure.

'*Mynheer Gordon,*

'By order van de Edl. Groot Achtb. Heeren Burgemeesteren deser Stad, ordenen ik u Ed. ombermínde tyt van 24 uuren deser Stad & juridictio te apsenteeren.

'SEIG. TEILLIER, Fod,'

Amsterdam, 11 July, 1787.

'*My Lord Gordon,*

'By order of the High Esteemed Lords the Burgomasters of this city and jurisdiction, I am desired to acquaint your lordship, that you are to absent yourself from this city within the space of twenty-four hours.

Signed 'TEILLIER, Sheriff's Officer.'

Amsterdam, July 11, 1787.

Lord Geo. Gordon on receiving the above, advised with his friends in Amsterdam, who counselled him to set off next day to the Hague, where he communicated this despotic proceeding of the French Dutch patriots, to Sir James Harris, the English ambassador. Sir James very kindly offered his lordship a free passport to England, and advised his leaving the Hague, as the States of Holland were as prevalent there as at Amsterdam.

A branch of traffic, which bids fair to bring singular advantages to this country in her connections with the Russians, has been begun, by the sailing of two of the East India company's country ships from China to Kamschatka. This is the more to be applauded, as the French had made themselves sure of establishing a similar trade, and of being, in consequence of a treaty with the empress, the only European nation concerned in it. If the empress should conceive it proper to confine this new channel of commerce to her dominions, we may reckon up it as good as secured to the English East-India company.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 18.

General Assembly,

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

THE following bills were compared at the table, and enacted into laws, viz. The bill for incorporating the Upper Presbyterian Congregation of Marsh Creek; the bill for the relief of Paul Hauseman, an insolvent debtor in Lancaster goal; and the bill for amending the act for the regulation of general elections, and for altering the act for the better regulation of juries.

The speaker presented to the house a letter from Robert Galbraith, setting forth that, in justice to the character of Mr. George Wood, the writer was induced to inform the legislature, that he had formerly been applied to by Lewis Castleman, whose petition was presented on Friday the 7th instant, respecting the grievances of which he therein complained; that he had at first been deceived by the old man's allegations, and undertook to prosecute his claim; but when he examined the witnesses that were produced to support it, and had otherwise canvassed the business, he discovered that there was not the smallest pretext for impeaching the conduct of Mr. Woods, or for instituting a suit at law. He had therefore peremptorily declined to embark in the cause; and he was informed that another gentleman of the law, having made the same enquiry, had pronounced the same refusal. With respect to the character of Lewis Castleman, Mr. Galbraith observed, that he is of a litigious and troublesome humour; and that the evidence of his *ears* and *hands*, if examined, would induce a belief that his iniquities and his infamy were as ancient as his existence.——This letter was ordered to lie on the table.

The memorial of Michael Everly, an officer in the late army, stating that he had been suddenly deprived by a paraletic stroke, of the means of supporting himself, and praying some aid from the bounty of the house, was presented, and ordered to lie on the table.

ESCHEAT BILL.

The order of the day for taking into consideration the bill to declare escheats was called up. The security required from the escheator was fixed at 2000l. and the clause enumerating his fees was committed to Mr. Whitehill, Mr. D. Clymer and Mr. Brackenridge, to estimate and report the proper sums; for, on the one hand, Mr. Whitehill had argued that as this was an appointment of great trust, which required the exercise of professional abilities, and for the faithful discharge of which a very considerable security was stipulated, it became the house to be so liberal in the terms of compensation, that a diligent execution of the office might at all events be secured. The benefit resulting to the public would certainly be in proportion to the vigilance of the escheator, and that in proportion to his reward. It would therefore be a defect in policy to reduce the fees to the strict price of labour; and indeed, the officer must stand in so responsible a situation, that we ought not to render his character merely clerical, by a parsimonious arrangement.

To these opinions it had been answered by Mr. Brackenridge, that though the fees and perquisites of office had never been an object of his study, he was aware that those proposed upon this occasion by the member from Cumberland, would be productive of a profit accumulatively enormous. It is moved that the escheator shall be allowed 2l. for receiving and filing every information; and if the allowance were to stop here, the sum would not perhaps be too great. But this is only the first step of a very long process, in every stage of which the officer will be entitled to a perquisite—for we find a number of blanks left in the same clause, which will generate additional fees, and if he is entitled to 2l. for receiving and filing the information (a writing which cannot exceed the compass of half a sheet of paper) for every precept, certificate, examination, &c. &c. the sum ought on a scale of equity, to be raised, for the labour of each of these will be considerably augmented. What the result of this string of emoluments must be (and let it be remembered that they are incidental to every case) the anticipation of the house must have rendered it unnecessary to calculate. If then it is readily agreed that the honor and credit of the state is interested in rejecting too rigid a rule of payment, it must be conceded on the other hand, that they are equally pledged, to avoid an extravagant and profuse expenditure of the public wealth. Nor does it appear from the establishment itself, that the office is entitled to the extraordinary consideration which has been presumed. For there is not the smallest emanation of judicial authority reflected upon the escheator, by the bill before us; and he seems indeed, to be gifted with powers very little superior to those necessary for a prothonotary of the inquest, which is called to investigate the truth of the information.—It is unfortunate upon the whole that there is not any member prepared to assist the house with a rule which might enable us to proceed with propriety; but the rest of the bill can be discussed, while we wait for the report of a committee upon this clause, so that no great inconveniency will attend a reference, that now seems to be indispensibly necessary. The other parts of the bill being debated by paragraphs, the further consideration was postponed 'till the committee shall make their report.

On motion of Mr. Brackenridge, the petition of Lewis Castleman was taken up, when the following observations were made.

Mr. Brackenridge. Sir, I purpose to move that this petition shall be dismissed; for even were the allegations which it contains strictly true, it is not within the jurisdiction of this house to interpose for the relief of the petitioner. The transaction which it describes amounts indeed to a fraud, that exposes the perpetrator to the criminal process of an indictment, and it is well known that to redress the injury said to have been committed on the right of property, our courts of law are at all times ready to cancel and invalidate a conveyance obtained by insiduous and fraudulent practices. There is then a power established adequate to the punishment of any offence which shall be proved, and to the redress of any wrong which has been sustained upon this occasion; to that power the petitioner must appeal; and, in dismissing his application to the legislature, we must all be convinced that he is not deprived of any opportunity for prosecuting his claims, to which in law or justice he ever was entitled.

But Sir, it must excite in every liberal mind, the highest indignation, when we reflect upon the object and the operation of the memorial upon your table. By such means we find, it is in the power of the lowest and basest of mankind to blast the purest reputation; and under the mask of humble supplication, to propogate a tale of falsehood, and to wage a war of slander. Every defamation, however, that is addressed out of the course of justice, is properly designated a libel; and this wretched production, that came not within the cognizance of the house before which it has been published, may hereafter expose its author, and those who have aided him, to the charge and punishment of malicious libelists. At present I shall avoid troubling the house with any further animadversion, but as I think the introduction of the petition was highly improper, I trust the disapprobation of the house will likewise appear by its immediate dismission.

Mr. Whitehill. Sir, I am aware that the gentleman who has just spoken, intended part of the virulence of his last allusion for me. But in delivering the petition of Lewis Castleman to the chair, I conceive, I only discharged a duty to which my situation as a member of this house has made me liable. I am not conscious of having acted from officious or corrupt motives, and I challenge the member who has dropt a contrary insinuation, to substantiate the charge. If I have contributed to the publication of a libel, let the gentleman institute his prosecution; but in the mean time I shall disregard every menance upon that subject, and freely bid him defiance.

Mr. Brackenridge. Sir, That the petition which has been presented to the house on the behalf of Lewis Castleman, is of a libellous nature, cannot be a question with any man who comprehends the meaning and extent of the language in which it is expressed. Nor can the right that every citizen enjoys of representing his case to the legislature, be extended to sanctify and tolerate impertinent traductions of private character; for, if the object of the application is not within the constitutional power of this house, it is merely the same in justice and in law, whether the defamatory writing is communicated to us in our collective or in our individual capacities, to 50 men within these walls, or 50 without. If the extent of the mischief indeed, is to be considered, how infinitely less culpable is the private slander than the bold and public method of attack, which carries with it indeed, so authoritative an appearance, that the unfavourable impression it creates is not easily to be eradicated. He then, who is in any degree accessary to the propagation of this species of libel, ought certainly to participate in the punishment, since he is a partner in the guilt; and tho' I have not well digested the subject, I am inclined to the opinion, that even being a member of this house, is but a sorry extenuation of the offence, for it is certainly in his power to decline the task if it is opposed either by his judgment or his conscience. But, Sir, it gives me pain to conceive that in this transaction, there has been a conspiracy to fix an odium on the character of Mr. Woods, and that Lewis Castleman is the least important person employed in the infamous drama. The manner in which the petition was introduced to the legislature, the curiosity that has been excited by the age of the petitioner, and the picture which has been drawn of his life and circumstances in the public prints, evidently to interest the feelings and passions of the people, are circumstances that strongly support me in the assertion. But for the sake of justice, for the honor of the house, I hope this opportunity will be employed, to counteract so iniquitous a project.

Mr. Fitzsimons, (who came into the house after Mr Whitehill had done speaking)

Sir, I was not present when the petition of Lewis Castleman was introduced; nor do I know by what member it was offered to the chair. When therefore, I express my disapprobation that ever it should have disgraced your table, it cannot be supposed that I intend to make any personal reflection. I am persuaded indeed, that inadvertently I might myself have been the means of intruding a similar paper upon the house, for in the duty of presenting petitions we too often make the representation of the party without a critical examination of the contents. This occasion however, will furnish, I hope, a profitable lesson to the members, for which of us would not reproach himself for being instrumental in this manner to the depreciation of an honest man's character, or the violation of a good man's tranquillity?—I am persuaded that it is not the disposition of any member to pursue so invidious a step, but were it proposed to take the yeas and nays upon the present question, our records must be made an evidence of the allegations contained in the petition, but nothing would appear to prove their wickedness and fallacy. It is to be regretted, upon the whole, that the paper was ever admitted into the house, and I heartily concur in the motion to dismiss it with marks of disapprobation.

Mr. Whitehill. Sir, I am neither ashamed or afraid to declare that I was the person who introduced this paper to the house: but does it follow from that act, that I must either suffer the reproach of entertaining a dishonorable design to wound the peace and character of a fellow citizen, or condescend to plead my ignorance of the truth and circumstances of the petition, in order to appease the indignation which it has suddenly inspired? I repeat, Mr. Speaker, that I consider it as a part of the duty imposed upon every representative of the people, to communicate the sentiments of his constituents, collectively or individually, to the legislature; for otherwise the right of petition and remonstrance expresly reserved in our great political compact, must become visionary and delusive. If then, it was my duty to present the memorial of Lewis Castleman, it is disrespectful to the people, it is disrespectful to this house, to make the discharge of that duty a ground for personal reflection. But in truth, Sir, 'till a few minutes before this obnoxious paper was read by your clerk, I had never the slightest knowledge of the petitioner or his petition. I was called from my seat, and informed that an ancient man, of 109 years, was soliciting an opportunity to present a prayer to the house. I saw his person, and I felt an involuntary inclination to serve him, arising from motives as laudable and disinterested, as those are mean and despicable which have been hastily ascribed to the part I have acted.——There was however, a difficulty at that time to be surmounted, as the order for the introduction of petitions must be violated if Castleman's was received on that day, but as there was no business before the house, I ventured to mention the case to the speaker, who, affected I am confident with the same sentiments that had influenced my conduct, readily undertook to excuse the breach of order, in favour of so singular an applicant. Such is the history of Lewis Castleman's petition—I hardly understood its purport when I delivered it to the chair, and am at this moment unacquainted with the truth or fallacy of the charge which it exhibits. But as in no part of the transaction, do I perceive the least cause to accuse myself, I can the more easily bear with the unwarrantable accusation of others.

Mr. Findlay. Sir, I was not present when the petition of Lewis Castleman was delivered, but I conceive that the question now before us is merely upon its dismission, though in the course of the argument a more important point has collaterally arisen, respecting the conduct of one of our members and the order of the house. If however, any charge of misconduct is seriously intended, it is evidently improper to blend it with the present motion; and if it is not, it is highly improper to consume the time of the legislature, in idle and unprofitable animadversion.——In dismissing the petition I shall readily concur; and I observe with pleasure, that there is not the smallest room to apprehend the mischief which has been suggested as the consequence of calling the yeas and nays, since the members seem to be unanimous in their opinions upon this subject, and I hope we shall proceed immediately to dismiss it.

Mr. Robinson. Sir, the motion before the house has naturally created an enquiry, that is of a very serious import to the members in discharging their public duty, and therefore I beg leave briefly to deliver my sentiments upon the occasion. I take it then, Mr. Speaker, that as representatives of the people, we are bound to receive and to deliver their communications to the legislature, and that as members of this house we are under an obligation to state the effect of such communications previously to their being delivered. But in neither case do we become individually responsible; for as on the one hand it is the constitutional right of the citizens to have access to their representatives in General Assembly, on the other it is the exclusive province of the house to determine upon the propriety of admitting or rejecting any application which is offered for their consideration.

The question being put, the petition of Lewis Castleman was dismissed by an unanimous vote.

On motion the letter from Col. Mentges, adverting to a former recommendation by council, and praying a compensation for his services as inspector general, was taken up for a second reading, and referred to a committee.

On motion the petition from a number of the inhabitants of West Chester, praying that an act may be passed, ascertaining the boundaries of the county town agreeably to the lines therein proposed, was taken for a second reading, and referred to the county members.

On motion the bill for enabling the commissioners of Chester county to sell a lot of ground therein named, was taken up for a second reading, but on the question, shall it now be debated by paragraphs, it was resolved in the negative.

The house adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at half past 9 o'clock.

We have the heart-felt pleasure to inform our fellow citizens that the Fœderal Convention adjourned yesterday, having completed the object of their deliberations—And we hear that Major W. Jackson, the secretary of that honorable body, leaves this city for New-York, this morning, in order to lay the great result of their proceedings before the United States in Congress.

A correspondent expresses his concern, that any proposition should have been made in the general assembly, for opening and prolonging the time for officers and soldiers to draw their donation lands, beyond the time allowed by law; he fears it will make many delay their application, on account of the advance they must make for the surveying fees—and at last be shut out; for certainly the measure will never be adopted by the legislature, as the same principle would unquestionably go to open again the door to the accounts for depreciation, and other numerous claims upon the public, which are barred and excluded by this state, and by the United States.

A Mezzotinto Print of His Excellency GENERAL WASHINGTON, done by CHARLES WILSON PEALE of Philadelphia, from a portrait which he has painted since the sitting of the Convention, is now compleated: the likeness is esteemed the best that has been executed in a print.——This is one of an intended series of prints, to be taken from Mr. Peale's collection of portraits of illustrious persons, distinguished in the late revolution. Those of His Excellency Doctor Franklin and the honorable the Marquis de la Fayette, have been already published.

The price of these prints, in a neat oval frame, (the inner frame gilt) is two dollars each, or one dollar for the print only: and a large allowance will be made to those who purchase to sell again.—Apply to Charles W. Peale, at the corner of Third and Lombard streets, Philadelphia.

‸ The printers in the several states, who are desirous of encouraging the fine arts in America, are requested to publish this as an article of intelligence; which will oblige the numerous friends of the General.

The states of Holland and West Friesland have, in answer to the baron de Thulemeyer, minister to the king of Prussia, declared, that they, as sovereign of the province, always should act for the good of their country, and make no alterations in any of their resolutions, by paying regard to the threats or intreaties of any foreign power whatsoever.

By private letters from Holland, dated July 22, 1787, we are informed, "that propositions are presented to different towns and provinces to re establish the old constitution so far that the sovereigns in every province shall chuse officers for the sea and land services and never to set an upper admiral or general over them, but state deputies will be appointed with the secret orders of the sovereign in the fleets and in the armies—and the government in the several towns to be chosen by the votes of the citizens and the Gildens, which are the societies of tradesmen of every denomination. At the same time there shall be a general congress to rectify the abuses crept from time to time into the different parts of government, when without partiality the offspring of ancient families will be chosen, if they by their abilities and good conduct deserve it; and others for their capacities though of foreign extraction, provided they have had their residence in the country the time which the law requires, will with equal impartiality be elected. Thus the states will without mediation of foreigners, settle their differences by their sea and land forces, with their command of money, which is very properly called the nerves of a long war, and the successful means of inducing every German to engage with spirit in the service of those patriots, who will set them the example in fighting in the glorious cause of liberty, as his Britannic majesty and ministers experienced in the late war when they were paid and hired to serve tyranny and oppression, but afterwards shewed their fond love for liberty by their desertion and flying at once from English service and German slavery. Thus will the republic of Netherland (for their prosperity has always been envied by nations and kings) settle their own affairs, and establish their liberty and independence on a solid foundation.

‸ The American Philosophical Society will hold a special meeting This Evening, the 18th inst. about 7 o'clock, at the house of his excellency Dr Franklin. The business requires a general attendance of members.

Sept. 18. SAMUEL MAGAW, Secretary.

FRIDAY September 13, 1787.

was brought for sale, by a likely negro Man, to Joseph Cooke, silversmith, in Second street—Two Silver TABLE SPOONS, and on Joseph Cooke asking him who the spoons belonged to, he replied, to one Boston, in Carter's alley. Said Joseph Cooke told him to bring the owner and he would pay for the spoons, but would stop them till he did: on which the Negro said he would bring the owner, but has not. On Enquiry the Spoons does not belong to Boston, therefore it is presumed they are stolen. The owner may have them by applying as above, and paying for this Advertisement. Sept 17

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening.

(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw-mill, which might with much ease and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept 17* eptf

University of Pennsylvania,

August 20, 1787.

The Medical Lectures

will begin on the first Monday of November.

Robert Bass,

HAS this day imported in the Harmony, Captain Wilie, from London, a small Case of pure, genuine

Red Peruvian Bark.

He will receive by the next vessel from London, a full supply of fresh Drugs, Medicines, and Shop Furniture, to compleat his assortment till next spring.

Sept. 18 eotf

To be Seen near the new Chapel,

A young Kitten,

Of the brutal creation; the head and shoulders like a cat, the hind parts like a rabbet, and has two tails. Children one penny, almost grown children 2 d. gentlemen and ladies what they please. *Sept* 17 r

For Norfolk,

(Virginia)

The Schooner ELEANOR,

John Burke, Master;

TO sail in five days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Fisher's wharf, or to

Sept 18 5sp *DEAVES, BAKER & ABELL.*

FIRST NOTICE.

In the Case of Joseph Deane,

BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *Joseph Deane*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Tuesday* the 18th day of September inst. on *Thursday* the 11th day of October following, and on *Monday* the 29th day of the same month, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State-house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts: at the second meeting to chuse assignees; and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

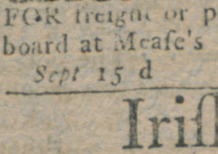
All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Office in Watkins's alley, Sept. 17 1787 18 8 22

THOSE gentlemen who are appointed to receive subscriptions for the encouragement of American manufactures, are requested to collect the money subscribed, and to pay whatsoever monies they may have received, into the hands of John Nixon, esquire, treasurer, as soon as possible.

By direction of the Board.
GEO FOX, Sec'ry.



For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY,

John Willett, Master;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

Irish Linens,

Just arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Ross and *Vaughan.*

September 15

This Day is PUBLISHED by

Prichard & Hall,

And to be had at *Prichard's* Book Store and Circulating Library, in Market street,

(*Neatly bound and lettered—Price* 3/9)

THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennsylvania:

Being the epistolary correspondence between Mehemet, the *secret deputy* from the sublime Porte, resident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the sentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the close of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully displayed.

The whole translated from the original Arabic manuscript. By *S. T. P.*

‸ *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous customers, that he has, just arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Assortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

ALL KINDS

Of Public Securities bought and sold. Money borrowed and lent on approved security, and negotiated so as to accommodate the parties. Certificates, State and Dollar Money furnished for the Land-Office, on the lowest terms, by

Francis White.

Chesnut street, near the Bank. d

Fayette County Taxes for the Year 1787.

A TRANSCRIPT of the returns and assessment of the lands of non-residents in the county of Fayette, agreeably to an act of assembly, passed Sept. 11, 1786, is now published in the Freeman's Journal, No. 334. Printed by Mr. *Bailey*, Sept. 12, 1787.

ALL persons concerned are hereby required to pay the taxes for the present year, on their lands in said county, into the state treasury, before the 12th day of November next; when the names of the delinquents will be transmitted to the commissioners of the county, that they may proceed to enforce the payment as the law directs.

DAVID RITTENHOUSE, State Treasurer.

Philadelphia, *September* 12, 1787. 1aw4t

Thirty Dollars Reward.

LAST night the house of the subscriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A silver coffee pot, a silver tea pot, a silver cream pot marked E K. in a cyher, 5 table spoons, a soup spoon and 7 teaspoons, all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table spoon marked P. R. K. three teaspoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of sugar tongs, a large silver waiter, a small silver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a silver pint Can, a silver porrenger, three silver tops taken from castors, a silver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by

REBECCA KEARNY.

Philadelphia, *September* 2 2w3taw

Just arrived and to be sold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of

Cape of Good Hope WINES.

September 7 2aw3tw

FIRST NOTICE.

In the Case of John M'Clelan,

BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against John M'Clelan of the town and county of York, merchant and trader; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on Tuesday the 2d day of October next, on Tuesday the 23d, and on Monday the 29th days of the same month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of the said days at the State-house, in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts: at the second meeting to chuse assignees; and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS Clerk.

Bankrupt-Office, Sept. 17, 1787. 18 18 22.

Patent Medicines

SOLD BY

WILLIAM POYNTELL,

In Second street, between Market and Chesnut streets, the Corner of Black-Horse alley:

MAREDANT's Antiscorbutic Drops; a sovereign remedy for the sea and land scurvy, pimpled faces, scorbutic gout, rheumatism, inflamation of the eyes, and all disorders arising from the foulness of the blood.

DOCTOR MORRIS's celebrated Fever Drops; a certain cure for every species of fevers, old inveterate coughs, consumptive habits, complaints of the stomach and bowels, nervous head-achs, and intermitting fevers and agues.

The above two medicines are in high reputation in Great Britain, as affording certain relief in the above disorders; and it is not doubted but a fair trial of them would afford essential relief to the afflicted in this western world—Pamphlets, containing innumerable, but well attested extraordinary cures performed by them, may be had of said *Poyntell*, where the disordered may probably find many cases similar to their own. A constant supply of the above two invaluable Medicines will be kept for sale, and a generous allowance made to Country Apothecaries who buy wholesale.

At same Place may also be had—Bateman's drops, Anderson's Scots pills, Hooper's pills, British oil, Godfrey's cordial, Turlington's Balsam, Hungary water, Stoughton's elixir, Haerlem oil, Dr. James's fever powders, essence of pepper mint, Greenough's tincture for the teeth and gums, Hill's Balsam of honey, Hill's American balsam, spirits of sal volat, Van Helmet's fever and ague pills 1aw12w

TO BE SOLD,

FIFTY-SIX acres of good marsh meadow on the island of Tinicum, in two different lots, one of which is about 44 acres, divided into four divisions, chiefly by good drains, lying on the main road leading through the township of Tinicum, and is chiefly in clover, blue grass and timothy. The bank belonging to these meadows is in good order, and easy to be maintained. The other lot is upwards of 12 acres, bounded on the river Delaware, and near the other lot. It is enclosed all round with good ditches, and in excellent mowing order, and produces large crops.

Or if more agreeable to a purchaser, the subscriber would sell the plantation whereon he now dwells, being about six miles from Philadelphia, on the main road from thence to the lower counties. This place contains about eighty five acres, upwards of ten acres of orchard of the best of grafted fruit, nearly in its prime; a large proportion of it is in clover, and the remainder suitable for gardening or any kind of grain. There is on this place about twenty acres of woodland, mostly enclosed for a pasture. The house is large and well situate, having an extensive view of the rivers Delaware and Schuylkill, &c. The barn is large, and there is stabling for upwards of forty creatures; with most other necessary out-buildings. The purchaser may have any reasonable time for payment of a considerable part of the purchase money, for either the meadow or plantation. For further particulars enqeire of the subscriber, PHILIP PRICE.

Kingsess, 5th mo. 19, 1787. 1awtf

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A Genteel *House*, *Brew House*, and *Lot of Ground*, situate on the Delaware, in the city of Burlington, about 400 yards below the town wharf, commonly known and called by the name of *Green Bank*, commanding a most beautiful and agreeable prospect of the river Delaware and borough of Bristol. The *House* is well finished, two stories high, 50 feet front, two handsome parlours below, and three chambers, besides garrets with fire places for servants; each room hath a handsome tiled chimney place and marble hearths, an excellent kitchen, good cellar, a pump of good water in the yard, which is paved with brick, a very convenient milk house, smoke house, stable and carriage house (the loft of which will hold eight tons of hay) with other useful out buildings. The garden is stocked with a variety of plumb, pear, cherry English walnut, and other fruit trees, besides currants, rasberries, goosberries, strawberries, &c. The *Lot* is 50 feet front, 400 feet deep, and 73 feet back and is now in good order. In the *Brew-House* (built only last summer) is a copper kettle which will hold upwards of 20 barrels, besides every necessary apparatus, entirely new, in compleat order and fit for immediate use. A view of the premises will give a proper idea of its value, and the most substantial recommendation that can be had. Apply to Colonel *Cox*, at Trenton, or Messrs *Richard Wells* and *William Sykes*, Merchants, in *Philadelphia*, who have lived in the house.—The terms of payment will be made easy, as the money is not immediately wanted.

JOSEPH BLOOMFIELD.

Burlington, August 30. 5t1aw

New Paper Hanging *MANUFACTORY,*

BY

H. Ryves, J. Ashmead & W. Poyntell,

WHO respectfully inform the Public, that no attention or expence will be spared to render the Variety respectable, the Workmanship good, and the Prices low: and to enable them to prosecute it with that spirit they wish, they hope to share the favours of all who are pleased to Patronise the American Arts.

May be had, in any Quantity, at said *Poyntell's* Store, in Second street, the corner of Black-Horse alley—Who has on hand, the largest Assortment ever offered for sale in these States.

May also be had at *Ryves & Ashmead's*, the corner of Third and Spruce streets.

Orders from Merchants in any of the neighbouring States, will be executed on such terms as to ensure a continuance of their favours.

Philadelphia, June 25, 1787. 1awtf

On the Death of Miss PEGGY ROSS.

METHINKS I hear the sad prophetick bell
Toll the doleful, deep funeral knell
Of some departed friend, whose wearied soul
At last is lodged within its destin'd goal.
Ye mournful muses, clad in sable hue,
Who wear the cypress and the solemn yew,
Attune the music of my trembling lyre
To awful sounds, that real woes inspire—
'Tis Delia's gentle soul that now expires,
And quitting earth, to endless time retires.
Ah! who can hear her tender spirit's fled?
Her body number'd with the silent dead?
And yet deny the sympathetic tear,
Shed o'er the lovely maiden's youthful bier?
Ye blooming virgins—her companions gay,
In life's full prime, and fresh as rosy May,
Feel the deep wound, and heave the rending sigh,
Whilst tears of sorrow gush from either eye.
You feel the poison of th' envenom'd dart,
And solemn woe depresses ev'ry heart.
Your tender bosoms beat with throbbing pains,
And grief's sad current flows thro' all your veins.
Alas! those marks of woe which are imprest
On ev'ry feature, and each feeling breast,
Will nought avail—nor soothe the parting shade
Of the deplor'd and much lamented maid:
Then why this sorrow—these corosive cares?
Heart rending sighs, and floods of chrystal tears?
Why all this grief—this exquisite distress?
Those mournful sounds! why all this wild excess
Of sad dispair? and constant bleeding woe?
Those grievous notes that ever doleful flow?
Can they attone, or bid the maid return;
Or can she hear how much you grieve and mourn?
The roses faded with her parting breath,
And left her wrapt within the arms of death.
Still is the heart that throb'd for others pains;
And still the balm of life within her veins.
Alas! dear nymph, thy blossoms are all flown,
And dim those eyes that once so brilliant shone;
Thy form must crumble in the clay-cold grave;
Nor can thy boasted birth nor fortune save;
But lightly rest the earth upon thy breast,
And when the sun shall quit the rosy west,
Bright Phœbus mounting in the eastern sky,
In solemn pomp shall tread the starry way;
May airy spirits leave the silver wave,
And tune their songs around thy youthful grave,
Then dews descending from the summers skies,
Shall grace with flowers the turf where Delia lies.

Philadelphia, Sept. 9, 1787.

Messrs DUNLAP and CLAYPOOLE,

The above lines were written in a letter to a friend, and intended solely for her inspection; but if you think them worthy of insertion, they are at your service.

ANECDOTE.

THE virtuous, faithful, and wise statesman Cornelius de Witt, deputy of Holland, in the fleet with Admiral de Ruiter and Captain Brackell, the conqueror of Chatham, who with his own hand set fire to the Royal George, the largest and most beautiful man of war, at that time, in the English navy, on the mighty king of the ocean's own river, was accused by the Stadtholder and the mob (which was generally in favour of the house of Orange in their unjust causes) of keeping correspondence with France to the prejudice and injury of his country, being brought (contrary to every principle and by the sentence of judges, who were bribed by the prince stadtholder) to the torture, with unshaken fortitude in the midst of his horrid sufferings, said in a loud voice, 'disjoint, tear my body to pieces, but never shall you make me confess a crime I am not guilty of.' He then proceeded, 'I do cite you all who are conscious of my innocence, before the tribunal of the Righteous Judge of the Universe'—and even when his limbs were quite disjointed on the torture table, and by the means of iron engines and knotted ropes, the cruelest pains were inflicted which ever had been invented; he recited, with the same firm voice these lines of Horace.

Justum, ac tenacem propositti virum,
Non civium ardor prava jobentium.
Non vultus instantis tyranni.
Mente quatit solida ———

Translation.

The man, in conscious virtue bold,
Who dares his secret purpose hold,
Unshaken, hears the crowd's tumultuous cries,
And the impetuous tyrant's angry brow defies.

To be SOLD *by Public Vendue,*

On Saturday the 22d instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the Wharf of Andrew Hodge, in Water street, near Race street,

100 Barrels of Turpentine,

Seized and sold for rent, by
JOHN TEANY, Constable.

Sept 17, 1787. 3t

BOOKS,

Just received by the Harmony from London, and to be sold by

Joseph Crukshank,

JEFFERSON's state of Virginia, illustrated with a map, including the states of Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and Pennsylvania. Knox's Tour through the Highlands of Scotland, and the Hebride Isles in 1786. Interesting Views of Christianity, translated from the French of Bennet, Latin and English dictionaries, and a variety of school books, also a quantity of Imperial, royal, super royal, thick and thin post papers, deep and pale coloured GOLD LEAF.

WANTS employment in a public store, a young MAN, who understands figuring, and writes a very plain legible hand: he has to produce sufficient certificates for his character. Enquire at Alexander Cameron's in South-street, the next door to Mr. Innis's brew house.

A Fresh importation of New Publications elegant 12, 14 and 18 inch Globes, a great variety of New Music, excellent Violin Strings, a capital assortment of warranted Razors, Jewellery, &c. &c are opening for sale at

W. POYNTELL's,

The corner of Black Horse alley, in Second street.

Sept 18 3tp

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *House*, *Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water street between Arch and Race streets. Enquire of John Thompson merchant, in Front street. 3taw3w

To be Sold

For paper money, on credit, or Exchanged for a house in the neighbourhood of Front, Walnut, or Chesnut streets, or for a good vessel.

Two new well-finished Brick Houses;

Situate on Eleventh and Locust streets. Apply to

Campbell & Kingston.

eo1m August 17

P R O P O S A L S

For Printing by Subſcription.

SERMONS,

On the Security and Happineſs of a virtuous Courſe,
On the Goodneſs of God,
The Reſurrection of Lazarus, &c. &c.

By RICHARD PRICE, D. D. L. L. D. F. R. S.

Conſiſting of ten Sermons.

This Work is propoſed to be printed on a good paper and type, and to be furniſhed to the ſubſcribers at *two thirds of a dollar*, bound and lettered, in one neat pocket volume.

As ſoon as four hundred ſubſcribers have given in their names, the work will be put to preſs.

Subſcriptions taken in by *Thomas Dobſon*, and the other Bookſellers in Philadelphia: *Robert Hodge*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charleſtown; and all others intruſted with Propoſals. Sept 13 3aw3w

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ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. Auguſt 25 d

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FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for ſometime paſt kept the Inn in Black Horſe Alley: is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third ſtreet. He begs leave to ſolicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and aſſures thoſe gentlemen who formerly frequented that houſe and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themſelves and horſes, ſhall be furniſhed in the beſt and moſt careful manner, and on the moſt reaſonable terms. 3tawtf

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Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

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IF *Robert Henderſon*, who formerly lived near Pittſburg, and *Mary Henderſon*, wife of *Jonathan Hays*, who lived formerly at Toms creek, in Frederick county, are now alive, they are informed that their Mother, *Jane Henderſon*, is living at Shelburne, in Nova-Scotia, and would be glad to hear from her children above named, or either of them.

Direct to the care of the Rev. Dr. *Welter*, at Shelburne, Nova-Scotia. Aug 22 3ſp

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WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, ſurviving Partner of *Meaſe & Caldwell*, has made an aſſignment of his own, as well as all the eſtates, both real and perſonal, of the ſaid Partnerſhip, to *Robert Milligan*, eſq; attorney at law, and the ſubſcriber, for the uſe of their creditors.——All perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are deſired to ſettle their reſpective balances on or before the 1ſt of October next, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced againſt them without further notice: alſo, thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Partnerſhip, are requeſted to furniſh their accounts to the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets.

JAMES MILLER, *Acting Aſſignee to Meaſe & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787 3taw1ſO

WAS found, and ſuppoſed to be ſtolen, ſundry articles, viz. One ſmall ſilver watch, with an enamelled face; one French gold ſeal: about 30 yards of coarſe unbleached linen: one large 2 gallon copper can, and ſix croſs barr'd handkerchiefs. Whoever has loſt the above articles, by proving property and paying charges, may have them again by applying to

1aw3t ALEXANDER CARLISLE.

A Lad Wanted.

Wanted in a Compting-Houſe, a Lad about 14 years of age, of good character, he muſt write a fair hand, underſtand figures, and be well acquainted in the city. Enquire of the Printers, 2awtf

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WAS Loſt by a Gentleman in the ſpring of 1779, the following Loan-Office Certificates of this ſtate:

No. 28. Jenny Butler, dated April 30, 1779, for 600 Dollars.

No. 1907. Ditto ditto ditto 1000 Dollars.

They were advertiſed, in the year 1780, in the Pennſylvania Packet, but no account has been ſince had of them; and as it does not appear that any intereſt has been drawn on them, they are ſuppoſed to be totally loſt: But ſhould any perſon have them in poſſeſſion and will return them to the printers hereof, they ſhall be amply rewarded. There were a number of other valuable papers loſt at ſame time, in a packet which contained the above. *September 12. 1787.*

ALL thoſe who have any Demands againſt the eſtate of David Schaffer, jun. late of the city of Philadelphia, ſugar refiner, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, for ſettlement; and all perſons indebted to ſaid eſtate are deſired to make payment without delay.

JOHN FROMBERGER, Executor.

Philadelphia, September 13. 1787.

N. B. The ſale of loaf and other ſugars, as well as Molaſſes, is continued at the ſtore of the deceaſed, as heretofore; and there is now a large quantity on hand, which will be diſpoſed of on the loweſt terms. 2aw2m

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Philadelphia, September 7, 1787.

To the *Electors* of the City and County of Philadelphia,

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING had the honor of holding the Office of Sheriff this two years paſt, which I have endeavoured to diſcharge according to the beſt of my abilities, and ſhall continue ſo to do (if continued therein) for which I humbly requeſt your Votes and Intereſt at the enſuing Election, which ſhall be gratefully acknowledged by,

Gentlemen,
Your obedient, humble Servant,

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

To the Curious.

Juſt arrived from the Coaſt of Africa,

A CAMEL;

Full grown, and near twenty-one hands high.

This Animal, of which ſuch frequent mention is made in the Holy Scriptures, and of which there has not been one in this city for near 50 years, is to be ſeen in Shippen's alley (near the Romiſh chapel) next door above George Clymer, eſquire's. Price for grown Perſons 1/6 each, and for Children 9*d* each.

September 14 7ſp

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by aſſignment made over his Eſtate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the ſubſcribers, as aſſignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Thoſe having demands are requeſted to furniſh their accounts; and all who are indebted are earneſtly deſired to make ſpeedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting aſſignee—Who has for ſale on the moſt advantageous terms for caſh, at James Wilſon's ſtore, Second, between Market and Arch ſtreets, a general Aſſortment of ſeaſonable DRY GOODS.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Beaven.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8, 1787 3taw4w

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *George Redpath*, late of this city, deceaſed, are deſired to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have any demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring them in, *legally atteſted*, for ſettlement, to *PETER JANUARY*. Adminiſtrator

Auguſt 28

To be Sold,

PURSUANT to the laſt will and teſtament of Ann James, deceaſed, 12 and an half acres of LAND, fronting Paſſyunk road, about one mile and three quarters from the court-houſe, with a large convenient brick Dwelling Houſe thereon, and a hay-houſe and ſtabling, an apple orchard and ſome other fruit trees. This place lying ſo convenient to Philadelphia market, and the ſoil good for gardening, renders it valuable. The terms of payment will be made eaſy to the purchaſer. Any perſon inclining to treat for the above deſcribed place, may apply to the ſubſcriber in Third-ſtreet, a few doors above Market ſtreet.

3t1aw JOB BACON, Acting Executor.

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, conſiſting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling houſe 50 feet front, with a ſtone ſpring houſe, coach houſe, ſtables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the eſtate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, eſq; deceaſed, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any perſon inclining to purchaſe, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, Broker, in Market ſtreet, near Fourth ſtreet, who will at any time ſhew the premiſes, and alſo give a more particular deſcription of them. July 30 eotf

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Boot & Shoe Manufactory.

THE ſubſcriber informs his Friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his Shop from oppoſite the *City Tavern*, to the oppoſite ſide, two doors below the ſaid tavern, and next door to the corner of Walnut ſtreet, where he continues to carry on his Manufactory in all its various branches. He thanks his Friends and the Public in general, for their generous encouragement ſince his commencement in buſineſs. He truſts that the quality of his work is ſuch as has already demonſtrated his fidelity in his undertaking. He likewiſe continues to ſell his work at the following prices: BOOTS of the firſt quality 48/9, foxed ditto for 56/3, gentlemens' beſt bound SHOES 12/ ſtitched ſeats 14/6, mens common ſtrong SHOES from 8/4 to 11/3, ladies SILK SHOES of the firſt quality 20/, ditto made only, having the ſilk found, for 12/, ladies STUFF SHOES of the firſt quality 12/, common ditto from 8/4 to 10/, childrens SHOES, and all other branches in proportion to the above. Thoſe Ladies or Gentlemen that will pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend upon being ſupplied according to their orders with the greateſt punctuality.

Sept 10 2aw5t *NATHANIEL PRENTIS.*

TO BE SOLD,

A Good Plantation, containing 51 acres, ſituate in Upper Darby townſhip, Cheſter county, about 8 miles from Philadelphia. There are on the premiſes, a two ſtory brick houſe with a kitchen and cellar, a barn, ſtable, a ſpring of good water near the door with a houſe over it, an orchard, 9 or 10 acres of good meadow with water for the ſame, alſo water in all the fields: it is a ſuitable place for a tradeſman or ſtorekeeper, being pleaſantly ſituated cloſe to a public road, leading to and from the city of Philadelphia, in a good neighbourhood and near moſt all places of worſhip. Any perſon purchaſing the ſame may enter the premiſes and have a good title any time between this date and April next.

N. B One half of the Crop of Hay goes with the place. Enquire of the ſubſcriber, living two miles from the above place.

Sept 7 LAWRENCE HOWARD.

Taunton Iron-Works

FOR SALE:

CONSISTING of a Furnace, and Forge adjoining, in exceeding good order; Part of a Saw Mill; 3000 Cords of Wood already cut, and every Article neceſſary for carrying on ſaid Works, with the Tract of Woodland which the Works are upon, and a very large Body of good Ore; the Caſtings and Bar Iron are well known to be equal to any at market.

The above Works are ſituate in Burlington county, Weſt-Jerſey, diſtant 17 miles from Philadelphia and 8 miles from a navigable creek leading to the ſame.

Bar or Pig Iron will be received in payment for a conſiderable part of the purchaſe. For further particulars pleaſe apply at ſaid Works, to

Taunton. May 29. 1awt1. GEORGE HASTINGS.

FOR SALE,

A Valuable, young Bay Horſe, good for ſaddle or chaiſe, well marked and of a good ſize. Enquire at the Croſs Keys or Harp and Crown, Third ſtreet, 9th mo. 12

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

MY warmeſt thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by chooſing me one of your Repreſentatives in the General Aſſembly theſe three years paſt; permit me now earneſtly to ſolicit the favour of your Votes and Intereſt at the enſuing Election, to place me on the Return with the preſent Sheriff, for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen*,

Your moſt obedient and moſt humble Servant

William Will.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 6, 1787

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and ſolicit a Continuance thereof as the enſuing Election, for the *Coroner*'s Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 25, 1787 eotf

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.

A BEACON being deemed neceſſary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation; Notice is hereby given, that Propoſals will be received at this Office until the 1ſt day of October next, from ſuch perſons as may be diſpoſed to undertake the ſame by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at ſaid Office. 3taw

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JAMES WITHY,

HATMAKER,

RETURNS his ſincere thanks to his Friends and Cuſtomers, and informs them, he has removed to Third-ſtreet, between Market and Arch-ſtreets, the fourth door from Church Alley, oppoſite Mr. John Dorſey's; where he continues to carry on the Hat Manufactory, as uſual, of beaver, caſtor, half caſtor and felt hats; and makes as great allowance as poſſible to thoſe who purchaſe to ſell again.

N. B. A very good Malt Houſe, Wharf, Stores, and Lot of Ground, ſituate in Marcus Hook, to be diſpoſed of for caſh, or bartered for goods, country produce or manufactures. 2aw7t

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WE, the ſubſcribers, being appointed Auditors by the court of common pleas of Philadelphia county, to audit the accounts and adjuſt the demands of all the creditors of *Peter Smallwood*, late of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, ſhoemaker, and to make ſale and diſpoſe of the Eſtate and Effects lately ſeized upon a domeſtic attachment, wherein *Thomas Towne* is plaintiff, and the ſaid *Peter Smallwood* defendant, do hereby give Notice, that we ſhall meet at the houſe of *Nathan Boys*, in Front ſtreet, oppoſite Union ſtreet, on *Thurſday* the 20th day of September next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, upon the buſineſs aforeſaid, where the reſpective creditors are deſired to attend with their demands legally proved.

MARK WILLCOX,
WILLIAM PRICE,
JOHN DAVIS.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787

TO BE SOLD,

A Two ſtory Brick Houſe and Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Front ſtreet, Southwark, now in the tenure of Alexander Dowe, ſhoemaker. The lot is 16 feet front and 90 feet in depth, ſubject to a ground rent of 6l. per annum.

Alſo, for Sale—ſundry *Tracts of Land* in Northumberland and Bedford counties, Pennſylvania, which are of an excellent quality and abound with beaver dams, ſo as to render them valuable for grazing. Likewiſe, ſeveral other *Tracts of Back Lands*, the whole being the property of *Hubley & Graff*, and by them aſſigned over for the diſcharge of their debts: wherefore, any perſon inclining to purchaſe any part of the aforeſaid property, are deſired to apply to *Benjamin Fuller*, *John Donnaldſon*, or *Benjamin Swett*, who earneſtly deſire all perſons indebted to the aforeſaid *Hubley & Graff*, or either of them, to diſcharge their reſpective debts to prevent further trouble. 1aw2m

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Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING* for *SALE*, a General

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitts
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow, red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
9 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3taw1m

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A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

STORE,

In Third ſtreet, oppoſite Church alley——A freſh Aſſortment of

Muſlins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glaſs, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Liſbon, Port, Calcavella and Weſtern Iſland Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf.

Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough ſhare moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouſe } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings
Jamaica ſpirit, Weſt-India and country rum } by the hogſhead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogſhead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market ſtreets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on depoſits or ſatisfactory ſecurity.

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WE, the People of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish Justice, insure domestic Tranquility, provide for the common Defence, promote the General Welfare, and secure the Blessings of Liberty to Ourselves and our Posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

ARTICLE I.

Sect. 1. ALL legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

Sect. 2. The House of Representatives shall be composed of members chosen every second year by the people of the several states, and the electors in each state shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the state legislature.

No person shall be a representative who shall not have attained to the age of twenty-five years, and been seven years a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state in which he shall be chosen.

Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several states which may be included within this Union, according to their respective numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole number of free persons, including those bound to service for a term of years, and excluding Indians not taxed, three-fifths of all other persons. The actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such manner as they shall by law direct. The number of representatives shall not exceed one for every thirty thousand, but each state shall have at least one representative; and until such enumeration shall be made, the state of New-Hampshire shall be entitled to chuse three, Massachusetts eight, Rhode-Island and Providence Plantations one, Connecticut five, New-York six, New-Jersey four, Pennsylvania eight, Delaware one, Maryland six, Virginia ten, North-Carolina five, South-Carolina five, and Georgia three.

When vacancies happen in the representation from any state, the Executive authority thereof shall issue writs of election to fill such vacancies.

The House of Representatives shall chuse their Speaker and other officers; and shall have the sole power of impeachment.

Sect. 3. The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two senators from each state, chosen by the legislature thereof, for six years; and each senator shall have one vote.

Immediately after they shall be assembled in consequence of the first election, they shall be divided as equally as may be into three classes. The seats of the senators of the first class shall be vacated at the expiration of the second year, of the second class at the expiration of the fourth year, and of the third class at the expiration of the sixth year, so that one-third may be chosen every second year; and if vacancies happen by resignation, or otherwise, during the recess of the Legislature of any state, the Executive thereof may make temporary appointments until the next meeting of the Legislature, which shall then fill such vacancies.

No person shall be a senator who shall not have attained to the age of thirty years, and been nine years a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that state for which he shall be chosen.

The Vice-President of the United States shall be President of the senate, but shall have no vote, unless they be equally divided.

The Senate shall chuse their other officers, and also a President pro tempore, in the absence of the Vice-President, or when he shall exercise the office of President of the United States.

The Senate shall have the sole power to try all impeachments. When sitting for that purpose, they shall be on oath or affirmation. When the President of the United States is tried, the Chief Justice shall preside: And no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

Judgment in cases of impeachment shall not extend further than to removal from office, and disqualification to hold and enjoy any office of honor, trust or profit under the United States; but the party convicted shall nevertheless be liable and subject to indictment, trial, judgment and punishment, according to law.

Sect. 4. The times, places and manner of holding elections for senators and representatives, shall be prescribed in each state by the legislature thereof; but the Congress may at any time by law make or alter such regulations, except as to the places of chusing Senators.

The Congress shall assemble at least once in every year, and such meeting shall be on the first Monday in December, unless they shall by law appoint a different day.

Sect. 5. Each house shall be the judge of the elections, returns and qualifications of its own members, and a majority of each shall constitute a quorum to do business; but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and may be authorised to compel the attendance of absent members, in such manner, and under such penalties as each house may provide.

Each house may determine the rules of its proceedings, punish its members for disorderly behaviour, and, with the concurrence of two-thirds, expel a member.

Each house shall keep a journal of its proceedings, and from time to time publish the same, excepting such parts as may in their judgment require secrecy; and the yeas and nays of the members of either house on any question shall, at the desire of one-fifth of those present, be entered on the journal.

Neither house, during the session of Congress, shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn for more than three days, nor to any other place than that in which the two houses shall be sitting.

Sect. 6. The senators and representatives shall receive a compensation for their services, to be ascertained by law, and paid out of the treasury of the United States. They shall in all cases, except treason, felony and breach of the peace, be privileged from arrest during their attendance at the session of their respective houses, and in going to and returning from the same; and for any speech or debate in either house, they shall not be questioned in any other place.

No senator or representative shall, during the time for which he was elected, be appointed to any civil office under the authority of the United States, which shall have been created, or the emoluments whereof shall have been encreased during such time; and no person holding any office under the United States, shall be a member of either house during his continuance in office.

Sect. 7. All bills for raising revenue shall originate in the house of representatives; but the senate may propose or concur with amendments as on other bills.

Every bill which shall have passed the house of representatives and the senate, shall, before it become a law, be presented to the president of the United States; if he approve he shall sign it, but if not he shall return it, with his objections to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and proceed to reconsider it. If after such reconsideration two-thirds of that house shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of that house, it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall

be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the perſons voting for and againſt the bill ſhall be entered on the journal of each houſe reſpectively. If any bill ſhall not be returned by the Preſident within ten days (Sundays excepted) after it ſhall have been preſented to him, the ſame ſhall be a law, in like manner as if he had ſigned it, unleſs the Congreſs by their adjournment prevent its return, in which caſe it ſhall not be a law.

Every order, reſolution, or vote to which the concurrence of the Senate and Houſe of Repreſentatives may be neceſſary (except on a queſtion of adjournment) ſhall be preſented to the Preſident of the United States; and before the ſame ſhall take effect, ſhall be approved by him, or, being diſapproved by him, ſhall be repaſſed by two-thirds of the Senate and Houſe of Repreſentatives, according to the rules and limitations preſcribed in the caſe of a bill.

Sect. 8. The Congreſs ſhall have power

To lay and collect taxes, duties, impoſts and exciſes, to pay the debts and provide for the common defence and general welfare of the United States; but all duties, impoſts and exciſes ſhall be uniform throughout the United States;

To borrow money on the credit of the United States;

To regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the ſeveral ſtates, and with the Indian tribes;

To eſtabliſh an uniform rule of naturalization, and uniform laws on the ſubject of bankruptcies throughout the United States;

To coin money, regulate the value thereof, and of foreign coin, and fix the ſtandard of weights and meaſures;

To provide for the puniſhment of counterfeiting the ſecurities and current coin of the United States;

To eſtabliſh poſt offices and poſt roads;

To promote the progreſs of ſcience and uſeful arts, by ſecuring for limited times to authors and inventors the excluſive right to their reſpective writings and diſcoveries;

To conſtitute tribunals inferior to the ſupreme court;

To define and puniſh piracies and felonies committed on the high ſeas, and offences againſt the law of nations;

To declare war, grant letters of marque and repriſal, and make rules concerning captures on land and water;

To raiſe and ſupport armies, but no appropriation of money to that uſe ſhall be for a longer term than two years;

To provide and maintain a navy;

To make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces;

To provide for calling forth the militia to execute the laws of the union, ſuppreſs inſurrections and repel invaſions;

To provide for organizing, arming, and diſciplining, the militia, and for governing ſuch part of them as may be employed in the ſervice of the United States, reſerving to the States reſpectively, the appointment of the officers, and the authority of training the militia according to the diſcipline preſcribed by Congreſs;

To exerciſe excluſive legiſlation in all caſes whatſoever, over ſuch diſtrict (not exceeding ten miles ſquare) as may, by ceſſion of particular States, and the acceptance of Congreſs, become the ſeat of the government of the United States, and to exerciſe like authority over all places purchaſed by the conſent of the legiſlature of the ſtate in which the ſame ſhall be, for the erection of forts, magazines, arſenals, dock-yards, and other needful buildings;—And

To make all laws which ſhall be neceſſary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers, and all other powers veſted by this conſtitution in the government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof.

Sect. 9. The migration or importation of ſuch perſons as any of the ſtates now exiſting ſhall think proper to admit, ſhall not be prohibited by the Congreſs prior to the year one thouſand eight hundred and eight, but a tax or duty may be impoſed on ſuch importation, not exceeding ten dollars for each perſon.

The privilege of the writ of habeas corpus ſhall not be ſuſpended, unleſs when in caſes of rebellion or invaſion the public ſafety may require it.

No bill of attainder or ex poſt facto law ſhall be paſſed.

No capitation, or other direct, tax ſhall be laid, unleſs in proportion to the cenſus or enumeration herein before directed to be taken.

No tax or duty ſhall be laid on articles exported from any ſtate. No preference ſhall be given by any regulation of commerce or revenue to the ports of one ſtate over thoſe of another: nor ſhall veſſels bound to, or from, one ſtate, be obliged to enter, clear, or pay duties in another.

No money ſhall be drawn from the treaſury, but in conſequence of appropriations made by law; and a regular ſtatement and account of the receipts and expenditures of all public money ſhall be publiſhed from time to time.

No title of nobility ſhall be granted by the United States:—And no perſon holding any office of profit or truſt under them, ſhall, without the conſent of the Congreſs, accept of any preſent, emolument, office, or title, of any kind whatever, from any king, prince, or foreign ſtate.

Sect. 10. No ſtate ſhall enter into any treaty, alliance, or confederation; grant letters of marque and repriſal; coin money; emit bills of credit; make any thing but gold and ſilver coin a tender in payment of debts; paſs any bill of attainder, ex poſt facto law, or law impairing the obligation of contracts, or grant any title of nobility.

No ſtate ſhall, without the conſent of the Congreſs, lay any impoſts or duties on imports or exports, except what may be abſolutely neceſſary for executing its inſpection laws; and the net produce of all duties and impoſts, laid by any ſtate on imports or exports, ſhall be for the uſe of the Treaſury of the United States; and all ſuch laws ſhall be ſubject to the reviſion and controul of the Congreſs. No ſtate ſhall, without the conſent of Congreſs, lay any duty of tonnage, keep troops, or ſhips of war in time of peace, enter into any agreement or compact with another ſtate, or with a foreign power, or engage in war, unleſs actually invaded, or in ſuch imminent danger as will not admit of delay.

II.

Sect. 1. The executive power ſhall be veſted in a preſident of the United States of America. He ſhall hold his office during the term of four years, and, together with the vice-preſident, choſen for the ſame term, be elected as follows.

Each ſtate ſhall appoint, in ſuch manner as the legiſlature thereof may direct, a number of electors, equal to the whole number of ſenators and repreſentatives to which the ſtate may be entitled in the Congreſs: but no ſenator or repreſentative, or perſon holding an office of truſt or profit under the United States, ſhall be appointed an elector.

The electors ſhall meet in their reſpective ſtates, and vote by ballot for two perſons, of whom one at leaſt ſhall not be an inhabitant of the ſame ſtate with themſelves. And they ſhall make a liſt of all the perſons voted for, and of the number of votes for each; which liſt they ſhall ſign and certify, and tranſmit ſealed to the ſeat of the government of the United States, directed to the preſident of the ſenate. The preſident of the ſenate ſhall, in the preſence of the ſenate and houſe of repreſentatives, open all the certificates, and the votes ſhall then be counted. The perſon having the greateſt number of votes ſhall be the preſident, if ſuch number be a majority of the whole number of electors appointed; and if there be more than one who have ſuch majority, and have an equal number of votes, then the houſe of repreſentatives ſhall immediately chuſe by ballot one of them for preſident; and if no perſon have a majority, then from the five higheſt on the liſt the ſaid houſe ſhall in like manner chuſe the preſident. But in chuſing the preſident, the votes ſhall be taken by ſtates, the repreſentation from each ſtate having one vote; a quorum for this purpoſe ſhall conſiſt of a member or members from two-thirds of the ſtates, and a majority of all the ſtates ſhall be neceſſary to a choice. In every caſe, after the choice of the preſident, the perſon having the greateſt number of votes of the electors ſhall be the vice-preſident. But if there ſhould remain two or more who have equal votes, the ſenate ſhall chuſe from them by ballot the vice-preſident.

The Congreſs may determine the time of chuſing the electors, and the day on which they ſhall give their votes; which day ſhall be the ſame throughout the United States.

No person except a natural born citizen, or a citizen of the United States, at the time of the adoption of this constitution, shall be eligible to the office of president; neither shall any person be eligible to that office who shall not have attained to the age of thirty-five years, and been fourteen years a resident within the United States.

In case of the removal of the president from office, or of his death, resignation, or inability to discharge the powers and duties of the said office, the same shall devolve on the vice-president, and the Congress may by law provide for the case of removal, death, resignation or inability, both of the president and vice-president, declaring what officer shall then act as president, and such officer shall act accordingly, until the disability be removed, or a president shall be elected.

The president shall, at stated times, receive for his services, a compensation, which shall neither be encreased nor diminished during the period for which he shall have been elected, and he shall not receive within that period any other emolument from the United States, or any of them.

Before he enter on the execution of his office, he shall take the following oath or affirmation: "I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully execute the office of president of the United States, and will to the best of my ability, preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States."

Sect. 2. The president shall be commander in chief of the army and navy of the United States, and of the militia of the several States, when called into the actual service of the United States; he may require the opinion, in writing, of the principal officer in each of the executive departments, upon any subject relating to the duties of their respective offices, and he shall have power to grant reprieves and pardons for offences against the United States, except in cases of impeachment.

He shall have power, by and with the advice and consent of the senate, to make treaties, provided two-thirds of the senators present concur; and he shall nominate, and by and with the advice and consent of the senate, shall appoint ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, judges of the supreme court, and all other officers of the United States, whose appointments are not herein otherwise provided for, and which shall be established by law. But the Congress may by law vest the appointment of such inferior officers, as they think proper, in the president alone, in the courts of law, or in the heads of departments.

The president shall have power to fill up all vacancies that may happen during the recess of the senate, by granting commissions which shall expire at the end of their next session.

Sect. 3. He shall from time to time give to the Congress information of the state of the union, and recommend to their consideration such measures as he shall judge necessary and expedient: he may, on extraordinary occasions, convene both houses, or either of them, and in case of disagreement between them, with respect to the time of adjournment, he may adjourn them to such time as he shall think proper; he shall receive ambassadors and other public ministers; he shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed, and shall commission all the officers of the United States.

Sect. 4. The president, vice-president and all civil officers of the United States, shall be removed from office on impeachment for, and conviction of, treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors.

III.

Sect. 1. The judicial power of the United States, shall be vested in one supreme court, and in such inferior courts as the Congress may from time to time ordain and establish. The judges, both of the supreme and inferior courts, shall hold their offices during good behaviour, and shall, at stated times, receive for their services, a compensation, which shall not be diminished during their continuance in office.

Sect. 2. The judicial power shall extend to all cases, in law and equity, arising under this constitution, the laws of the United States, and treaties made, or which shall be made, under their authority; to all cases affecting ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls; to all cases of admiralty and maritime jurisdiction; to controversies to which the United States shall be a party; to controversies between two or more States, between a state and citizens of another state, between citizens of different States, between citizens of the same state claiming lands under grants of different States, and between a state, or the citizens thereof, and foreign States, citizens or subjects.

In all cases affecting ambassadors, other public ministers and consuls, and those in which a state shall be party, the supreme court shall have original jurisdiction. In all the other cases before mentioned, the supreme court shall have appellate jurisdiction, both as to law and fact, with such exceptions, and under such regulations as the Congress shall make.

The trial of all crimes, except in cases of impeachment, shall be by jury; and such trial shall be held in the state where the said crimes shall have been committed; but when not committed within any state, the trial shall be at such place or places as the Congress may by law have directed.

Sect. 3. Treason against the United States, shall consist only in levying war against them, or in adhering to their enemies, giving them aid and comfort. No person shall be convicted of treason unless on the testimony of two witnesses to the same overt act, or on confession in open court.

The Congress shall have power to declare the punishment of treason, but no attainder of treason shall work corruption of blood, or forfeiture except during the life of the person attainted.

IV.

Sect. 1. Full faith and credit shall be given in each state to the public acts, records, and judicial proceedings of every other state. And the Congress may by general laws prescribe the manner in which such acts, records and proceedings shall be proved, and the effect thereof.

Sect. 2. The citizens of each state shall be entitled to all privileges and immunities of citizens in the several states.

A person charged in any state with treason, felony, or other crime, who shall flee from justice, and be found in another state, shall, on demand of the executive authority of the state from which he fled, be delivered up, to be removed to the state having jurisdiction of the crime.

No person held to service or labour in one state, under the laws thereof, escaping into another, shall, in consequence of any law or regulation therein, be discharged from such service or labour, but shall be delivered up on claim of the party to whom such service or labour may be due.

Sect. 3. New states may be admitted by the Congress into this union; but no new state shall be formed or erected within the jurisdiction of any other state; nor any state be formed by the junction of two or more states, or parts of states, without the consent of the legislatures of the states concerned as well as of the Congress.

The Congress shall have power to dispose of and make all needful rules and regulations respecting the territory or other property belonging to the United States; and nothing in this Constitution shall be so construed as to prejudice any claims of the United States, or of any particular state.

Sect. 4. The United States shall guarantee to every state in this union a Republican form of government, and shall protect each of them against invasion; and on application of the legislature, or of the executive (when the legislature cannot be convened) against domestic violence.

V.

The Congress, whenever two-thirds of both houses shall deem it necessary, shall propose amendments to this constitution, or, on the application of the legislatures of two-thirds of the several states, shall call a convention for proposing amendments, which, in either case, shall be valid to all intents and purposes, as part of this constitution, when ratified by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several states, or by conventions in three-fourths thereof, as the one or the other mode of ratification may be proposed by the Congress; Provided, that no amendment which may be made prior to the year one thousand eight hundred and eight shall in any manner affect the first and fourth clauses in the ninth section of the first article; and that no state, without its consent, shall be deprived of its equal suffrage in the senate.

VI.

All debts contracted and engagements entered into, before the adoption of this Constitution, shall be as valid against the United States under this Constitution, as under the confederation.

This constitution, and the laws of the United States which shall be made in pursuance thereof; and all treaties made, or which shall be made, under the authority of the United States, shall be the supreme law of the land; and the judges in every state shall be bound thereby, any thing in the constitution or laws of any state to the contrary notwithstanding.

The ſenators and repreſentatives beforementioned, and the members of the ſeveral ſtate legiſlatures, and all executive and judicial officers, both of the United States and of the ſeveral States, ſhall be bound by oath or affirmation, to ſupport this conſtitution; but no religious teſt ſhall ever be required as a qualification to any office or public truſt under the United States.

VII.

The ratification of the conventions of nine States, ſhall be ſufficient for the eſtabliſhment o this conſtitution between the States ſo ratifying the ſame.

Done in Convention, by the unanimous conſent of th

States preſent, the ſeventeenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thouſand ſev hundred and eighty ſeven, and of the Independence of the United States of America the twelf. In witneſs whereof we have hereunto ſubſcribed our Names.

GEORGE WASHINGTON, Preſident,
And Deputy from VIRGINIA.

State	Signers
NEW-HAMPSHIRE.	*John Langdon, Nicholas Gilman.*
MASSACHUSETTS.	*Nathaniel Gorham, Rufus King.*
CONNECTICUT.	*William Samuel Johnſon, Roger Sherman.*
NEW-YORK.	*Alexander Hamilton.*
NEW-JERSEY.	*William Livingſton, David Brearley, William Paterſon, Jonathan Dayton.*
PENNSYLVANIA.	*Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Mifflin, Robert Morris, George Clymer, Thomas Fitzſimons, Jared Ingerſoll, James Wilſon, Gouverneur Morris.*
DELAWARE.	*George Read, Gunning Bedford, Junio John Dickinſon, Richard Baſſett, Jacob Broom.*
MARYLAND.	*James McHenry, Daniel of St. Tho. Jeniſe Daniel Carrol.*
VIRGINIA.	*John Blair, James Madiſon, Junior.*
NORTH-CAROLINA	*William Blount, Richard Dobbs Spaight, Hugh Williamſon.*
SOUTH-CAROLINA.	*John Rutledge, Charles Coteſworth Pinckne Charles Pinckney, Pierce Butler.*
GEORGIA.	*William Few, Abraham Baldwin.*

Atteſt, *William Jackſon*, SECRETARY.

IN CONVENTION, Monday September 17th, 1787.

PRESENT

The States of New-Hampſhire, Maſſachuſetts, Connecticut, Mr. *Hamilton* from New-York, New-Jerſey, Pennſylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North-Carolina, South-Carolina and Georgia:

RESOLVED,

THAT the preceding Conſtitution be laid before the United States in Congreſs aſſembled, and that it is the opinion of this Convention, that it ſhould afterwards be ſubmitted to a Convention of Delegates, choſen in each State by the People thereof, under the recommendation of its Legiſlature, for their aſſent and ratification; and that each Convention aſſenting to, and ratifying the ſame, ſhould give Notice thereof to the United States in Congreſs aſſembled.

Reſolved, *That it is the opinion of this Convention, that as ſoon as the Conventions of nine States ſhall have ratified this Conſtitution, the United States in Congreſs aſſembled ſhould fix a day on which Electors ſhould be appointed by the States which ſhall have ratified the ſame, and a day on which the Electors ſhould aſſemble to vote for the Preſident, and the time and place for commencing proceedings under this Conſtitution. That after ſuch publication the Electors ſhould be appointed, and the Senators and Repreſentatives elected: That the Electors ſhould meet on the day fixed for the Election of the Preſident, and ſhould tranſmit their votes certified, ſigned, ſealed and directed, as the Conſtitution requires, to the Secretary of the United States in Congreſs aſſembled, that the Senators and Repreſentatives ſhould convene at the time and place aſſigned; that the Senators ſhould appoint a Preſident of the Senate, for the ſole purpoſe of receiving, opening and counting the votes for Preſident; and, that after he ſhall be choſen, the Congreſs, together with the Preſident, ſhould, without delay, proceed to execute this Conſtitution.*

By the unanimous Order of the Convention,

GEORGE WASHINGTON, Preſident.

William Jackſon, Secretary.

In Convention, September 17, 1787.

SIR,

WE have now the honor to ſubmit to the conſideration of the United States in Congreſs aſſembled, that Conſtitution which has appeared to us the moſt adviſeable.

The friends of our country have long ſeen and deſired, that the power of making war, peace and treaties, that of levying money and regulating commerce, and the correſpondent executive and judicial authorities ſhould be fully and effectually veſted in the general government of the Union: but the impropriety of delegating ſuch extenſive truſt to one body of men is evident—Hence reſults the neceſſity of a different organization.

It is obviouſly impracticable in the fœderal government of theſe States, to ſecure all rights of independent ſovereignty to each, and yet provide for the intereſt and ſafety of all—Individuals entering into ſociety, muſt give up a ſhare of liberty to preſerve the reſt. The magnitude of the ſacrifice muſt depend as well on ſituation and circumſtance, as on the object to be obtained. It is at all times difficult to draw with preciſion the line between thoſe rights which muſt be ſurrendered, and thoſe which may be reſerved; and on the preſent occaſion this difficulty was encreaſed by a difference among the ſeveral States as to their ſituation, extent, habits, and particular intereſts.

In all our deliberations on this ſubject we kept ſteadily in our view, that which appears to us the greateſt intereſt of every true American, the conſolidation of our Union, in which is involved our proſperity, felicity, ſafety, perhaps our national exiſtence. This important conſideration, ſeriouſly and deeply impreſſed on our minds, led each State in the Convention to be leſs rigid on points of inferior magnitude, than might have been otherwiſe expected; and thus the Conſtitution, which we now preſent, is the reſult of a ſpirit of amity, and of that mutual deference and conceſſion which the peculiarity of our political ſituation rendered indiſpenſible.

That it will meet the full and entire approbation of every State is not perhaps to be expected; but each will doubtleſs conſider, that had her intereſts been alone conſulted, the conſequences might have been particularly diſagreeable or injurious to others; that it is liable to as few exceptions as could reaſonably have been expected, we hope and believe; that it may promote the laſting welfare of that country ſo dear to us all, and ſecure her freedom and happineſs, is our moſt ardent wiſh.

With great reſpect,
We have the honor to be, SIR,
Your EXCELLENCY's moſt
Obedient and humble Servants,

George Waſhington, Preſident.

By unanimous Order of the CONVENTION.

HIS EXCELLENCY
The Preſident of Congreſs.

[PRINTED BY *DUNLAP & CLAYPOOLE.*]

The Pennsylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiser.*

[Price Four-Pence.] THURSDAY, September 20, 1787. [No. 2691.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY, the 20th instant, at Nine o'clock in the Morning,

Will be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the late dwelling house of *John Andrew Messersmith* deceased, in Fourth street, between Arch and Race streets, and near Cherry-alley,

ALL his Houshold Goods and Kitchen Furniture: Also a quantity of tin-ware ready made up, and some half finished work; together with a complete and general assortment of Tinmens Tools. Also a quantity of bohea tea, and about 10,000 weight of Spanish whiting in casks, with a number of other articles, too tedious to mention. Attendance will be given by

Catharine Messersmith, Administratrix.
John Andrew Messersmith, Administrator.

All persons who have any demands against the estate of John Andrew Messersmith, deceased, are desired to bring their accounts, properly attested, to the subscribers for settlement, and all those who are in any way indebted to the said estate, are desired to make immediate payment, otherwise their accounts will be put in to the hands of an attorney at Law, or justice of the peace, for the recovery of the same.

Catharine Messersmith, Administratrix,
John Andrew Messersmith, Administrator.

Philadelphia, *Sept. 20, 1787.* wst

To be Sold at Auction,

On Saturday the 22d day of September, instant, at the old Coffee-House in the city of Philadelphia; the sales to commence at 12 o clock on that day,

Seventeen City Lots,

SITUATE on the west side of Eigh h-street from Delaware, and between Cherry-street and Race-street.

Also, an annual Rent Charge of £. 10 Pennsylvania currency per annum, issuing out of a lot on the west side of Eighth-street aforesaid, between Race-street and Cherry street, now in the tenure of Andrew Walker.

The purchase money, which will be received in gold, silver, or paper money of this state of the last emission, to be paid within 8 days after the sale, or the premises to revert, and the bidder sustain any loss which may accrue on a second sale.

A plan of the lots aforesaid may be seen at the said Coffee-House. PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, September 8, 1787. cotf

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the Old Coffee House,

On Tuesday, the 25th of Sept.

At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, surveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunswick township, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and some small streams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A considerable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are several mill seats.

No 2. 421 5 8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, surveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Christian Dethong, being in the same township, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract also; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well settled country, this and the foregoing tract must be very valuable.

No 3. 353 acres of patented Land surveyed in pursuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, situate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the east side of a path leading from Little Juniata to Susquehanna, having an excellent mill seat and some small improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock township, Berks county, 58 miles distant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the last mentioned place to Lancaster, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the best fruit trees, and a cider press, a good log house, large barn, spring house, and other out houses thereon. Under and subject to the payment of the first purchase money, &c.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,
Assignee of the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or suits will be commenced for the recovery of the same. R. R.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787. w&fsf

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland.

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening,

(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept 17* eptf

For Paper Money,

A QUANTITY OF

IRONMONGERY;

Woolen, Cotton and Silk GOODS;

Green Glass Bottles in Hampers;

GRINDSTONES,

And a large Quantity of

S A L T;

ALSO,

TAUNTON ALE,

To be SOLD in Third street, by

Richard Wells & Son.

July 16 3tnw.wtf

To be Sold at Private Sale,

A small and very General Assortment of Fresh

Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any person inclining to purchase, may have them on the most reasonable terms, by applying to

N. DORSEY,

In Front, two doors below Walnut street. Aug. 23wtf

FOR

Dominica & St. Kitts,

The Sloop WELCOME RETURN, *Richard D. Place, Master*;

NOW laying at the Old Ferry wharf; will sail in a or 10 day; two thirds of her cargo already engaged. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to *ELLISTON & JOHN PEROT*,

Who have for sale, Mascovado sugar in hogsheads and barrels, Grenada rum in puncheons, old Antigua rum in tierces, geneva in cases, cotton, &c.

September 17 eotf

FOR

Norfolk and Petersburg,

(Virginia)

The Schooner ELEANOR, *John Burke, Master*;

TO sail in five days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Fisher's wharf, or to

Sept 18 5sp *DEAVES, BAKER & ABELL.*

For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY, *John Willett, Master*;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*, *William Brougham, Master*;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

For London,

The Ship PIGOU, Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co.

A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For *Hobs-Hole, Port Royal, & Fredericksburg,*

(Virginia)

The Sloop SPEEDWELL, Stotelbury, Master: Will sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Walnut-street wharf, or

Sept. 13. 4t J. & WALTER PAYNE.

A Proclamation.

WHEREAS the Honorable Thomas M'Kean, Esquire, chief justice of the Supreme Court of the state of Pennsylvania, the Honorable Francis Hopkinson, Esquire, judge of the Admiralty for the state of Pennsylvania, and the Honorable George Bryan, Esquire, one of the justices of the supreme court, have issued their precept, bearing date the 3d day of *September*, instant, to me directed, for holding a Court of Admiralty sessions for the United States of America, at the state house, on *Wednesday* the 19th day of *September* instant.

Notice is hereby given to all justices of the peace, the coroners and constables within the city and county of Philadelphia, that they be then and there in their own persons, with their rolls, records, indictments, and other remembrances, to do those things which to their office, in that behalf, appertain to be done; and also, that they who will prosecute against the prisoners that are or then shall be in the goal of said city or county, are to be then then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Dated at Philadelphia, the 4th day of *September*, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and in the twelfth year of American Independence.

Joseph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

GOD SAVE the COMMONWEALTH!

SECOND NOTICE.

In the Case of Joseph Rice,

A BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *Joseph Rice*, of the city of Philadelphia, sailmaker and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Wednesday* the 22d of August, instant; on *Friday* the 21st of September next, and on *Tuesday* the 2d of October following, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees, and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Office, Watkins's alley, August 21, 1787. 22 19 30

TO BE SOLD,

THIS is to Forwarn all persons from taking an assignment on four different obligations, given by the subscriber, for a tract of land, to Peter Keen and Samuel Basset, of Salem county, state of New-Jersey, viz.

1st Bond dated about the 26th Feb. last, for £. 50 due the 1st of April next.
2d Bond ditto for £. 200 due the 1st of April, 1788.
3d Bond ditto for £. 175 due the 1st of September, 1788.
4th Bond dated March 2d for £. 30 due the 2d March, 1788.

As the title of the aforesaid tract of land, lying and being situated on Morris's River, is now in dispute—therefore am determined to pay no money on the above obligations until a clear and indisputable title is made to me, by the parties, agreeable to articles entered into with them at the same time.

JACOB BROWNING.

Waterford township, Gloucester county, Sept. 12, 1787 th&w

For Sale,

A Pair of Excellent

Bright Bay Horses,

With or without a very Good PHÆTON. Enquire of the subscriber, in Fifth, 2 doors above Arch-street.

Sept. 13 eotf WILLIAM DAVIDSON.

CHARLES FORD,

CABINET-MAKER,

At the southeast corner of Second and Chesnut streets,

BEGS leave to return his thanks to his Friends and the Public, for their encouragement; and being now about to remove from this city to Pittsburgh, purposes to sell his remaining STOCK at the most reduced prices for cash—Which consist of the following:

Plain, claw feet and ornamented chairs of the newest taste
Ditto tea tables of the newest fashions
Circular and square tea tables ditto
Plain and commode bureau tables
Dressing tables
Dining ditto, large and small

N. B. A small quantity of the best seasoned MAHOGANY will be sold cheap. Sept 14 snw

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennsylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the several Lodges under their jurisdiction are requested punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, G. S.

TO BE LET,

A Commodious three story Brick HOUSE, the corner of Lætitia-court and Market street, between Front and Second streets. Enquire of JONATHAN MIFFLIN. End

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *Richard Tarbet*, late of this city, merchant, deceased, are requested to make payment of their balances as soon as possible; and those who have demands upon said estate, are requested to produce them to

Isabella Tarbet, Executrix.
Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguson, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for sale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet*'s Importation, in part consisting of striped and plain kentings of sundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be sold wholesale, at prime cost, for cash.

Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your suffrages at the last Election, in placing me on the return with the present Sheriff: a continuance of your favours at the ensuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,
James Ash.

Philadelphia, August 7, 1787 w&1tt.

This Day is Published, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market street—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.

By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.

That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains shall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound—
The seas shall waste, the skies in smoke decay,
Rocks fall to dust and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his saving pow'r remains,
Thy realm forever lasts, thy own Messiah reigns.
Pope.

The subject of the above piece, having been much canvassed of late, both in Europe and America, the the curiosity of the Public, and especially of such gentlemen of the city who are pleased with the discovery of Truth, may be excited to the perusal of the sentiments and reasoning of a fellow citizen, upon so momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Also ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;

And the BUDS of BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Augustus Chatterton* esq — mwf4w

This Day is PUBLISHED, *by*

Prichard & Hall,

And to be had at *Prichard*'s Book-Store and Circulating Library, in Market street,

(*Neatly bound and lettered—Price 3/9*)

THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennsylvania:

Being the epistolary correspondence between Mehemet, the *secret deputy* from the sublime Porte, resident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the sentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the close of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully displayed.

The whole translated from the original Arabic manuscript. By *S. T. P.*

*** *Wm Prichard* informs his friends and generous customers, that he has, just arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Assortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept 17* d

Just PUBLISHED, *Sold by*

Thomas Dobson,

In Second street, between Chesnut and Market streets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne*'s FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, small pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handsomely bound and lettered, *Price 3/9*

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and sciences, vol. 1st, large 4to. with six copperplates *Price 25s.*

2. The beauties of history, or pictures of virtue and vice drawn from real life; designed, and admirably calculated for the instruction and entertainment of youth, 2 vols. 15s.

3. Dr. Beattie's poems, beautifully printed on superfine writing paper—*Price only 2/6*

4. Fordyce's sermons to young ladies, a new edition, 2 vols. in 1—*Price only 6s.*

5. The adventures of Alphonso after the destruction of Lisbon, from the Portuguese, 1/6.

6. Smith's elegiac sonnets, 1s.

7. Dr. Beattie's evidences of the christian religion 3s.

8. The art of speaking; containing an essay on the art of speaking, and select lessons in prose and verse, calculated for the use of schools or private perusal—*Price 6s.*

9. Scott's lessons in elocution, or a selection of pieces in prose and verse, for the improvement of youth in reading and speaking, as well as for the perusal of persons of taste, 6s.

The distinguished preference which this book has obtained, both as a collection for schools, and a valuable book for private improvement, is a sufficient testimony of its superior merit. This fourth edition, now presented to the Public, is still farther improved: the compiler having brought it to its present improved state, has determined to let it remain so, to prevent the inconveniencies of too frequent variations.

N. B. A few copies of the third edition are still on hand, for the use of those schools where it is introduced.

10 Scott's introduction to reading and spelling; a new edition, very much improved. 2/6. w&ttf

John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the store lately occupied by Messrs. Bache & Shee, on the west side of Front, the 5th door south of Chesnut street, where he has for sale on the lowest terms——

WINDOW GLASS

of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25 f&wtf

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

AMERICA.

BOSTON, Sept. 5.

On Friday last arrived at Portsmouth, from England, but last from St. Christophers, a ship of 700 tons burthen, British bottom, for the express purpose of purchasing lumber, &c. for the British West-India islands!!

NEWPORT, August 30.

At the county court of Washington verdicts were returned and judgments made up at the exchange of six for one. It is with pleasure we hear, that in this degenerate æra, there are jurors who regard the laws of God in doing justice—and there are judges in our land who yet dare to be upright.

We are informed, that the church of Little Compton have suspended a Deacon from his office and fellowship with them, for tendering the present depreciated paper money at par in discharge of real specie debts. With great propriety may the words of our blessed Lord to the church of Ephesus be addressed to the church of Little Compton, 'Thou canst not bear them that are evil, and thou hast tried them which say they are apostles, and are not, and hast found them liars.'

A most daring theft was perpetrated at South-Kingston on Friday night;—Sixty sheep belonging to a Mr. Rose of that town, were stolen out of his pasture by Samuel Williams, and driven by his door to bring across the ferries to this market, but on this sheep stealer's arrival at Jamestown he sold them at one dollar specie per head, fifteen dollars earnest was paid, and the remainder to be paid here, which was accordingly done—soon after this purchase and payment the owner reached this place and pursued him, whom he took with all the purchase money and had him safely secured in our gaol: as the theft was committed in Washington county, he will be removed there for trial.

HARTFORD, September 10.

On Wednesday afternoon last Mr. James M'Donald of East Windsor, in attempting to swim across the river, at the ferry in this city, was drowned.

BENNINGTON, Sept. 3.

Monday last a daughter of Mr. Ichabod Allen of this town, aged eleven years, was instantly killed with a pistol, by her brother, who is about six years old. The particulars of the unhappy catastrophe, as related by the distressed family, (the parents being absent when the accident happened) are, That the pistol had been loaded, extremely heavy a few evenings before, by a young man of the family, with intent to shoot an owl; that he had laid the pistol upon a shelf near the chamber floor, but the little boy finding where the pistol was laid, and having been frequently indulged in snapping and playing with it, found means by setting a chair against the wall and climbing up the back of it, to get the pistol down, unknown to the family, and went out to play with it as usual. At the time the girl was killed she was sitting in a sleigh box before the door holding an infant in her arms, the whole charge of the pistol lodged in her body just above her left breast, which put an immediate period to her existence. It is supposed the boy must have been very near her, when the pistol went off, as there was nearly forty shot holes in a space but little bigger than the circumference of a dollar.

A solemn warning this to all parents and guardians of children not to teach them to use, or even so much as to suffer them to play with such weapons before they arrive to years of discretion.

NEW-YORK, September 17.

It is reported, that his most Christian majesty's consuls in America, have issued peremptory orders to all French navy officers dispersed in the different parts of the continent on leave of absence, or otherwise, forthwith to repair and present themselves to the commander of the Royal Gallic Squadron, now in the harbour of Boston.

BALTIMORE, September 14.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Berkeley county, Virginia, to his friend in this town, dated the 26th ult.

"At the head of New Creek, which empties into Patowmack, twenty miles above Fort Cumberland, a SILVER MINE of unknown value has had its bountiful bosom opened, by a capt. M'Carty, who has now a number of men at work, throwing out such quantities of ore, as will soon surprise us all ——Rejoice ye Baltimoreans, there will, ere long, be an end to wanting Money."

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 20.

Extract of a letter from Baltimore, dated Sept. 15.

"The Union, capt. Tucker, arrived yesterday from Bourdeaux, in six weeks.

"The French fleet of 15 sail, had put to sea a few days before the Union sailed, and the English were pressing men with great diligence—the Dutch faction becoming more violent every day. The Union spoke a French ship from Bengal. Lord Cornwallis was bringing every officer of the East India Company to severe account, for every part of their conduct while in office, though 20 years back. A Dutch East India ship, laden chiefly with spices, was lost four days after she sailed from the Cape of Good Hope—she had a large quantity of nutmegs, &c. The Union also spoke the Pigot from China."

General Assembly.

FRIDAY, September 14.

THE house met pursuant to adjournment.

The following petitions were presented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. The petition of 603 inhabitants of Northumberland, in favour of the bill for dividing Bedford into two counties; the petition from a number of the inhabitants of the county of Lancaster, in favour of the bill for building a bridge across Connestoga creek; the petition from a number of the inhabitants of Northumberland county, against passing the bill for erecting a court house and prison in the town of Northumberland, and the petition of Thomas M'Cormick, who served in the Pennsylvania line, during the late war, praying he may be allowed the depreciation, &c. A transcript of the accounts of the Pennsylvania Hospital for the last year was received, and a committee appointed to visit the said hospital.

The committee appointed on the petition from the borough of Reading, reported a resolution, that leave be given to bring in a bill agreeably to the prayer of the petitioners.

THE BILL FOR ERECTING A NEW COUNTY.

The order of the day for the 3d reading of the bill to erect parts of Westmoreland and Washington into a separate county, was called up, and the bill being read over, upon the question shall it be taken up by paragraphs? the following debate arose.

We hope, Sir, that those who press this measure upon the attention of the house, will favour us with some arguments to prove the propriety and necessity of adopting it. For if it is neither proper or necessary, it becomes our duty to prevent a useless consumption of time, particularly at so late a period, and when our other public avocations are sufficient to fill up the remaining space of the legislative existence of the present assembly. But we conceive, that there are radical objections to the law before us, which cannot be removed by the subtlety of argument or the pomp of declamation, and these have determined us to oppose its receiving the fiat of the house. It is proposed, Sir, to erect a new county, but we do not find that the proposition proceeds from the body of the people immediately interested in that event. It is proposed to erect a new county, but from an accurate calculation, we may be assured, that there will not be a sufficient number of inhabitants comprised within the boundaries, to entitle them to a representative in the General Assembly; and a county without a representative, would be a solecism in our government. Are we then to proceed in determining so important a question, to impose upon a few and scattered citizens, the burthensome establishments of a county, and upon the state the additional expence of a counsellor, and a member of the legislature, without the fullest evidence of the expediency and conveniency of the measure? At a future period the division of the western counties may probably become necessary, and the encreasing population and extent of Pittsburgh, will then point out that town as the best situation for the seat of justice. But at this period, the project is extravagant and premature; inasmuch as it goes to provide for the accommodation of a people who are not yet in existence, and for the regulation of a country which is not yet inhabited by any thing but bears and savages. If, however, the house should be disposed to erect the county described in the bill before us, it certainly cannot with constitutional propriety be done at this session; for it must be remembered, that there are petitions received within a few days, praying that the boundaries may be extended to include a very considerable district, and we must either reject that prayer, which would not be consistent or reasonable, or we must materially alter the present lines, which would prevent our enacting it into a law, till it has been published for consideration. In every point of view, therefore, we are averse to proceeding any further in this bill.

In favour of the bill it was observed, that the only argument which had been, or could be suggested in opposition to passing this law is, that it is premature. But surely this sounds merely in opinion, and those who are most interested in the event, and who have sent forth their solicitations for erecting the proposed county, ought in that case to have the greatest weight with the house. But there are innumerable reasons to shew the conveniency and the expediency of the measure. With respect to the people of that district, it would reduce their trouble and expences by bringing the courts of justice to their very doors—with respect to the state at large, it would tend to increase the population of the western country, and consequently the wealth and strength of the nation. It is objected that the number of the inhabitants within the new country, would not entitle them to a representative—but this too, depends upon opinion, and in our calculation the number would be fully sufficient for that object. As to the alteration which must take place in the boundaries, in order to include the late petitions, it is too trifling to be considered as introducing the necessity of reprinting the bill for public consideration. Besides the object for which the bill was published, cannot be confined solely to the consideration of the question respecting the propriety of erecting a new county, but must be extended likewise to the propriety of the boundaries described in the bill; and in that case surely it is our duty, without any further procrastination, to adopt any reasonable amendment that our constituents recommend. As it is a measure which will be convenient to the citizens immediately affected by it, and beneficial to the state at large, we hope the bill will be taken up by paragraphs.

Upon the question, the yeas and nays being called by Mr. Brackenridge, there appeared 25 in favour of the bill, 33 against it. The speakers for taking it up by paragraphs, were Mr. Brackenridge, Mr. Fitzsimons, Mr. D. Clymer, &c. against it, Mr. Whitehill, Mr. Baird, &c.

The second order of the day, to take into consideration the bill for dividing Bedford into two counties, was postponed.

The house adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at half past 9 o'clock.

SATURDAY, September 15.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

Several petitions were presented and ordered to lie on the table.

The first order of the day for taking into consideration the bill to establish the right of John Vandergift to establish a ferry over Neshameney was called up, when all the petitions and papers relating thereto, were read by the clerk. On the question, shall the bill be taken up by paragraphs? It was argued that the present bill, if passed into a law, would be a breach of that faith which the house had pledged to Mr. Benezet and Mr. Johnston, when by a former act of assembly, those gentlemen were authorized to build a permanent bridge within sight of the very spot on which the proposed ferry was to be established. That in pursuance of that act, a permanent bridge had been erected, by which travellers were accommodated in a less expensive, and much safer manner than they could be by boats or a floating bridge. That the proprietors had under the legislative sanction incurred a very enormous expence, and that it would be no infringement of the rights of any man to reject this bill, whereas it would be highly unjust and ruinous to the proprietors of the permanent bridge, were it adopted.

On the other hand it was insisted, that the benefits to the public and not the interests of individuals, ought to influence the house in determining this question, and on that foundation it was highly proper to enact the bill, as the state would thereby be accommodated with another passage over the Neshameney, which had been declared a public highway. The opposition to the present bill went indeed to the infringement of the rights which were common to all the citizens, in order to confirm an unconstitutional monopoly. The question was determined in the negative by a very great majority. The speakers in favour of the bill were Mr. Logan and Mr. Wynkoop, against it Mr. D. Clymer, Mr. Fitzsimons, and Mr. Whitehill.

The second order of the day for renewing the consideration of the bill for dividing Washington county into election districts, was called up, when upon an amendment suspending the operation of the bill till the year 1788, Mr. Brackenridge contended that there was sufficient time to warn the county for the next election, and Mr. Whitehill, Mr. Findley, and the members for Washington, asserted that it was impracticable. The amendment was carried by a considerable majority, and the yeas and nays taken upon motion of Mr. Baird, seconded by Mr. Brackenridge. The bill was then debated by paragraphs, and ordered to be engrossed.

The house adjourned to meet at three o'clock on Monday afternoon.

MONDAY, September 17 P. M.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

The following petitions were presented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. the petition of sundry persons interested in the Wioming lands, representing the insufficiency of the compensation proposed, and praying relief; and the petition of the administratrix of Peter Drinkart, praying that his certificates may be taken in payment for the demands of the public against his estate.

The committee on the petition of sundry inhabitants of Chester, respecting the building a bridge, reported a resolution in compliance with the prayer thereof.

The speaker presented a letter to the house from their delegates in convention, of the following purport, viz. that they were happy in being able to inform tee house, that *the Convention had agreed upon the Constituition of a Federal Government for the United States*, and that the delegates were ready to report to the legislature, at any time that should be appointed.

Upon motion, and special order, this letter was taken up for a second reading, when Mr. Fitzsimons observed, that as this measure was essentially interesting to the people, and as it had already exercised a great share of public patience, he should propose, that to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock, be appointed for receiving the report of the delegates; which being seconded by Mr. Hubley, was accordingly agreed to.

Mr. Fitzsimons then mentioned that it was the wish of the delegates to the federal convention, after the accomplishment of so arduous a task, to enjoy a social meeting; which on account of the departure of some of them this evening, had been appointed for to-day's dinner. He hoped therefore, that the house would agree to an adjournment, in order that the speaker and the other members of the house that were delegates might have it in their power to attend this appointment. Accordingly the house adjourned to meet to morrow morning at half past nine o'clock.

SHIP NEWS.

The William, Whipple, from Hamburg: Edward, Braine, from Madeira: Betsey, Mesnard, and Betsey, Watson, from London: Dolphin, Scoven, and Betsey, ——, from Cape Francois: Mercey, Harris, from Trinidad: Diamond, Chevers, from St. Croix: Nelly, ——, from Carthagena: Defiance, Atwater, from New-Providence: John Steel, from Bermuda; Saly, Jackson, from North Carolina; Betsey, Brooks, from Philadelphia; Green, Godfrey, from Rhode Island; St. George, Postlethwait, from St. John's, and Mary, Ferguson, from Halifax, are arrived at New-York.

The Friendship, Burrel, from Surinam; Swift, Payne, from Roanoake; Patty, Stobo, from Philadelphia; Friendship, Smith, from New-York; Polly, Holman, from Salem, Dædalus Crocker, and Industry, Oakford, from Boston, are arrived at Baltimore.

His Britannic Majesty's Packet Dashwood, William Roberts, Esq; commander, will sail from New York with the mail for Falmouth, on Wednesday the 4th of October next, wind and weather permitting.

Arrivals at Boston.

Brig Favourite, Caldwell	London
Lion, Stephenson	Guadaloupe
Lydia, Fellowes	Isle May
Hope, Gardiner	Hispaniola
Schooner Proserpine, Dowdle	Halifax
Vulture, Robidean	St Thomas
Sally, Wells	Philadelphia
Speedwell, Cottle	Ditto
Sloop Olive Branch, Harris	Connecticut
Swan, Minot	Ditto
Three Brothers, Jennings	Ditto
Industry, Hichman	Virginia
Liberty, Wilkins	Jersey
Schooner Penelope, Taylor	St. Eustatia

THIS DAY,
Precisely at 9 o'clock,
At the City Vendue-Store,
Will commence the Sale of a Large and General
Assortment of Merchandise.
The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*
Houshold and Kitchen Furniture
On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept 20. PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

TO-MORROW,
The 21st Instant—At the
Northern-Liberty Auction Store,
Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of a Large and General
Assortment of Merchandize:
Among which are,

MANCHESTER chintzes and cottons of the first quality and patterns; Irish linens, white and brown, yard, 7 8 and 3 4 wide; a neat invoice of Scotch needle worked and plain lawn aprons and handkerchiefs; plain and striped and cross barred kentings, gauzes, lineaus and catguts; superfine Irish linens, long lawns and cambricks: a few pieces beautiful sattins and mantuas; plain, jaconet, striped and cross barred muslins of different qualities; moreens, calimancoes, rattinets, shalloons, durants & tammies; garters and bindings; French, German and English cloths, coatings, &c. &c. *September 20*
C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

American Porter
TO BE SOLD BY
Hare and Twells,

IN casks at 40s per barrel, and in bottles at 11s 3d per dozen (bottles included.)

Likewise OAT ALE, at the different prices of 35s and 25s per barrel in casks, and 8s 4d and 7s per doz. in bottles.

N. B. The bottles are received again at 3s per dozen.
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CAME to Harriton Farm, about eleven miles from this city, and one mile from the Buck Inn, on the Lancaster road, the 16th instant, a dark bay MARE, about 15 hands high, shod all round; the owner is desired to apply for and take her away.
Philadelphia, September 18.

For Boston,
The Sloop BAUSTO,
DANIEL NEWMAN, Master;
NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to Messrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon*, at their store at the head of the wharf.
September 17 d

Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.
THE Partnership of *Head* and *Sansom*, being this day dissolved, all persons having any demands against them, are desired to bring their accounts either to *John Head*, junr. at the store lately occupied by *Head & Sansom*, or to *William Sansom*, at his store in the same street, three doors below Arch street, where they will receive payment; and all those indebted to them six months, are earnestly requested to make payment at either of the abovementioned places. 3sp.w&13w

Now Landing at Race street wharf,
The CARGO of the ship Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Petersburg—Consisting of,
HEMP
Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, assorted Ravens duck
Russia sheeting——*And for sale by*
Haynes and *Crawford*,
Who have to dispose of,
Antigua rum and sugar
Irish linens
Irish beef
Cork sail cloth
Claret in cases of two and a half dozen, &c.
September 19 d

Barclay, Brown, and Co.
Have imported in the last vessels from Ireland, and by the ship Harmony from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Water-street, three doors above Pine-street,
YARD-wide Irish Linen, assorted
Brown, half white and full bleached 7-8 wide ditto
A very elegant assortment of chintzes, printed muslins and lawns, and printed handkerchiefs, in small trunks, which will be sold by the trunk on very low terms
They have also for Sale
Antigua rum
Sherry and Malaga wine
Pewter assorted in casks——and a variety of other goods
Philadelphia, September 18. 3awtf

A large variety of plain mahogany and ornamental frame
LOOKING GLASSES,
Of all sizes, just arrived in the Harmony from London, and for SALE at
John and James Oldden's
Store in Second-street, opposite Black Horse Alley,
Who have likewise on hand
SCOTS Carpets of every dimension
1-2, 3-4 and yard-wide carpeting
Tin in boxes N° 1 and 2
Red lead, white lead ground in oil
Russia sheetings, powder, &c.
Together with a general assortment of other goods, calculated for the approaching season
September 18. thsw

Drinker and *Paxson*,
At their *Store* in Third street, between Walnut and Chesnut streets, have for Sale,
MILL, crosscut, hand, pannel, tennant, sash, dovetail, wood and key hole saws
Stock, iron rim, desk, chest, drawer, cupboard, trunk, saddle bag, prospect and padlocks
Brass Nob and thumb latches
H, HL, patent butt, table, chest, clock case, desk, dovetail and tumbler hinges
Brass and iron head shovels and tongs
Spades and shovels
Frying pans
Bell metal, iron and brass kettles
Potts, skellets, bake plates and ovens
Smoothing irons, cart boxes
Steelyards, scale beams, and cast iron weights exactly regulated
Carpenters, joiners, coopers, sadlers, shoemakers, smiths and curriers tools
Brass and iron candlesticks and snuffers
Stirrup irons, snaffle and curb bitts, staples and plates, and buckles, woolen and linen girth webb, orice and bridle reins
Brass and wooden pullies for sashes
Lines and weights for ditto
Shaving boxes and brushes
Slide razor strops, with or without razors
Gold scales and weights
Curry combs and brushes
Nails, brads, sprigs and screws in general
Patent and common cast iron teakettles
Copper ditto
Brass warming pans
Bellows
A good assortment of cutlery
English and Dutch scythes
Brass and iron wire
Pewter dishes, basons, plates and spoons
8 by 10, 7 by 9, and 9 by 11 window glass
Linseed oil, spirits of turpentine
White and red lead, Spanish brown, Venetian read, stone and powdered oker, vermilion, Prussian blue, white vitriol, powdered lethrage, &c. &c. &c.
Where also may be had, a good assortment of tanned leather. *Sept 19* 3sp

FIRST NOTICE.
In the Case of John Henderson,
BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *John Henderson*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Thursday* the 20th day of September, inst. on *Friday* the 12th of October following, and on *Wednesday* the 31st day of the same month, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State-house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects; when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees; and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects, are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners.
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.
Office Watkins's Alley, Sept. 17, 1787. 19 8 26

Berks & Waſhington County Taxes
For 1787.

RETURNS of all the taxes on the lands of non r ſidents in the counties of Berks and Waſhington are publiſhed in the Freeman's Journal, No 335, printed by Mr. Bailey. All perſons indebted are required to pay into the ſtate treaſury before the 19th of November next. DAVID RITTENHOUSE, Treaſurer.

September 19, 1787.

N. B. There are ſtill arrears due of the taxes for 1785 and 1786 on ward and company lands in Waſhington county; unleſs theſe are paid very ſhortly, the lands will certainly be ſold. 4w

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Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale by Public Vendue, at the Merchants Coffee Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Thurſday* the 27th inſtant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a certain two ſtory Frame Meſſuage or Tenement, and Lot or Piece of Ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Delaware Second ſtreet continued, and ſouth ſide of Catharine ſtreet, in the diſtrict of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, containing in breadth on Second ſtreet 22 feet, and in length or depth on Catharine ſtreet 96 feet (be the ſame more or leſs) bounded weſtward by Second ſtreet, northward by Catharine ſtreet, eaſtward by a 16 feet alley, and ſouthward by ground of E. Biddle, with the appurtenances: taken in execution as the property of Charles Kean, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

Six Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber, on Sunday the 22d inſtant, an Iriſh ſervant man and woman, who landed this year in Philadelphia, from Cork. The man is a ſtout made fellow, with a red face, fair hair, ſtoop ſhouldered, about 5 feet 8 inches high, 26 years old, had on when he went away, a blue broad cloth coat and jacket, with plain ſilver'd buttons, an old fine hat, ſmall brim and large crown, ſeveral ſhirts, and a pair of trowſers, with ſeveral other articles. The woman ſomewhat younger, a dark viſage, very black hair, ſmall ſize, walks bad: ſhe took with her a blue cloak with a hood to it, a yellow gown, blue quilted petticoat, ſeveral lawn caps. They are called Thomas and Molly Roch, he was a ſailor laſt war, and was at New-York and Charleſtown. Whoever takes up ſaid ſervants, and ſecures them in any goal, ſo that I may have them again, ſhall have the above reward for the man.

Apply to Joſiah Lockhart of Lancaſter if in Pennſylvania, or ROBERT LOCKHART.

Frederick County, Virginia, July 28, 1787.

To be SOLD,

On Wedneſday the ſeventh of November next, at the houſe of Adam Reigart, in the borough of Lancaſter: the ſale to begin at ten o'clock in the morning, and to continue from day to day until ſold—The following deſcribed

Mills, Plantations, Meſſuages,
And Lots of Ground,

Late the property of Matthias Slough.

One half the purchaſe money to be paid in ſix months, and the remainder in twelve months.

No 1. A ONE ſtory dwelling houſe and lot of ground, in the borough of Lancaſter, containing in front on Prince-ſtreet 64 feet 4 inches and an half and in depth to a 14 feet alley 252 feet; bounded on the weſt by Prince-ſtreet, on the north by a lot of Jaſper Yeates, Eſq; on the eaſt by the ſaid alley, and on the ſouth by a lot formerly of Roger Conner, ſubject to a ground rent of ſterling per annum.

No 2. A lot of ground in the ſaid borough, containing in Front on Vine-ſtreet 126 feet, and in depth 128 feet and 9 inches; bounded on the eaſt by lots of Ulrey Lambarder and John Plottenberger, northward by another lot of Matthias Slough, weſtward by a fourteen foot alley, and ſouthward by Vine ſtreet aforeſaid.

No 3 A half lot of ground in the ſaid borough; bounded on the ſouth by the laſt above-mentioned lot, on the weſt by a fourteen foot alley, on the north by ground late of Henry Kepple, and on the eaſt by ground now or late of Michael Sponſaler, containing in breadth on the ſaid alley 64 feet 4 inches and an half, and in length or depth 122 feet and an half; on which is erected a large one ſtory limeſtone building, at preſent occupied as a ſchool houſe.

No 4. A tract of land ſituate in Lancaſter townſhip, adjoining Coneſtogoe Creek; containing 17 acres, 3 rods and 8 perches, about 6 acres whereof are moſt excellent meadow; on which tract of land is erected a large brick mill, with one pair of burr millſtones.

No 5. One lot of ground, called an out-lot, in the borough of Lancaſter; containing about 5 acres, adjoining the public road leading to the abovementioned mill, and lands of Michael Hubley; ſubject to a ground rent of 2l. 19s. 7d. ſterling per annum.

No 6. Two other out-lots in the ſaid borough, containing 6 acres 3 quarters and 9 perches, adjoining the above mentioned mill tract, ſubject to a ground rent of 4l. 1s. 8d. ſterling per annum

No 7. One tract of land ſituate in Lancaſter townſhip, adjoining Coneſtogoe Creek; containing 3 acres and a quarter, on which is erected a large limeſtone merchant mill, with two pair of burr millſtones.

No 8. One other tract of land, containing 50 acres, adjoining the above-mentioned mill tract, on which is built a large barn and ſtill houſe.

No 9. One piece of land and water, ſituate in Lancaſter and Lampeter townſhip, containing 4 acres and a quarter, called Slough's Pond; Coneſtogoe Creek runs through this tract.

No 10. A lot of 16 acres, for which there is no title; Mr. Slough holds it on ſufferance; it is ſubject to a rent of 12s. 6d. per acre, Pennſylvania currency, per annum.

No 11 A tract of 90 acres of land, ſituate in Lampeter townſhip, adjoining Coneſtogoe Creek, 20 acres whereof are cleared; the remainder is well ſtocked with timber.

No 12. A tract of 311 acres, adjoining the company lands at Martick Forge. One other tract, containing 199 acres, adjoining the ſaid company lands.

And one other tract containing 200 acres, adjoining the company's lands, on which is built a large ſtone barn and ſtables, and a quantity of good meadow.

Alſo Mr. Slough's ſhare of Martick's forge, ſlitting mill, ſaw mill, and lands thereto belonging.

Richard Footman	Joſeph Hubley	Aſſignees
Caleb Foulke	Robert Coleman	
James Abercrombie	Alexander Lowry	
Owen Jones, jun.	Sebaſtian Graaf	

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Juſt arrived and to be ſold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of

Cape of Good Hope WINES.

September 7. 2w3taw

Robert Baſs,

HAS this day imported in the Harmony, Captain Willet, from London, a ſmall Caſe of pure, genuine

Red Peruvian Bark.

He will receive by the next veſſel from London, a full ſupply of freſh Drugs, Medicines, and Shop Furniture, to compleat his aſſortment till next ſpring.

Sept 18 eotf

Wanted to Charter
For VIRGINIA,

A VESSEL from 50 to 150 Tons burthen.——Enquire of

JONES & LOWNES.

A Wet Nurſe.

A healthy Young Woman with a good breaſt of milk, of an unblemiſhed character, and who can be well recommended, would engage on moderate terms. Enquire at the Buck in Chace, in Market-ſtreet. 2

Freſh Importation by the Pigou
OPENING for SALE

At W. Poyntell's,

In Second ſtreet, the corner of Black Horſe-Alley——

New Publications in 1787.

TOWN and Country, European, Univerſal, and Ladies Magazine to June, incluſive; Court Calender, life of Monſieur Turgot, hiſtory of Mexico 2 volumes in 4to, by Charles Cullen, Eſquire, embelliſhed with elegant plates and charts, enquiries concerning letters de cachet, the conſequences of arbitrary impriſonment, and a hiſtory of the diſtreſſes and ſufferings of ſtate priſoners, written in the dungeon of the caſtle of Vincennes by the count de Mirabeau; the emperor's new code of laws, Paley's moral and political philoſophy, hiſtory of the campaigns of 1780 and 1781, in the ſouthern ſtates, by lieutenant colonel Tarleton, commandant of the late Britiſh legion, Bell's ſurgery volume 5, Neſbit and Howard on the venereal diſeaſe; a variety of medical pamphlets; Adair's philoſophical and medical ſketches of the hiſtory of the human body and mind, comparative view of the lives, characters and writings of the earl of Cheſterfield and doctor Johnſon, experiments on lights and colours, Cavallo on magnetiſm, LAW.—Crown circuit, Dawe's law of arreſts, the two laſt term reports, Powel, barriſter at law, on powers. NOVELS, &c.—Romance of real life, Lounger, Mrs. Baddeley, Olivia, Georgina, victim of fancy, ſorrows of the heart, Louiſa, or the cottage of the Moor, exceſſive ſenſibility, Allen Fitzoſborne, Miſs Grenville, ſupplement to Cheſterfield, curſe of ſentiment, Emma Melcombe, Ruben, Spaniſh memoirs, Joſeph, village of Martindale, converſations of Emily, &c. &c.

Globes.

Adams's lateſt 12, 15, and 18 inch complete.

Muſical Inſtruments.

Guitars at various prices, violins, German flutes, beſt Roman violin ſtrings, bridges, pegs, mutes, and bows, harpſichord and piano forte wires, guitar ſtrings, &c.

New Muſic.

Amongſt which are many of the firſt authors, with a great variety of ſheet ſongs, flute, violin and guitar tutors, blank muſic books.

Maps, &c.

New and elegant four ſheet maps of North America, including the Weſt Indies, Europe, Aſia, Africa, and the world, Jefferſon's maps of Virginia, ſingle ſheet maps of the world, Europe, Aſia, Africa, and America, drawing books of all deſcriptions, a great variety of prints.

Stationary.

Imperial, ſuper royal, royal, medium, poſt and foolſcap writing paper, extra thin and ſmall poſt, gilt and plain letter paper, London brown, blotting and cartridge paper, excellent Dutch quills and Iriſh wafers, red tape, ivory folding ſticks, India rubber or elaſtic gum, ſhining japan black ink in vials, beſt London made ink by the gallon, quart, &c. counting houſe files, ebony, japan and pewter inkſtands of all kinds, travelling port folios, paper caſes, blank books of all kinds, beſt Dutch ſealing wax, &c. &c.

Jewellery, &c.

A great variety of Ladies ſett ſhoe buckles, pins, lockets and rings, gentlemens ſett knee buckles, breaſt buckles, &c

Hard and Plated Ware.

The largeſt aſſortment of firſt rate razors ever imported, with variety of caſes, penknives of every deſcription, ſciſſars, caſes of mathematical inſtruments, protractors, braſs compaſſes, plain and ſhifting joints, a great variety of elaſtic plated ſpurs with or without faſhionable long necks, ſome of which are on an entire new conſtruction, variety of gentlemens plated ſhoe buckles, ſnaffle, pelham and curb bitts, tea and coffee urns, cadies, tea pots, candleſticks, &c. &c.

Painting in Water Colours.

Reeve's patent cake colours in boxes at various prices, beſt camel hair pencils, ivory in ſheets, pallets, colour marbles, India ink, &c. beſt and common Crayons.

ALSO,

Ladies and gentlemens morocco pocket books of all kinds, watch chains, ſtrings, ſeals and keys, aſſortment of riding whips, ſhaving glaſſes and picture frames, patent ſhaving ſoap, ſmelling bottles of various kinds, marking types in boxes of various ſizes, tweezers, corkſcrews, ivory and aſs ſkin memorandum books, portable travelling ſhaving caſes, corals and bells, tooth bruſhes, emnuits, eſſence of pearl & pearl dentifrice, Aſiatic tooth powder, Doctor Baker's antiſcorbutic dentifrice and Albion eſſence, money ſcales, cloth powder, ſpring and thumb lancets, eraſers, cypher ſeals, purſes, razor ſtrops, japan tea trays, &c. with a variety of other articles not enumerated.

THE Subſcribers having been duly choſen Aſſignees of the Eſtate and Effects of *Mathias Slough*, of the borough of Lancaſter, in the county of Lancaſter, according to an Act of Aſſembly of Pennſylvania, entitled, "An Act for the Regulation of Bankruptcy:" Therefore all perſons indebted to the ſaid *Mathias Slough*, by Bond, Note, Book Debt, or otherwiſe, are required to make payment unto *Joſeph Hubley*, of the borough of Lancaſter, or to *Richard Footman*, Philadelphia, before the firſt day of November next, or they will be proceeded againſt as the law directs.

Richard Footman,
Caleb Foulke,
James Abercrombie,
Owen Jones, junr.
Robert Coleman,
Joſeph Hubley,
Sebaſtian Groff,
Alexander Lowry, } Aſſignees

Lancaſter, Auguſt 16, 1787. 1aw10w

Thirty Dollars Reward.

LAST night the houſe of the ſubſcriber was broke open, and the following Articles taken from thence: A ſilver coffee pot, a ſilver tea pot, a ſilver cream pot marked E K in a cyher, 5 table ſpoons, a ſoup ſpoon and 7 teaſpoons all marked E. K. in a cyher, one table ſpoon marked P. R. K three teaſpoons marked D. K. one ditto marked A. K. and one ditto marked K. a pair of ſugar tongs, a large ſilver waiter, a ſmall ſilver waiter marked A. K. in a cyher, a ſilver pint Can, a ſilver porrenger, three ſilver tops taken from caſtors, a ſilver pepper box. The above Reward will be given for the whole, or a proportion thereof for any part of the Plate recovered, by

REBECCA KEARNY.

Philadelphia, *September* 2 2w3taw

CAME to the Plantation of Mr. Samuel Sanſan, ſome time ſince, a ſmall red brindle COW, with ſmall crooked horns: the owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away, otherwiſe ſhe will be ſold to diſcharge her expences, if not called for in two months after this date. CHRISTIAN RIFE.

Northern Liberties, Sept. 12

Iſaac Hazlehurſt & Co.

(In Water-ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets)

HAVE for SALE

The Following

GOODS;

Moſt of which have been imported in the lateſt veſſels from the different and moſt advantageous ports of exportation for the reſpective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in caſes of ſuperior quality }
Ditto 2d ditto }
Ditto inferior do } all genuine and good of their kind.
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyſon, Green, Souchng, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per ſheet
Ditto fit for ſheathing a veſſel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and braſs wire of different ſizes
Braſs kettles in neſts, Engliſh and Dutch
Briſtol window glaſs 8 by 10
A ſmall aſſortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan Houſe, at Halle in Saxony
German ſchool books of different ſorts
Ditto glaſs tumblers aſſort.
German looking glaſſes of various ſizes
Nuremberg toys for children
Beſt Dutch rappee & Weſton's ſnuff
Table ſetts of china and china plates
Boxes of Engliſh glaſs ware aſſorted fit for country ſtores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German ſteel
German ſcythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetſtones
Frying pans
Shovels and ſpades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and ſhort
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glaſs pint canniſters with ſcrews
Engliſh and French ſail cloth
Pit ſaws of different ſizes
A new copper ſtill, head and neck, fit for a ſtill of 8 or 900 gallons, will be ſold cheap
A ſhip's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca ſnake-root
Womens London ſhoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general aſſortment of

EUROPEAN GOODS,

In their original packages, and opened as may beſt ſuit the purchaſers; they are well adapted to the ſeaſon, and will be ſold on low terms for caſh, or at the cuſtomary credit.

They have alſo for ſale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to diſpoſe of on the loweſt terms for caſh:

Nail rods of different ſizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and ſheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and ſpades
Phæton and chair tire

They have alſo on hand a quantity of large ſap pine Scantling, which they will ſell at a reaſonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from ſag ends. Auguſt 18. ſ&w tf

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Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnerſhip of *Footman & Shippen* being this day diſſolved: all perſons indebted to them are earneſtly requeſted to make immediate payment.

The remaining Stock on

Hand of ſaid Partnerſhip, conſiſting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be diſpoſed of on advantageous terms, for Caſh, Paper Money of the laſt Emiſſion, or upon a ſhort Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the firſt quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8 4 bath coatings
Fine forreſt cloths
Blue and drab linſies
Striped cotton linſies and German ſtripes
Emboſſed ſerges
Plain and ſpotted ſwanſkins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kerſies and fearnoughts
Printed linſies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Caſtor and beaver hats
Superfine caſſimers
Mens and womens worſted hoſe
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens ſpotted hoſe
Mens white and brown thread hoſe
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demaſcus and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton ſhawls
Fringed ſilk handkerchiefs
A large aſſortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarſe catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, ſpotted & ſtriped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and ſoufflee gauzes
Black taffity and perſians
Blue and roſe coloured ſarſnets
White and pink ſattins
Rich black armozeens
White and puſe coloured mantuas
Marſeilles quilting
Ruſſia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton ſtripes
Womens black ſilk velvet
Long pile mohair pluſhes
A Variety of Stuffs, viz.
Dorſettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, moſt colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, ſhalloons & rattinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thickſetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonſopretties, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White ſtitching threads
Worſted mitts
Womens black ſilk gloves
Coloured fans
Chineſe ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twiſt
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glaſſes
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread baſkets
Japanned bottle ſtands
Womens ticking ſtays
Elegant perſian carpets
Hoſes ſhoes
Cutlery and Hardware, viz.
Steel and plated ſpurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Sciſſars and ſheats
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and piſtol capt knives
Childrens plain & ſpotted knives
Silver and braſs links
Corkſcrews, ſpectacles combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
H hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candleſticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the caſk
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 ſ&w3m

WHEN the pure ſoul is from the body flown,
No more ſhall night's alternate reign be known.
The ſun no more ſhall rolling light beſtow,
But from the Almighty ſtreams of glory flow.
Oh may ſome nobler thoughts our ſouls employ,
Than empty, tranſient, ſublunary joy!
The ſtars ſhall drop, the ſun ſhall loſe his flame,
But thou, O God, for ever ſhine the ſame.

Meſſrs DUNLAP and CLAYPOOLE,

Your inſerting the undermentioned account of what happened at a village in North Wales (which I know to be fact) will oblige ſeveral of your conſtant cuſtomers, and eſpecially

Your friend and humble ſervant.

AN aged woman, poſſeſſed of an handſome income, died ſuddenly, on which her relations came to take poſſeſſion of the effects, and found in caſh but two pence halfpenny; her houſhold conſiſted of a poor apprentice girl, aged 15 years, and a magpie. The relations examined the girl very ſtrictly, but ſhe ſolemnly declared ſhe knew nothing of her miſtreſs's affairs, &c. in the midſt of this ſtir the magpie ſtruck their attention, by chattering "I'll hide more yet," and beating his bill againſt one particular plank in the floor, which cauſed a gentleman preſent to ſay, there was great ſagacity in thoſe birds; on which a carpenter was ſent for, who with great difficulty took up the plank, and found it double, and it faſtened in the floor by a ſtrong ſteel ſpring, which the old lady could take up at pleaſure; which, on opening, was found to contain 900l. The double plank had a crevice in one end, where ſhe puſhed in the money; as there was a long wire found in a cloſet adjoining, it is thought that it was uſed, that the entrance ſhould not be choaked.

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,
Nicaragua Wood & Fuſtick

FOR SALE BY

Ben. Maſon.

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Nixon and Foſter

Have for SALE a Parcel of

Muſcovado Sugars

Of the firſt and ſecond Quality, which they will diſpoſe of on reaſonable terms for caſh or ſhort credit.

September 19. eo6w

Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has juſt Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a ſmall parcel of

GOODS,

Which he will ſell very low for caſh—they conſiſt of

Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colcheſter ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hoſe
Mens worſted Hoſe, ſome very fine
Ditto ſilk ditto
Yard wide Iriſh Linens, &c. &c.

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THE SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the public and his friends in particular, that he carries on a

Boot & Shoe Manufactory

In Second-ſtreet, two doors below Cheſnut ſtreet, on the Eaſt ſide,

WHERE he intends to carry on buſineſs in that line in the moſt regular manner, and means to ſell on as reaſonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Any gentlemen who pleaſe to favor him with their cuſtom, by leaving their meaſure, may depend on having their work done in the neateſt and beſt manner, according to their direction, with the utmoſt diſpatch.

For the convenience of thoſe who want to buy ready made work, he has a good aſſortment, of different kinds and qualities

Thoſe who favor him with orders from the country may depend on being ſerved on reaſonable terms, with the utmoſt punctuality. 1aw3 THOMAS RIMER.

A LARGE and GENERAL

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Wholeſale and Retail,

TO BE SOLD BY

William Beaven,

In Second ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, Philadelphia, viz.

SUPERFINE and ſecond cloths
Caſſimers
Scarlet, red and yellow flannels
Calimancoes, durants and moreens
Rattinets and ſhalloons
Drab coloured double ſattinet for mens breeches
Chintzes and calicoes
Silk umbrellas
Mens ribbed and plain ſilk and thread hoſe
Mens and womens cotton ditto
Ditto ditto ſilk and leather gloves
Black, white and blue ſattin
Brocades, mantuas and perſians
Corduroys and honeycombs
Furniture and cotton checks
Iriſh linens and brown hollands
Striped and maſqueraded bengals
9-8 and 3-4 cotton and linen ſtripes
Turky ditto
Fine black crape for gowns
Damaſk and diaper tablecloths
Clouting diaper
Wilton and Scotch carpets and carpeting
Silk, linen, cotton and check handkerchiefs
Striped and plain muſlins
Muſlin handkerchiefs
Sewing ſilks
7-8 and 3-4 ſtriped ticking
Black lace ſhades
Gauze aprons & handkerchiefs
Cotton & linen ſtriped linſey
White and brown buckram
White tapes
Elegant and common fans
Ditto ſilk purſes
Marſeilles quilting
Muſlinets and dimothies
Broad and narrow worſted bindings
Quantity of ſilk and linen dreſſed dolls
Steel collars for young ladies
Low priced knives and forks

Japanned Ware.

Elegant oval and ſquare waiters
Tea urns, coffee and tea pots
Sugar and tea canniſters
Bread baſkets and muggs
Hyſon TEA of the firſt quality by the cheſt, doz. or pound; beſides a number of other Articles not mentioned. *September* 11 w&ſ.th&ſtf

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality.
FOR SALE BY
Thomas Leiper, Tobacconiſt,
in Water ſtreet, the ſeventh door above Market ſtreet,
Alſo, as Uſual.
SCOTCH SNUFF,
Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut
TOBACCO,
From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the beſt choſen
GROCERIES:
As ſago oatmeal, barley, ſpices, Malmſey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, ſoy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup anchovies, capres, ſallad oil, &c.
FOR SALE BY
John Dorſey.
Sept 4 3taw3w

William Caldwell & Co.

At their ſtore, the ſouth ſide of Market-ſtreet wharf,
Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.
Have juſt Opened a Large Aſſortment of
GROCERIES,
Wholesale and Retail,
Conſiſting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Aſſortment of the beſt Goods of every kind, ſuitable for country ſtorekeepers, as well as for private families, and to ſell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4. 1787. mwſ 1m

High Proof RUM

In Punſheons.
Muſcovado SUGAR in Hogſheads, and a few
Bags beſt Green Coffee,
Juſt arrived in the Brig General Orde, from Dominica,
And to be SOLD by
Robert M'Clenachan,
At his Wet Good Store, in Third ſtreet, S. W. corner of Arch-ſtreet: where he has alſo for ſale
ſundry other
Articles in the Grocery Line.
July 23. mwſtf

William Compton,

In Third-ſtreet, between Race and Vine ſtreets, has for ſale on very low terms, for caſh or ſhort credit.

LONDON pewter, in caſks, well aſſorted
English ſail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A caſe of boys hats, of various colours
A ſmall invoice of beſt London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, ſhalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c
ALSO.
Garden ſeeds of different kinds, rape and canary ſeeds, &c mwſtf

Rundle & Murgatroyd,

(Water ſtreet, juſt above Market ſtreet)
Have received for ſale by the Harmony from London, and other late Arrivals.

RUSSIA, Scotch and Iriſh ſheetings
Iriſh linens, low priced
Raven ducks, ticklenburgs
Sileſias, lace edgings
Elegant pier glaſſes
Whiting, chalk, & excellent London bottled porter
Alſo, an Invoice, conſiſting of luſtereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c. to be ſold at a very low advance.
Likewiſe, high proof Grenada rum, and beſt Burlington pork. September 17 mwſ

Samuel & David Rutter

HAVE FOR SALE,
At their ſtore on Meaſe's wharf, the ſecond below the Drawbridge,
Pennſylvania refined Barr Iron,
Nail Rods
Sheet Iron
Ploughſhare moulds with and without bars
Engliſh, German, and American ſteel
4d 6d 8d 10d 12d and 20 Nails
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouſe } *STOVES*
Backs and jams for chimnies
Pots, Dutch ovens, window weights
Cart boxes, and a variety of other caſtings
Beef, pork, mackrel, and Indian corn
Rum ſugar, coffee, &c. Auguſt 29 eotm

Lately Imported, and for ſale by
Wooddrop & Joſeph Sims,

FIRST and ſecond quality St. Croix ſugars in hogſheads, tierces and barrels; ſweet oil in baſkets of a ſuperior quality; liquers, ratifia, and beſt double diſtilled lavender water in caſes; Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons*, on the north ſide the ſubſcribers' alley, with the wharf in front; alſo, a convenient three ſtory Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the ſubſcriber'—*And to be ſold*, A Houſe and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchaſe money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&ſtf

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White
CHINA,
Congo Tea in Cheſts—And a Quantity of
CASSIA,
Juſt imported from India, to be ſold reaſonably by
Pickering & Hodgdon,
Sept 5 d

Patrick Duffey,

BROKER,
Reſpectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Cheſnut ſtreet, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL
Certificates for the Land-Office,
With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;
Dollar Money,
STATE MONEY of the Emiſſion of 1781, &c. &c.
And has alſo provided himſelf with
STORES
To receive Merchandize, which he will ſell for thoſe who pleaſe to employ him, to the beſt advantage, at a moderate Commiſſion, and will endeavour to the beſt of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himſelf that an Attention to the Intereſt of thoſe for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him ſome Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,
On approved ſecurity, and the greateſt Secrecy and Delicacy obſerved in the Negociation of any Buſineſs committed to his Charge. Auguſt 7 w&ſtf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by
BERTIER & Co.
Alſo *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in caſes—and
A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh

linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;
No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,
Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in caſes,
TO BE SOLD BY
Stewart and *Neſbitt.*
September 5 d

Benjamin Maſon

Has for SALE, at his Store in Water, near Market-ſtreet,

MOLASSES of an excellent quality
Cotton, Spaniſh hides, ſoal leather
Cordage of various ſizes
A cable of 11 inches
Rappee ſnuff, of the genuine German manufacture
Sileſia linens and ſail cloth
Alſo, mahogany, fuſtick, lignum vitæ, Nicaragua wood, chalk, &c. &c. dtf

FOR SALE BY
Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,
ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones warranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks, Senneca, ſnake root in hhds. &c. &c.

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF
Salt, Wine and Lemons,
FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,
PORT WINE,
In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,
LONDON PARTICULAR
Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of beſt
Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.
Auguſt 22. eptf

EXCELLENT
Bourdeaux Claret,

In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogſheads.
Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;
Copper Kettles, juſt arrived, and for Sale by
Roſs and Vaughan.
Auguſt 22. etf

Sherry & Malaga Wine

FOR SALE BY
Barclay, Brown & Co.
July 10. dtf

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed
Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,
All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.
Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet.

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have juſt Imported in the ſchooner Fox, Joſeph Lowrey, maſter, from Kingſton, Jamaica,
JAMAICA ſpirits in porter hogſheads and caſks; Coffee in barrels of a ſuperior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nuts. Sept 7 d

Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,
A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,
New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.
They have alſo for Sale or Charter,
A very fine SLOOP,
That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

In Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale
FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes
Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England ſoal leather d Sept 5

Iriſh Linens,

Juſt arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by
Roſs and *Vaughan.*
September 15 d

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,
In Pipes, Hogſheads and Quarter Caſks, for ſale by
w&ſtf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Philip Boehm

At his *Store* in Second ſtreet, between Arch and Race ſtreets, nine Doors below Race ſtreet, has for Sale the following
GOODS,
At the moſt reaſonable Prices for caſh or ſhort credit,
JAMAICA SPIRITS,
Weſt-India and Philadelphia Rum
Liſbon, Mountain, Teneriffe, Fyal | WINES
Gin by the caſe
Tea, Coffee, Pepper and Sugar
Lamp Oil and Mackrel.
N. B. He hopes that his former cuſtomers will continue their favours. Aug 31

To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORE adjoining, ſituate in Penn and Water ſtreets, between Lombard and South ſtreets.
July 18 w&ſ JOHN ANGUS.

The SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has Opened a
Boot and Shoe Manufactory,
In Front ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, two doors from Cheſnut ſtreet, on the Bank ſide.

Where he intends to carry on buſineſs in that line in the moſt regular manner in its various branches, and means to ſell on as reaſonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Ladies and Gentlemen who would be ſo kind as to favour him with their cuſtom, by leaving their meaſure may depend on having their work done in the neateſt and beſt Manner, and according to their directions, with quick diſpatch.

And for the conveniency of thoſe who want to buy ready made work, there is a good aſſortment of different qualities. ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR.

N. B. Thoſe who favour him with orders from the country, may depend on being ſerved at ſaid Manufactory on reaſonable terms, with the utmoſt punctuality. All Goods bought at ſaid Manufactory repaired on reaſonable terms. Auguſt 7 w&ſtf

LANDS FOR *SALE*

In MARYLAND.

THE ſubſcriber has for ſale, all that *TRACT* of *LAND* called *Beall's Plantation* and *Bateman's Field* (being part of *Snowden's Reputation Supported*) containing from a late ſurvey 676 and a half acres, ſituate on the head of South river, Anne Arrundel county, about 3 miles from navigable water, 12 from the city of Annapolis, 28 from Baltimore town, 24 from George town, and about 7 from the Inſpection Houſes of Indian Landing and Queen Anne, is well adapted for corn, wheat, and particularly tobacco.

This Plantation has not been tenanted for 3 years is a moſt pleaſing and deſirable ſituation, and capable of great improvement at a ſmall expence; there are 259 acres of timber land, a greater part of which is very valuable. The ſubſcriber would prefer diſpoſing of the whole in one lot; but has no objection to making ſeveral of it: the timber land is conveniently ſituated for making ſuch diviſions in equal proportions, & there are many pleaſant ſituations for erecting different buildings; it is alſo well watered—A very good mill ſtream runs through it, and there is ſome meadow ground, and much more may be very readily made.

The improvements upon it are, a good dwelling houſe with three large rooms on each floor, kitchen, quarter, corn houſe, ſtables, tobacco houſe, and two very fine apple orchards, one of which contains 220 trees, together with a number of other valuable fruit trees.

A plan of this eſtate may be ſeen at Mr. *Vachel Stevens*, ſurveyor, Annapolis, who will ſhew the premiſes; alſo at Meſſ. *William Patterſon & Brother's*, Baltimore, and further information had. For price, terms, &c. apply to *JOHN WADDINGTON.*
Philadelphia, Auguſt 15. wtf

ALL KINDS

Of Public Securities bought and ſold Money borrowed and lent on approved ſecurity, and negotiated ſo as to accommodate the parties. Certificates, State and Dollar Money furniſhed for the Land-Office, on the loweſt terms, by
Francis White.
Cheſnut ſtreet, near the Bank. d

A Freſh importation of New Publications, elegant 12, 14 and 18 inch Globes, a great variety of New Muſic, excellent Violin Strings, a capital aſſortment of warranted Razors, Jewellery, &c. &c. are opening for ſale at
W. POYNTELL's,
The corner of Black Horſe alley, in Second-ſtreet.
Sept. 18. 3tp

To the Curious.

Juſt arrived from the Coaſt of Africa,
A CAMEL;
Full grown, and near twenty-one hands high.

This Animal, of which ſuch frequent mention is made in the Holy Scriptures, and of which there has not been one in this city for near 50 years, is to be ſeen in Shippen's alley (near the Romiſh chapel) next door above George Clymer, eſquire's. Price for grown Perſons 1/6 each, and for Children 9d each.
September 14 7tp

WANTED, A
Convenient Dwelling Houſe,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. Auguſt 25 d

FOR SALE, A
TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to
Aug 18. 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.
THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to
JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,
Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

TO BE SOLD,
THE noted TAVERN in Walnut ſtreet, near Front ſtreet, known by the name of the *George* and *Dragon*. Enquire of
w&ſtf Sept 3 JOSEPH PRICE.

TO BE SOLD,
A Commodious Store and Lot of Ground, in Second ſtreet, oppoſite the New-Market, and clear of incumbrances. For particulars enquire of JOHN PALMER, Junr. eotf

TO BE LET,
A convenient three-ſtory Brick
HOUSE,
In UNION-STREET.
Alſo, a ſmall TENEMENT in Pine ſtreet.
The preſent tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.
Auguſt 1. 2awtf

TO BE SOLD,
THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has two years and 4 months to ſerve: ſhe is a hearty, ſtrong, induſtrious girl, and would ſuit for either town or country: ſhe is ſold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.
Auguſt 30 cotf

For Sale on Moderate Terms,
A Variety of Elegant
Mahogany Furniture,

AT
THOMAS BOWEN's
CABINET MANUFACTORY, No. 20.
In Spruce ſtreet near Second ſtreet;
Where every ſort and faſhion of Mahogany Goods are made with Care and Diſpatch. Aug 31 3tſ

Five Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY from the ſubſcriber, living in Suſſex county, Delaware ſtate, about the 26th of May laſt, a Negro MAN, named *Wame*; 30 years of age, about 5 feet 6 inches high, yellow complexion, his right leg ſhorteſt, ſo as to make him limp in his walk; by trade a ſhoemaker: he took with him one brown cloth coat, one light coloured ſagathy ditto, one pair fuſtian trowſers, one pair ſtriped calico ditto, one calico jacket, one yellow worſted ditto, one large cocked hat, and ſundry other cloaths not recollected. He is ſuppoſed to be now in Salem, New Jerſey. Whoever takes up and ſecures the above Runaway, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall be entitled to the above reward, and if brought home all reaſonable charges paid, by JOHN ROBINSON.
Prime-Hook, Suſſex county, Sept 4. w&ſ2w

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.
NATHANIEL LEWIS.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 22. cptf

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] FRIDAY, September 21, 1787. [No. 2692.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 21st Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are,

MANCHESTER chintzes and cottons of the first quality and patterns; Irish linens, white and brown, yard, 7 8 and 3 4 wide; a neat invoice of Scotch needle worked and plain lawn aprons and handkerchiefs; plain and striped and cross barred kentings, gauzes, lineaus and catguts; superfine Irish linens, long lawns and cambricks; a few pieces beautiful sattins and mantuas; plain, jaconet, striped and cross barred muslins of different qualities; moreens, calimancoes, rattinets, shalloons, durants & tammies; garters and bindings; French, German and English cloths, coatings, &c. &c. *September* 21

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House, *THIS DAY*, the 21st of the present month, at 7 o'clock in the evening,
Will be Sold to the highest Bidder,

THE Life Estate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt, in the following Property:

An undivided fourth part of 243 acres of improved Land in Charleston township, Chester county, now in the tenure of Thomas Robinson, and rented at 25*l.* per annum.

An undivided fourth part of 400 acres of improved Land at Cohickon, in Bucks county, now rented at 20*l.* per annum.

One half of a Ground Rent of 56*s.* per annum, issuing out of a lot in Arch-street, near Fifth-street, in the City of Philadelphia, payable by —— Parker.

One half of a Ground Rent of 50*s.* per annum, issuing out of a lot in Fifth-street, near Arch-street.

One half of 397 acres of Woodland lying near the Blue Mountains, in Northampton county.

One half of 150 acres of unimproved Land in Sadsbury township, Lancaster county, now rented to colonel Parke for the payment of the annual taxes.

One half of 4300 acres of unimproved pine Land in Salem county, New-Jersey.

One half of a share in a propriety of West Jersey; belonging to the estate of the said Bankrupt.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee
Of the estate of Cadwalader Morris, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber. R. R. 2aw Sept 21. 1787.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 20 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening,
(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist-Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill, in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw-mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept* 17 eptf

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Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

On Saturday the 22d instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the Wharf of Andrew Hodge, in Water street, near Race street,

100 Barrels of Turpentine,

Seized and sold for rent, by
JOHN TEANY, Constable.

Sept. 17. 1787. 3t

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House*, on *Wednesday* the 10th day of October next, will be sold to the highest Bidder, the following

PROPERTY,

Belonging to the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

No 1, A Tract of valuable patented land, containing 272 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, in Bald Eagle township, Northumberland county; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Thomas Denton*, dated the 1st day of July, 1784.

No 2, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, and adjoining the before mentioned tract; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Lewis Farmer*, dated 1st July, 1784.

No 3, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, as aforesaid, and separated from *No* 2 by a tract of about 300 acres; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to John Hughes, dated the 1st of July, 1784.

No 4, A tract of land, containing 319 3-8 acres and allowance, situate on Sinnamahoning creek, 25 miles from the mouth, and county aforesaid; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to col. *Isaac Melchor*, dated the 17th of May 1785. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered the purchaser of this tract, free from any expence.

No 5, A tract of patented land, containing 300 acres and allowance, in the county of Westmoreland, being lot *No* 16, in the second district of Donation lands.

Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee
of the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

Philadelphia, September 14, 1787

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber. R. R. 2aw

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LAST NOTICE.

In the Case of Samuel C. Morris,
A BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against Samuel C. Morris, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on Tuesday the 14th day of August instant, on Monday the 3d day of September following, and on Monday the 24th of the same month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the state house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects: when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees, and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination. All persons indebted to the said bankrupt, or who have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the same but to whom the commissioners shall appoint, but give notice thereof to the subscriber.

By Order of the Commissioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Office, Watkins's alley, Aug 13. 1787. 14 1.20

SECOND NOTICE.

In the Case of John Meyer,
A BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commission of bankrupt is awarded and issued forth against *John Meyer*, late of Hamburgh, in the county of Berks, merchant and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt is hereby required to surrender himself to the commissioners in the said commission named, or the major part of them, on *Friday* the 14th day of September next; on *Monday* the 24th day of the same month, and on *Friday* the 12th day of October following, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of each of the said days, at the State house in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full discovery and disclosure of his estate and effects, when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the second meeting to chuse assignees, and at the last meeting the said bankrupt is required to finish his examination.

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Bankrupt Office, August 13, 1787. 1.20.8

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is represented to this board that there are many of the line of this state intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themselves, or sent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a resolution of this Board, of the 31st day of August, 1786, they will be precluded, unless the time is prolonged so as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Resolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1st day of October next, and that this resolution be published, so that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,
JAMES TRIMBLE,
2awtO For John Armstrong, jun. Secretary.

John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Rose*, in Walnut, between Second and Third streets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has just received a variety of high scented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will dispose of on very reasonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the present opportunity of returning thanks to those Ladies and Gentlemen who have been so good as to favour him with their custom, and flatters himself his conduct will be such as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the first quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be sold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry's*, Chesnut street, No. 19, between Second and Front streets.

August 13 2awtf

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

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A CAMEL;

Full grown, and near twenty-one hands high.

This Animal, of which such frequent mention is made in the Holy Scriptures, and of which there has not been one in this city for near 50 years, is to be seen in Shippen's alley (near the Romish chapel) next door above George Clymer, esquire's. Price for grown Persons 1/6 each, and for Children 9*d* each.

September 14 7sp

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

IF *George Carl Frederick Hartmann*, formerly a corporal in the service of the Duke of Brunswick, and who in the year 1780, resided in Loudon county, state of Virginia, would apply to the subscriber in Third street, he will be informed of an event in which he is particularly interested.

SAMUEL M. FOX.

Philadelphia, *September* 15, 1787 3taw2w

FOR SALE,
The Stout new Ship

GOLIOH:

SHE is a very elegant, well built ship, of about 520 tons, is at present on the stocks at Baltimore, and may be launched in two weeks. The payments will be made very easy to the purchaser, and, if necessary, a long credit will be given on paying interest. Paper money or public securities will also be received. For terms apply to COXE and FRAZIER.

Philadelphia, September 12, 1787 2aw2w

For *LONDON*,

The Ship HARMONY,
John Willett, Master;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,
William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY*.

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

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WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

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FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For Boston,

The Sloop BAUSTO,
DANIEL NEWMAN, Master;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to Messrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon*, at their store at the head of the wharf.

September 17 d

FOR

Norfolk and *Petersburg*,
(Virginia)

The Schooner ELEANOR,
John Burke, Master;

TO sail in five days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Fisher's wharf, or to

Sept 18 5sp *DEAVES, BAKER & ABELL.*

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and solicit a Continuance thereof as the ensuing Election, for the *Coroner's* Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, August 25, 1787. tutf

WANTED, A

Convenient Dwelling House,

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers. August 25 d

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ALL those who have any Demands against the estate of David Schaffer, jun. late of the city of Philadelphia, sugar refiner, deceased, are desired to bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, for settlement; and all persons indebted to said estate are desired to make payment without delay.

JOHN FROMBERGER, Executor.

Philadelphia, September 13, 1787.

N. B. The sale of loaf and other sugars, as well as Molasses, is continued at the store of the deceased, as heretofore; and there is now a large quantity on hand, which will be disposed of on the lowest terms. 2au2m

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Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale two convenient *STORES*, the southwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

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Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.

THE Partnership of *Head* and *Sansom* being this day dissolved, all persons having any demands against them, are desired to bring their accounts either to *John Head*, junr. at the store lately occupied by *Head & Sansom*, or to *William Sansom*, at his store in the same street, three doors below Arch street, where they will receive payment; and all those indebted to them six months, are earnestly requested to make payment at either of the abovementioned places. 3sp.w&13w

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JAMES WITHY,

HATMAKER.

RETURNS his sincere thanks to his Friends and Customers, and informs them, he has removed to Third-street, between Market and Arch-streets, the fourth door from Church Alley, opposite Mr. John Dorsey's; where he continues to carry on the Hat Manufactory, as usual, of beaver, castor, half castor and felt hats; and makes as great allowance as possible to those who purchase to sell again.

N. B. A very good Malt House, Wharf, Stores, and Lot of Ground, situate in Marcus Hook, to be disposed of for cash, or bartered for goods, country produce or manufactures. 2aw7t

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EDUCATION.

THE subscriber presents his best compliments to his friends, as well as the public, and also begs leave to inform them, that he has some time since removed to the house where Mr. Jack lately gave instruction, in the arduous task of an instructor of youth, formerly known by the appellation of colonel Porter's school-house, situate in Union-street, between Second and Third streets, where he continues to initiate youth in every useful part of erudition, and in a particular manner English grammar in all its parts. Being fully convinced of the many vague and fictitious opinions with regard to English grammar, in a great measure occasioned by the several treatises lately extant, diametrically opposite,—he therefore intends to teach his pupils the elements of the Latin Language, in order to corroborate their judgment in the English, (with no additional charge, by which method they will be able to attain a consummate knowledge of the beauties of the English, and prevent their being misled by caprice, innovations, &c. PATRICK BRADY.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 1, 1787.

He intends Opening an *Evening-School* on the 1st of October.

TO be Let, and may be entered upon the 14th September next, the *House*, *Wharf* and *Stores* now in the tenure of Robert Shewel, in Water street between Arch and Race streets. Enquire of John Thompson, merchant, in Front street. 3taw3w

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Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Christian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, August 22. eptf

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

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A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY

Ben. Mason.

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Foreign Intelligence.

PARIS, June 20.

THE duke of Liancourt is ſet out for Holland, charged with a very important commiſſion. It is commonly reported here, that the French ambaſſador has demanded a categorical anſwer of the court at St. James's, why the Engliſh are equipping ſo many veſſels.

The queen's houſhold in France coſt upon an average four millions of livres. Upon the new œconomical plan, ſeven hundred and fifty thouſand only will be ſaved. This is however ſomething, and added to other ſavings from the king and his royal brothers, great hopes are entertained by the nation of recovering their former ſtrength and ſplendour.

The duke of Orleans is actually ſelling the houſes forming the arcades or piazzas of the Palais Royal. This has cauſed great uneaſineſs to ſome poor tradeſmen, who, not being able to purchaſe, are afraid of being turned out, or having their rents raiſed after having taken leaſes for three, ſix, or nine years. A company of rich contractors have purchaſed almoſt the whole.

June 25. All our letters from London agree in ſaying that the king of England was the only perſon in council who was of opinion for ſending regiments to his couſin the prince of Orange, and a ſquadron to be at his diſpoſal. All the miniſters were of a contrary opinion; and Mr. Pitt declared, that if they ſent a ſingle ſoldier to Holland he would quit the miniſtry.

LONDON.

July 6. Mr. Pitt and the preſent miniſtry are averſe to giving the Stadtholder any aſſiſtance; this can only be accounted for by a puſillanimity in theſe gentlemen, as the Stadtholder was ever our friend, and his perſecutions derive from his being averſe to the ſtates joining our enemies in the American war.

A ſecond great perſonage had a converſation with the right honorable Mr Fox upon the ſituation of Holland, who declared this country was in gratitude and intereſt bound to ſupport the Stadtholder in his preſent ſituation, as his perſecutions were for his love for his country;——and thus thinks his majeſty——ſo a change may be expected.

The patriots in Holland have openly accuſed Great Britain of interfering in their preſent civil commotions, and the Stadtholderians make no ſcruple of avowing their confidence, it having ſecured the intereſt of the Britiſh court. Upon what foundation either party may found their aſſertions, we preſume not to determine, but our correſpondent at the Hague poſitively aſſures us, that the Britiſh ambaſſador is daily cloſeted with thoſe members of the council who are avowedly the friends of the Houſe of Orange; and that there is every reaſon to ſuppoſe, the ſpiritual conduct of the prince from the friendly profeſſions of the courts of London and Berlin.

In the Dutch diſputes we learn to have forgot the proceedings of the Empreſs of Ruſſia; the laſt accounts from Cherſon ſtated, that ſhe had already 43 ſhips of the line upon the Black Sea: and that her many hundred wrights were building more with all poſſible diſpatch, for the ſame navigation. She ſeems to have taſted the ſweets of the mild and perate climate where ſhe now is, and to have felt the difference there is in the air of Cherſon from that of Peterſburgh. If this extraordinary woman were ten years younger, it is more than probable ſhe would transfer the ſeat of government of her vaſt empire from the banks of the Baltic to the banks of the Euxine.

By a gentleman who on Saturday arrived from Holland, we have the following intelligence, which, though we cannot abſolutely affirm for fact, from the reſpectability of the channel, we are much inclined to believe, viz. That in conſequence of the ſeizure or detenſion of the princeſs of Orange, his Pruſſian majeſty hath publicly declared his reſolution of ſupporting the Stadtholder, and had given every neceſſary order for its being carried into immediate effect. From the ſame quarter we are alſo aſſured, that to ſupport the oppoſite party, a large body of French troops are put in motion, and are now rapidly proceeding towards the Low Countries, to act as the exigencies of the intereſt they eſpouſe may require. So that it is now almoſt reduced to a certainty, that nothing ſhort of one campaign at leaſt will reſtore peace to the long diſtracted ſtates of Holland.

The number of ſhips the French fleet was intended to be compoſed of, when the firſt orders were iſſued, was twelve ſhips of the line; but on demanding from our court, why a fleet was preparing at Spithead, and not receiving a ſatisfactory anſwer, the French court thought it adviſeable to add four ſhips to their former orders, ſo that it is now ſixteen.

On Saturday laſt the quarterly ſeſſions ended at the Guildhall, King-ſtreet, Weſtminſter; when David Battie, and three other pickpockets, received ſentence of tranſportation to New South Wales, for the term of ſeven years.

Mr. Battie being of the higheſt order of theſe peſts of ſociety, we will give our readers ſome account of this gentleman—in perſon and figure he is remarkable handſome, with a very genteel addreſs, and always well dreſt; he was convicted of ſtealing a pocket handkerchief from a perſon at St. James's on the birth day; this was rather ſurprizing, as he generally made his daſhes upon greater objects, and greater things; it was this gentleman who picked the pocket of the right hon. Charles Fox of his watch, at the Artillery Ground, when Lunardi firſt went with his balloon, and well known for his attempt to rob his grace the duke of Queenſberry, while in converſation with the Prince of Wales, at Aſcot races, two years ago; for which he got docked of a very fine head of hair, well horſe whipped, expoſed upon the ground with a halter about his neck, and but for the interpoſition of his royal highneſs, would in all probability been finiſhed; he was ſome years ſince valet to Capt. S——, who was at Briſtol, but ſome private buſineſs ſuddenly calling his maſter into the country, Battie, who was peſtering gentlemen by dreſſing in the captain's cloaths, and at a ball he went to, ingratiated himſelf ſo far into the good graces of a young lady, daughter of the principal magiſtrate at that time, as cauſed ſome uneaſineſs in the family, who upon enquiry found him to be a ſervant, and applied to his maſter to diſcharge him, which was done; but the father not thinking this ſufficient for the ſafety of his daughter, got him preſſed. The captain hearing this, and thinking the gentleman had gone too far, got him releaſed, and Battie came to London; he reſided at the Hampſhire Hog in Piccadilly two or three years, and in the days the E. O. tables were ſo much in vogue, he was turner to one of them. This buſineſs being put a ſtop to, he formed a connection with Barrington, Harry Sterne, alias Gentleman Harry, and was a third in that reputable houſe, which is hard bordering upon a diſſolution. Gentleman Harry's trial comes on this week for robbing the duke of Beaufort.

It is incredible the number of pickpockets that were under the management of theſe men, and regularly carried their ſtolen property to a houſe in Drury-lane, well known at Bow-ſtreet, where 20 of a night might be apprehended; but they know better far than we, youth muſt not tremble till two ſcore*.

* Alluding to the forty pounds reward.

Battie on his trial might be compared to Macheath, for there were no leſs than four of his girls in the court during his trial and ſentence, by no means deſtitute of beauty; there was one in particular ſeemed almoſt frantic when the ſentence was paſſed for Botany Bay.

It would be policy to let his girls go with him for ſtock.

The Amſterdam Gazette obſerves, that Sir James Harris, who knew the deſign of the Princeſs of Orange coming to the Hague, was the firſt who ſent a courier to his court, with the news of her capture. M. Thulemeyer, the Pruſſian miniſter, did not ſend away any advices until the next day, after he had been informed of the affair by the Grand Penſionaire.

July 18.

In the gardens of Chantilly, is the beautiful and uncommon ſight of large and full blown roſes grafted on apple trees in full bearing.

Extract of a letter from Newcaſtle, July 16.

'Tueſday at noon, we had a violent ſtorm of thunder, attended with heavy rain. During the ſtorm, one of the windows of Stepney oil mill, near this town being open, a cat was killed by a flaſh of lightning; providentially the miller had left the window the very inſtant before it happened; and what is remarkable, the animal's bones were rendered ſo ſoft, that they might be twiſted round the hand like a glove.'

How far the civil commotions in Holland are from ſubſiding, the following extract of an authentic letter from the Hague, dated July 13, which we received laſt night will clearly demonſtrate:

'Orders are expected to be iſſued every hour by the ſtates general, for a declaration of offenſive war againſt the ſtadtholder, in order to compel him to an immediate abdication of the ſupreme government of the United Provinces. Advice is this inſtant received, that lieutenant Timarmuns, of the cavalry, has been arreſted by an armed party of the patriotic burghers, and being charged with an attempt to ſeduce his ſquadron over to the prince's cauſe, was tried, and condemned to be beheaded within 3 days on the *Place de*——.'

As a proof, amongſt numberleſs ones already known to the public, of the queen's encouraging attention to every art, even ſuch as are only of mere treatment, we have it in our power to give a freſh inſtance of that liberal condeſcenſion in the caſe of Meſſrs. Rubart and Boutant, of Dover ſtreet, Piccadilly, artificial floriſts to her majeſty, who on her real birth day, condeſcended to accept the homage of a *chef d'ouvre* in their way; it conſiſted of a roſe tree, the flowers of which preſerving their native beauty on one ſide, exhibited on the other by the half burnt leaves, the cruel havocks of the north eaſt winds, ſo as to deceive the eye of the keeneſt naturaliſt. The principal bud in the middle appeared in full bloom. A butterfly flutters about it, by touching which a kind of box opens, and preſents the beholder with the queen's cypher, and the ſprig of a flower, called by the French *Immortelle* (everlaſting) an emblem of what every individual within this empire muſt wiſh to be the forteller of our fair ſovereign's long and happy ſway over a land, which every inſtant of her life is calculated to bleſs and proſper.

DUBLIN, July 12.

Another houſe of rendezvous has been opened on the quay, for the reception of ſailors for his majeſty's navy. In time of peace it is unuſual to ſee two houſes of rendezvous open for this purpoſe, as in open war there are no more. The intent, however, is only to raiſe as many men, ſaid to be 2 or 300, as will complete the number of a ſquadron of obſervation, that is ſhortly to be fitted out of ſome of the Britiſh ports.

AMERICA.

ST. VINCENT's, June 23.

On Wedneſday evening laſt, the long boat of the Hartwell Eaſt Indiaman, capt. Edward Fiott, arrived here, with Mr. Gregory Jackſon the fourth mate, Mr. Joſeph Wiboult, midſhipman and coxſwain, the gunner, and 21 of the crew of that ſhip, which was wrecked on a reef about two leagues to the north eaſtward of Bonaviſta, one of the Cape de Verd Iſlands, on the 24th of May laſt, in her paſſage from England to China.

The Hartwell failed from the Downs the firſt of May. The mutinous behaviour of her crew, which very early diſcovered itſelf, put capt. Fiott under the neceſſity of confining nine of the ringleaders in irons; and apprehending the moſt ſerious conſequences from a reſolution, which he was informed, had been entered into of releaſing the priſoners, he on the 22d of that month, determined to bear away for the iſland of St. Jago, to put the offenders aſhore. About 8 o'clock in the evening of the 23d, they made the iſland of Sal; but at 3 the next morning ſaw the land on the lee bow, and at half paſt 3 ſhe ſtruck on the reef abovementioned. In the courſe of half an hour the water was up to the hollop deck, and day light faſt approaching, 'twas thought prudent to get all the boats out, in order to preſerve their lives, not the leaſt proſpect remaining of ſaving the ſhip or any part of the cargo, and they all got ſafe aſhore at Bonaviſta.

On the 26th, capt. Fiott went in the cutter, with ſeveral of his officers to St. Jago, in hopes of procuring ſome veſſel there to take off the ſhip's company, but not ſucceeding, he was followed in a day or two by Mr. Jackſon and about 50 of the crew, in the long boat, pinnace, and yawl, the remainder amounting to about the ſame number ſtaying at Bonaviſta.

Finding it impoſſible to procure ſubſiſtence for the whole at St. Jago, Mr. Jackſon propoſed to captain Fiott to take the long boat, with as many hands as choſe to go in her, and endeavour to get to Barbadoes, which being agreed to, after procuring a very ſcanty ſupply of proviſions, he failed from St. Jago on the 3d of June in the evening, with the party beforementioned, and in 16 days made this iſland, having miſſed Barbadoes from the badneſs of the weather and the ſtrength of the current.

The Hartwell was a new ſhip, launched only the 5th of February laſt. She had on board 64 cheſts of dollars, each of which contained 4000; beſides a cargo, the returns of which were expected to load her and another ſhip home.

HALIFAX, (Nova Scotia) Aug. 9.

Accounts from St. John's, (New Brunſwick) ſay, that the Indians have commenced hoſtilities on the frontiers of Canada, and that ſeveral ſoldiers of his majeſty's 65th regiment had been killed in a ſkirmiſh with them.

Sunday ſailed for England, the brig Ark, captain Hall. This veſſel has carried as large a quantity of oil, bone and furs, as ever was exported from this province. Her cargo is ſuppoſed to be worth 20,000l.

NEW-HAMPSHIRE.

EXETER, Sept. 1. On Thurſday afternoon, between 4 and 5 o'clock, a very unuſual noiſe was heard in the north eaſt by moſt people in this and the neighbouring towns. It reſembled the noiſe of field artillery, at two or three miles diſtance, where the exploſions were perfectly diſtinct, but without the leaſt intermiſſion. The ſound continued nearly a minute, and was uniform from beginning to end. It was obſerved by many people to be preceded by a flaſh, though there was no cloud in the hemiſphere, from which thunder could be expected; nor did the ſound at all reſemble it, except in intenſity. The houſes were perceived to jar, but there was no motion of the earth. For 10 or 15 minutes before the noiſe, the attention of the people in the ſtreets was attracted by a very ſmall cloud, of an extremely ſingular appearance, in the direction from which the ſound came. There were at the time a few ſmall clouds ſcattered over the hemiſphere, and moving towards the ſouth eaſt; but this was far below them, and almoſt ſtationary; what motion it had was oppoſite to that of the others; it was long and narrow; the ſingularity of it conſiſted in its colour; which was like that of the flames of ſulphur, except one end, which was white; the whole was rather ragged: It ſpread ſlowly, and diſappeared after about an hour, very near the place where it was firſt diſcovered. The flaſh of light above mentioned, ſome perſons aſſert to have iſſued from the minute cloud: This, however, the writer of this paragraph cannot help doubting; for though his eyes were fixed on it for 10 or 12 minutes before the noiſe was heard, yet he obſerved no light from it, and is diſpoſed to believe that the cloud and ſound had not the leaſt connection.

PORTSMOUTH, Sept. 1.

On Thurſday laſt, about 20 min. after 4 o'clock, P. M. the attention of this part of the country was excited by an uncommon report in the atmoſphere, reſembling the report of a diſtant cannon. Upon the eye's being directed to the place, there appeared a ſmall cloud in every reſpect reſembling ſmoke, and from thence iſſued repeated exploſions, in very quick ſucceſſion, though leſs and leſs intenſe for the ſpace of a minute, reſembling the report of crackers, or the ſcattering fire of an ill performed volley. The ſmall cloud increaſed at every exploſion, and ſeemed to ſhoot out in every direction. At Old York the place of the meteor appeared to be a little to the eaſt of the north, and about 25 or 30 from the zenith, and very high in the atmoſphere; clouds appeared to paſs far below the ſmoke, which continued viſible for near half an hour after the exploſion ceaſed, and gradually moved to the ſouth eaſt. In this town, about ten miles to the ſouth weſt of York, the place of the meteor appeared much the ſame. None of the ſpectators at York, (of which there were ſeveral hundreds within a very ſmall ſpace; public worſhip being juſt cloſed) were heard to ſay that they ſaw any luminous appearance, either before or at the time of the exploſion, but in this town ſeveral perſons who were in their houſes, obſerved a light thrown into their windows about a minute as they judge, before the firſt exploſion.—The day preceding was cloudy and wet; rained pretty hard in the morning with the wind at ſouth eaſt; the wind by 9 o'clock became more eaſterly, and the rain abated, though it continued wet and miſty all day; the wind in the night came round to the north weſt, diſperſed the fog, and blew a freſh gale all day, with high flying clouds till towards night. There can be no doubt that the exploſion was the burſting of a meteor in the air; why there ſhould be ſuch repeated reports, we muſt leave philoſophers to determine.

We hear from Nottingham, that a certain ſociety of Chriſtians, uſually aſſembling in that town, have lately ſeen fit to diſmiſs their teacher, a man of ſtrict integrity, for the heinous crime of accepting a lieutenant's commiſſion in the militia.

BOSTON, September 10.

On Monday laſt the ancient and honorable artillery of this commonwealth made their firſt autumnal parade on the common, under the command of the honourable major general Brooks, their captain. The exerciſe, evolutions and firings were performed in a manner that was honourary to the officers and company, and obtained the approbation of numerous ſpectators.

Dr. Ramſay's hiſtory of the Revolution in South Carolina, which was ſome time ſince interdicted publiſhing in England, has lately been publiſhed by Mr. Stockdale in London.

The following paragraph is taken from the remarks of the Engliſh monthly reviewers on Doctor Adams's Defence of the American Conſtitutions, viz.

'It would give us great pleaſure to ſee ſome judicious treatiſe on the ſubject of government, peculiarly calculated for the ſituation and circumſtances of the Americans, by a man of ſuch influence among them as might induce them to adopt ſome practicable plan; for it pains us to ſee a numerous people, once our fellow ſubjects, ſtill our fellow chriſtians, and who, we truſt, will long continue our commercial friends, involved in diſtreſſes from which they know not how to extricate themſelves. We hoped that this might have been the book, and we regret exceedingly that we have been ſo much diſappointed.'

NEW-YORK, Sept. 17.

A gentleman from Holland aſſures us, that the detention of the princeſs of Orange, which has afforded ſo much wonder and converſation, aroſe from her own obſtinacy. She was told that ſhe could not be permitted to proceed on her journey, but that ſhe was at liberty to return—an alternative which ſhe peremptorily refuſed.

WINCHESTER, Sept. 7.

We are informed that the worſhipful court of Berkeley, have come to a reſolution at the laſt courts to have al the ſuits diſmiſſed; and all defendants, to ſuits in the ſaid court that are not provided to make their defence, judgment ſhall paſs againſt them. This reſolution, if put in execution, will do credit to the court and county, and to all others who patroniſe ſo laudable a reſolution.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 21.

General Aſſembly.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18.

THE houſe met purſuant to adjournment.

The following petitions were preſented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. The petition from ſundry perſons intereſted in the Wyoming lands, praying relief, which was referred to a former committee appointed on that ſubject, and the petition from Antonio Baſtide, an inſolvent debtor, which together with the petition of James Young, were referred to Meſſrs. Will, Wheeland and Robinſon.

On motion of Mr. Findley, Col. Piper and Dr. Moore, were appointed to introduce the delegates to the fœderal convention, at the time appointed for receiving their report.

The firſt order of the day for taking into conſideration the bill empowering aliens to hold real eſtates, was called up and on the queſtion, ſhall this bill be taken up by paragraphs, it was oppoſed.

Mr. Whitehill. Sir, I hope we ſhall not, at this time, proceed in determining the queſtion involved in the fate of this bill; for I am perſuaded it has not been conſidered by the members in the important point of view which it deſerves. It appeared to me originally indeed, as an infringement of the conſtitution; but my attention in that reſpect has been more particularly awakened by a publication in a paper of this day. The principles there ſuggeſted, I would wiſh to weigh with accuracy, and in order to enable others to do the ſame, I move that the further conſideration of this bill be poſtponed.

Mr. Fitzſimons. Sir, I cannot perceive the neceſſity of a poſtponement; for, ſurely this bill, beſides being printed for publication, has remained long enough within the view of the houſe to enable every member to make up his mind upon the ſubject. If, as it is alledged, the principles of the propoſed law militate againſt our conſtitution, I truſt ſir, it will be immediately diſmiſſed: but as I am certain we are now as well prepared, as ever we ſhall be, to diſcuſs its general merits, I hope the poſtponement will not be agreed to.

Mr. Logan. Sir, my greateſt objection to this bill does not ariſe from its being contrary to our conſtitution, but from its being contrary to the principles of policy and good government. I believe indeed, that the attempt to diſpenſe with a teſt of allegiance in this way is without precedent in ancient or modern hiſtory, and therefore I ſhall not only vote for a poſtponement, but if the advocates of the bill think proper to call it up again, I ſhall oppoſe it in the beſt manner I am able.

Mr. D. Clymer obſerved that he had not ſeen the paper alluded to by the member from Cumberland, and called upon him to read it for the information of the houſe. The ſpeaker pronounced that the call was improper, and having put the queſtion, the poſtponement was carried without a negative.

The ſecond order of the day for taking into conſideration the bill for erecting part of Bedford into a ſeparate county was called up; but on motion of Mr. Fitzſimons (as the hour for receiving the report of the delegates in convention was arrived) the bill was poſtponed.

Preciſely at 11 o'clock, Col. Piper and Dr. Moore introduced his excellency Dr. Franklin, Robert Morris, George Clymer, James Wilſon, Thomas Fitzſimons, Jared Ingerſol and Governeur Morris, eſquires, the delegates to the fœderal convention, when his excellency addreſſed himſelf to the ſpeaker to the following effect:—'Sir, we have now the honor to preſent to this houſe the plan of government for the United States, which has been determined upon by the fœderal convention. We ſincerely hope and believe that the reſult of the labours of that honorable body, will tend to promote the happineſs and proſperity of this commonwealth in particular, and of the United States in general.'

Mr. Fitzſimons then ſtated the propriety of the report being read by a member of the delegation, and propoſed the ſpeaker for that purpoſe, who accordinly read it to the houſe. [See the Pennſylvania Packet of Sept. 19.]

As ſoon as the ſpeaker had concluded, Dr. Franklin roſe, and delivered a letter from the delegates to the houſe, which being read, conſiſted of a recommendation to the legiſlature, 'that a law ſhould be immediately paſſed veſting in the new Congreſs a tract of land of ten miles ſquare, by which that body might be induced to fix the ſeat of fœderal government in this ſtate—an event that muſt be highly advantageous to the commonwealth of Pennſylvania.''

The delegates having withdrawn, on motion of Mr. Findley the houſe adjourned, till to-morrow morning at half paſt nine o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19.

The houſe met purſuant to adjournment.

The following petitions were preſented and ordered to lie on the table, viz. the petition of ſundry inhabitants of York county, praying that the act reſpecting the Scotch Preſbyterian church may be repealed or ſuſpenſed, till the determination of certain ſuits depending in the ſupreme court, and the petition of the 3d diſtrict of Philadelphia county, praying that the place of election may not be changed agreeably to the prayer of a former petition.

The Speaker laid before the houſe a tranſcript of the taxes paid, and balances due from the ſeveral counties.

A letter from the preſident in council, encloſing a letter from Congreſs, recommending the repeal of all laws enacted contrary to the treaty of peace with Great Britain, was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for erecting part of Bedford county into a new county, which was under conſideration yeſterday, was reſumed; when it was argued, that it was too late, at this time, to paſs the bill into a law; as it would be impracticable to warn the county againſt the approaching election. Upon general principles indeed, the bill was thought to be inexpedient and premature. It would be the means of encreaſing the burthens of government, by erecting an additional number of repreſentatives, a member for the executive council and two members for the council of cenſors—and it would encreaſe the expences of the county, by introducing the neceſſity of a double pannel of jurors, and all the other

cers incidental to county eſtabliſhments, when it was evident, that the charges were already as great as could be well borne by the people. It is true, 1250 petitioners have ſolicited the diviſion of this county, but if we could even be aſſured that theſe were all taxable inhabitants, it would be a number too ſmall to bear the weight of a ſeparate eſtabliſhment, and ſmaller than have ever yet prevailed upon the legiſlature in ſo important a meaſure. We know, however, that petitions are eaſily obtained, and when the views of a particular diſtrict are to be accompliſhed, we are ſure to find a greater number of inhabitants than are ever to be found when a tax is to be levied. Upon the whole, we conceive that we are not bound to comply with every petition that is preſented to us, but are to judge upon the propriety of the meaſure propoſed, as it reſpects the general intereſts of the commonwealth. If we acquieſce upon this occaſion, we muſt be prepared to acquieſce with every ſimilar requeſt; and experience will then teach us to anticipate an infinite train of diviſions and ſubdiviſions in every county.

The friends of the bill obſerved that it had originated in the firſt ſeſſions of this houſe, and if it had been at all diſagreeable to the citizens who were to be affected by it, counter petitions would certainly have been preſented. But in truth, it was a meaſure highly favoured by the people, and would be equally advantageous to the ſtate at large, and to the particular diſtrict compriſed within the propoſed boundaries—to the ſtate by improving our internal commerce, and facilitating our trade with the weſtern countries—to the people (who in ſome inſtances were obliged to travel 80 miles to the county town) by bringing the courts of juſtice nearer to their homes. With reſpect to the expence incurred by the ſtate upon the diviſion of countries, that was an evil engendered by the conſtitution, which ought not to counteract the rights and conveniencies of the citizens—and the expence incurred by the county would be counterbalanced by the advantages. It was ſurely ſufficient upon that head, that thoſe who were to defray the coſt, did not object to it; and in the preſent inſtance, the burthen would be conſiderably diminiſhed as Dr. Smith preſented a lot of ground for the ſcite of a court and gaol, and the greater part of the money neceſſary to erect theſe buildings would be furniſhed by a voluntary ſubſcription.

The queſtion being put, the bill was taken up by paragraphs, and after a few amendments in deſcribing the boundaries of the new county called HUNTINGDON, it was ordered to be engroſſed.

The order of the day for taking into conſideration the bill for erecting York town into a borough, was called up and being partly debated, was poſtponed, upon a motion to adjourn.

The houſe adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at half paſt nine o'clock.

At a meeting of a very reſpectable number of the inhabitants of the different wards of this city, the diſtrict of Southwark and townſhip of the Northern Liberties, the following Petition and Declaration was unanimouſly agreed to be circulated, and when ſigned, to be preſented to the Honorable the Repreſentatives of the Freemen of the Commonwealth of Pennſylvania in General Aſſembly met.

To the Honorable the *Repreſentatives* of the *Freemen* of the Commonwealth of *Pennſylvania* in *General Aſſembly* met.

The Petition and Declaration of the Inhabitants of Philadelphia and of the Diſtricts of Southwark and the Northern-Liberties.

Reſpectfully Sheweth,

THAT your petitioners have ſeen, with great pleaſure, the propoſed conſtitution of the United States, and as they conceive it to be wiſely calculated to form a perfect union of the ſtates, as well as to ſecure to themſelves and poſterity, the bleſſings of peace, liberty and ſafety, they have taken this method of expreſſing their earneſt deſires, that the ſaid conſtitution may be adopted as ſpeedily as poſſible, by the ſtate of Pennſylvania, in the manner recommended by the reſolution of the late honorable convention.

By the laſt accounts from Boſton we are informed, that an advice boat had arrived there from Old France; in twelve hours after her arrival, the French fleet put to ſea. It was confidently aſſerted they were not to open their orders until they arrived at a certain latitude. Be that as it may, they ſailed in ſo great a hurry, that they left ſeveral officers, who had permiſſion to make a tour into the country; and it is ſaid they are very apprehenſive that hoſtilities have commenced between France and Great Britain.

On Tueſday Jeſſe Gibbs, alias Jeſſe Wilſon, was tried in the court of Oyer and Terminer, now ſitting in this city, for uttering a forged certificate of John Pierce's (a commiſſioner for ſettling the public accounts) knowing the ſame to be forged. After a very candid trial he was found guilty. There is great reaſon to preſume that this man is one of a numerous gang who have invented a liquid for extracting ink, by means of which they been enabled to commit a variety of frauds to the great injury of private property, and credit of the United States. He has uniformly refuſed to diſcover his accomplices, but from ſome leading circumſtances, it is hoped, they will ſoon be brought to juſtice.

It is ſaid that the General Aſſembly will break up in the beginning of next week. The important buſineſs reported from the fœderal convention will probably be left to the ſucceeding houſe.

SHIP NEWS.

Extract of a letter from New York, Sept. 15.

"Laſt evening arrived the brig Diamond, Capt. Chevers, in ſixteen days from St. Croix, who informs, that a ſevere hurricane happened at Baſſeterre on the 23d of Auguſt; it began about four o'clock, P. M. and did great damage amongſt the ſhipping. The brig Otto William, Auguſtus Peek, maſter, from this port, was drove from her anchors out to ſea and overſet; they were obliged to cut away her maſts, when ſhe righted, and they got into port next day under jury maſts. A ſchooner belonging to Middleton, William Warner, maſter, overſet and entirely loſt, only the captain and five of the crew ſaved. A brig belonging to Boſton was drove out to ſea and received conſiderable damage, the captain of which informed, that the day after the gale he ſaw a ſloop diſmaſted, name unknown. A ſchooner belonging to Marblehead, ——Gale, maſter, a brig and a ſloop belonging to Caſco Bay, and ſeveral other veſſels were drove out to ſea, and were not heard of when Capt. Chevers ſailed."

The Robin, Burchmore from Liſbon, and Polly, Waters from Port au Prince, are arrived at Salem.

The Ann, Richardſon, from Bermuda; Polly, Child, from Maryland, and Polly, Smith, from New York, are arrived at Newport.

The Diſpatch, Vider, from Marſeilles; Nancy, Hamilton, and Thompſon, Fiſher, from London; Gouverneur, ——, from Morlaix; Kitty and Nancy, Cuningham, from Aux Cayes; Thereſa, Sewter, from Port au Prince; Solicitor General, Wood, from Antigua; Diſpatch, Lawton, from St. Martins; George and Betſey, Deagle, from Baltimore: Two Betſeys, Tracy, from Philadelphia, and Sincerity, White from New York, are arrived at Norfolk.

Captain Williamſon of the ſhip Polly, from Hull to this Port, on the 11th Aug. in lat. 47. 8. long. 18. 20. ſpoke the ſhip Kitty, Thomas Moore, maſter, from Baltimore for Bourdeaux, 32 day out.

*** An aſſortment of Corduroys and Printed Cottons, will be ſold for Paper Money, this Morning, at the Northern-Liberty Auction. Sept. 21

¶.¶ The ſubſcribers to the fund for erecting a Bridge acroſs the river Schuylkill, are earneſtly requeſted to meet this evening, at 7 o'clock, at the Carpenters Hall in Cheſnut ſtreet. *Sept.* 21.

☞ The American Philoſophical Society, will hold a ſtated Meeting, this Evening at 7 o'Clock, in the Houſe of His Excellency Dr. *Franklin*.

Sept, 21 SAMUEL MAGAW, Sec'ry.

An aſſorment of Cambricks

and Lawns, for ſale by

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart.

September 21. oe

To the Freeholders and other electors for the City and County of Philadelphia;

Gentlemen,

I Earneſtly ſolicit your Votes at the next election, to place me on the return for the Sheriff's Office, which will be gratefully acknowledged by Gentlemen,

Your obedient humble ſervant,

William Pollard.

Sept. 20, 1787. wſwſtu

FOR SALE,

A Fine, ſtout family BAY; he is remarkably gentle, goes well in chair or ſaddle, he is ſeven years old, and warranted ſound, and will be ſold cheap. To be ſeen at Mr. Denniſon's ſtable No. 1. Moravian-alley.

A few pipes of

FAYAL WINE

To be diſpoſed of on reaſonable terms by

Charles P. Howard,

In Second-ſtreet, four doors above Cheſnut-ſtreet, Philadelphia. eo3t

Philadelphia, Sept. 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to be directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, at Joſeph Grover's tavern, at the ſign of the King of Pruſſia, in Germantown, on Saturday the 29th inſtant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a large two ſtory Stone Houſe, and Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate, lying and being in Germantown and county of Philadelphia; containing 26 acres, 15 perches and 11 feet; bounded by lands of Paul Krepner, Logan, Baltzer Traut, John Frederick Ax, Jacob Traut, and by Germantown Main-ſtreet, and a lane or croſs ſtreet, which makes it very convenient for public buſineſs. Taken in execution as late the eſtate of Jeremiah Traut, deceaſed, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

Philadelphia, Sept. 13, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept from Geo. Schloſſer, Robert Smith, and Rowland Evans, Eſquires, truſtees of the General Loan-Office of the commonwealth of Pennſylvania, to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, at the Old Coffee-Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, on Wedneſday the 17th day of October next, at 6 o'clock in the evening.—A certain two ſtory Frame Meſſuage or Tenement, and Lot or Piece of Ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Swanſon-ſtreet, in the diſtrict of Southwark, and county of Philadelphia; containing in breadth on the ſaid ſtreet 20 feet, (including a 5 feet alley) and in length or depth 41 feet or thereabouts; bounded on the eaſt by ſaid Swanſon-ſtreet, on the ſouth by ground late of George Mifflin, deceaſed, on the weſt by ground late of William Allen, deceaſed, (now of Francis Garrick) and on the north by ground late of William Allen. Taken in execution as late the property of James Freeland, trader, and to be ſold by

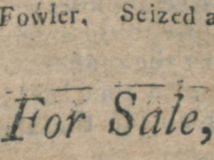
Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

Lancaſter, September 15, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be expoſed to public ſale, on Friday the 5th day of October next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the dwelling houſe of John Fowler, ſituate and lying in Lampeter townſhip, a certain tract or piece of Land containing 403 acres, with a Merchant Mill and other improvements, adjoining lands of John Kirk, John Briſbin, Jacob Hartman, and others. Alſo, one Lot of Ground, ſituate and lying in Haines-town, in ſaid townſhip, adjoining lands of Adam Mellow, Jacob Houſer, and others; together with a variety of houſhold and kitchen Furniture too tedious to mention; late the property of ſaid John Fowler. Seized and taken in execution by

John Miller, ſheriff.

For Sale, or Charter for Europe or the *Weſt Indies*,



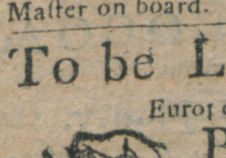
The faſt ſailing

Brig Southampton;

Now lying at Clifford's wharf, burthen 120 tons, or thereabouts, has good accommodations for paſſengers. For particulars enquire at Mr. Edward Randolph's, in Second-ſtreet, or the Maſter on board. 3ſp

To be Let on Freight, to

Europe or the Weſt-Indies, the



Britiſh Ship Polly,

Thomas Williamſon, Maſter;

Burthen about 180 tons.

FOR terms apply to THOMAS, SAMUEL & MIERS FISHER. A few tons of Houſe COAL to be ſold on board ſaid ſhip. They have alſo imported in the ſaid ſhip Polly, and in the Pigou and Harmony, and other veſſels from Europe, for ſale, on very low terms,

India and Britiſh printed calicoes and cottons
Printed linen handkerchiefs
Cambricks and lawns
Low priced drab, mixed and blue broadcloths
Blue and mixed 6-4 and 7-4 coatings
Striped and roſe blankets
Blue ſtrouds
Knit ribbed worſted hoſe
Ironmongery and cutlery aſſorted in caſks
Delph and queens ware in caſks and crates
(By the package, as Imported.)
Allum in hogſheads
Red lead, white lead and Spaniſh brown
Bar lead, and ſhot aſſorted
Liverpool ſalt
Burr millſtones of various ſizes
New Caſtle grindſtones
Sail and ſeine twine
Catalonia red wine in pipes
Fine old mountain in pipes and quarter caſks
Malaga, ſweet and dry, in pipes and quarter caſks
Dry ſherry in quarter caſks
Almonds in frails

Together with a General Aſſortment of European Goods, ſuitable to the ſeaſon, as uſual. 3aw4w

Juſt Imported in the ſhip Harmony, captain Willet, from London—A Quantity of

Well aſſorted Shot,

And for SALE by

Forbes and *Morris*;

Alſo, to be Rented, a compleat Compting-Houſe—likewiſe a Store or two, if wanted. Apply as above.

September 15 mftu F. & M.

Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has juſt Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a ſmall parcel of

G O O D S,

Which he will ſell very low for caſh—they conſiſt of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colcheſter ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hoſe
Mens worſted Hoſe, ſome very fine
Ditto ſilk ditto
Yard wide Iriſh Linens, &c. &c. etf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Alſo *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in caſes—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in caſes,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Neſbitt*.

September 5 d

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingſworth,

At his ſtore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all ſizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindſtones waranted ſuperior to any imported from Europe; Liſbon wine, Weſt-India and country rum, ſugar, coffee, cocoa, a ſpermaceti ſcrew 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expreſſing ſpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genſang in caſks, Senneca, ſnake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of beſt

Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.

Auguſt 22. eptf

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Caſes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.

Ditto in Hogſheads.

Liſbon Wine in Quarter Caſks;

Copper Kettles, juſt arrived, and for Sale by

Roſs and Vaughan.

Auguſt 22. etf

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool, A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes;

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Iriſh Linens,

Juſt arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Roſs and *Vaughan*.

September 15 d

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

In Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale

FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes

Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England ſoal leather. d Sept 5

An ADDRESS,

Delivered by Mr. HALLAM, at the Theatre in Philadelphia, previous to an entertainment performed for the benefit of the American captives in Algiers.

IN life's ſtrange ſcene what incidents ariſe
To wound the virtuous, and confound the wiſe;
From public guile, what private ſorrow ſprings,
What devaſtation from the ſtate of kings!
The ſhame of nations, and the ſource of tears,
Behold! the barbarous triumph of Algiers,
See chriſtian blood bedew the burning plains,
And friends to freedom languiſhing in chains!
See mighty Europe crouches to the law,
And one bold pirate keeps the world in awe.

In days of Yore with pious phrenzy fraught,
On Paleſtine's fam'd fields what myriads fought,
Their rival monarchs, partial views deſpiſe,
Glory their paſſion, and a tomb their prize.
Our modern ſyſtem, fatally refin'd,
Corrupts the gen'rous ardor of mankind,
And jealous nations with the Turk allied,
Regain their virtue, and deſert their pride.

Thoſe veterans perhaps, whoſe patriot toil,
Gave independence to their native ſoil,
Loſt in the ſad viciſſitudes of fate,
Call on their country to repay the debt.
Perhaps ſome father ſhakes the pond'rous chain,
His wretched offspring left to want and pain:
Whence are thoſe groans, and whence that plaintive cry——
Oh! ſpeed your bounty; or a wife muſt die:
And mark! where heav'nly charity appears,
Corrects our errors, and diſpels our fears:
Through the dark dungeon ſpreads a kindly ray,
And ſhields her chriſtian vot'ries from diſmay:
With ſavage power the glitt'ring bribe ſucceeds,
And freedom from benevolence proceeds.

'When all our earthly bliſs ſhall paſs away,
This globe diſſolve, and nature's ſelf decay;
When guilt ſhall at impending judgment ſtart,
And keen affliction wound the hard of heart;
Then white rob'd charity her friends ſhall chear,
And pay with intereſt what they lent her here.'

Ye ſons of liberty, attend the theme,
Indulge your feelings, and aſſert your fame:
Let ſad experience paint the bondſman's woe,
And ſtill be bleſs'd, while bleſſings you beſtow.

ORIGIN of the ISLAND of NANTUCKET.

An Indian Tradition.

ON the weſt end of Martha's Vineyard are high cliffs of variegated coloured earths, known by the name of *Gayhead*. On the top of the hill is a large cavity which has the appearance of the crater of an extinguiſhed volcano, and there are evident marks of former ſubterraneous fires. The Indians who live about this ſpot have a tradition that a certain deity reſided there before the Europeans came into America, that his name was *Manſhop*; that he uſed to ſtep out on a ledge of rocks which ran into the ſea, and take up a whale, which he broiled for his own eating on the coals of the aforeſaid volcano, and often invited the Indians to dine with him, or gave them the relics of his meal. That once to ſhew their gratitude to *Manſhop* for his very great kindneſs to them they made an offering to him of all the tobacco which grew upon the iſland for one ſeaſon. This was ſcarcely ſufficient to fill his great pipe, but he received the preſent very graciouſly, ſmoaked his pipe, and turned out the aſhes of it into the ſea, which formed the iſland of Nantucket. Upon the coming of Europeans into America, *Manſhop* retired in diſguſt, and has never ſince been ſeen.

Juſt Imported in the ſhip Harmony from London, a General Aſſortment of

Drugs and Medicines,

And for ſale by

Iſaac Bartram, *Chemiſt & Druggiſt*,

In Third-ſtreet, next door below the Bunch of Grapes, on the loweſt terms for caſh, viz.

CAMPHOR	Britiſh oil
Saffron	Haerlem oil
Cochineal	Anderſon's pills
Borax refined	Hooper's pills
Saltpetre	Lockyer's pills
Glauber ſalts	Pruſſian blue
Epſom ſalts	Fig blue
Flour of ſulphur	Roſe pink
Gum arabic	Drop lake
copal	Anotto
Godfrey's cordial	Black lead
Bateman's drops	Francfort black
Fraunces's elixir	Camel hair pencils
Daffy's elixir	

Great Allowance will be made to thoſe who purchaſe by the quantity. 4t

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Cheſnut ſtreets, have Imported in the ſhips Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Veſſels from Europe, and are now ſelling on exceedingly low terms for caſh or ſhort credit, a fine Aſſortment of

Seaſonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, ſattins and perſians, black and coloured Barcelonia ſilk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano ditto, velverets, corduroys and thickſets, printed velverets, ſuperfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white ſhirting linens and ſheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat aſſortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worſted hoſiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

Mordecai Lewis and *Co.*

HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and ſouchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spaniſh brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spaniſh brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of ſaltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
Engliſh and Swediſh ſteel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware aſſorted in packages
Tin ware in hogſheads
Grindſtones
A parcel of gold and ſilver watches
Ruſſia matts and oacum
Ditto ſailcloth
Haircloth for malſters
A quantity of feathers

And a very large Aſſortment of DRY GOODS.

Auguſt 29 3aw6w

August Magazine.

THIS DAY IS PUBLISHED,
(Price a Quarter Dollar)
THE

Columbian Magazine,

For AUGUST, 1787.
EMBELLISHED WITH
A VIEW of GRAY'S FERRY on the Schuylkill,
CONTAINING,

1 THE Foresters: an historical tale (continued)
2 Reflections on the different humours of mankind
3 The prisoner: a sentimental novel
4 A treatise on religion (continued)
5 Extract from Mr. Jefferson's notes on Virginia with additional remarks by Mr. Charles Thomson
6 And essay on friendship
7 The benefits of charity: a dream
8 On the nature and origin of peat or turf, and the propriety of cultivating it in America
9 Experiments and observations on the evaporation of water—By S. Latham Mitchel, M. D.
10 An essay on flattery
11 The trifler
——Concordia's letter on the similitude of manners requisite for matrimonial happiness
——B's reason for declining to give his name to a friend's child
12 The dog of the tombs
13 Fretana's complaint against a studious husband
14 Account of paternal authority still subsisting in Egypt
15 History of Amelia, or malevolence defeated: a novel

Historical Scraps.

16 The rank which negroes hold in the Spanish colonies
17 The rise and progress of colonization in America, and early opinions upon the subject
18 The character of Zenobia

Anecdote.

19 Of a rational parrot, cited from a learned author—By the celebrated Mr Locke

The Columbian Parnassiad.

20 Verses upon Gray's ferry
21 On humanity
22 Part of the osciad versified
23 Part of the same
24 On a walk in the state-house yard
25 Verses on the death of a child; addressed by a friend
26 Ænigma
27 A Rebus
28 Foreign intelligence
29 Domestic intelligence
30 Bankrupts
31 Marriages
32 Deaths

To which is prefixed a Meteorological Table for the Month of July, 1787.

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‡ The present Magazine closing the year, it is thought proper, by the proprietors, to inform the Public, that the renewal of the subscriptions will not be solicited till the first of January next; when, including the price of the intermediate numbers for September, October, November and December, the sum to be paid will be sixteen shillings and eight-pence. With the Appendix, in December, will be delivered an Index and Frontispiece, to compleat the first vol. of the Columbian Magazine.

John Sparhawk,

On the north side of Market-street, second door east of Second-street,
HAS FOR SALE

ROYAL Bibles for churches, family bibles of various sizes, ditto with cuts, Cooke's voyages round the world, particularly the last, with plates, Abbe Raynall's history of the Indies, 8 vols, Gibbon on the decline, &c. of the Roman empire, 6 vols, the history of modern Europe, Burgoyne's expedition from Canada in 1777, Guthrie's geography, Salmon's ditto, new edition, Martin's philosophy, Rowning's ditto, Nicholson's ditto, Cruden's concordance, Sherwin's tables, Stone's Euclid, Gunn's ditto, Simpson's ditto, Hammond's algebra, Robertson's navigation, Moore's ditto, annual register, Spanish dictionaries and grammars, French ditto, English ditto, Ferguson's astronomy and lectures, preceptor, Burn's justice, Blackstone's commentaries, Gilbert's law of evidence, Crompton's practice, Van Swieten's commentaries, Cullen's works, Potts' ditto, the medical commentaries, Lewis's new dispensatory, Quincy's medical lexicon, Flemyng's physiology, Astrue, Chapman, Falck and Hunter on the venereal disease, Morgagni on diseases, Hulm and White on child-bed women, school books, &c. &c.—Cases of shaving equipage, the best razors, nine inch globes, twelve inch ditto, mathematical instruments, two-pole chains, carpenters mensuration rules, gauging rules, thermometers, ivory hydrometers for proving spirits, the best spectacles in steel and silver, concave ditto for near sights, reading glasses, pocket telescopes and microscopes, gold leaf, miniature picture cases, surgeons pocket instruments—A general assortment of drugs and medicines, green and white phials sorted, or the small sizes may be had separate, specie bottles, from one to six quarts, receivers, from three to five gallons, glass globes, cylinders and tubes for electricity.

N. B. Fine castor oil in bottles.

TO BE RENTED,

A large commodious House in Second street, above Arch-street, the corner of Elfrith's Alley.

The MENAGE,

At the Center-House, will be opened on the 17th instant, by the subscriber, for the instruction of Gentlemen in that manly, useful and heathy exercise, the Art of Horsemanship in all its different branches. The days of exercise will be on *Monday, Wednesday* and *Friday*. He proposes to begin each morning at six, and close at 8 o'clock. JACOB BATES. 2aw3w

AGREEABLY to a Resolution of the Society for alleviating the Miseries of Public Prisons, passed on Monday Evening the 13th inst. Notice is hereby given, That Mr. JOHN OLDDEN is duly appointed Secretary to the Acting Committe of the said Society; so that all persons who may conceive themselves entitled to benefit from the humane designs of this Institution, may direct their applications to him, in Second, near Market street, where the same will be received, and laid before the Acting Committee at their next Meeting, who will take such order therein as may be proper and necessary.

J. SWANWICK, *Sec'ry to the Society.*
August 14, 1787.

PROPOSALS
For Printing by Subscription,

Necker's Treatise

ON THE
Administration of the Finances of France.

Ubi igitur animus meus ex multis miseiris & periculis requievit, non fuit consilium socordia atque desidia bonum otium conterere. SALLUST.

Translated from the genuine French Edition,
By THOMAS MORTIMER, Esquire,
Author of the *Elements of Commerce, Politics & Finance.*

CONDITIONS.

I. This Work will be printed on a fine paper and good type, in two volumes large octavo.
II. The price to subscribers will be *fourteen shillings* per volume, neatly bound and lettered.
III. As soon as 200 subscribers patronize the Work, it shall be immediately put to press, and finished with expedition.
IV. A list of the names of encouragers to this Publication will be printed at the beginning of the second volume.

††† *No money required from the subscribers till the delivery of both volumes.*

SUBSCRIPTIONS are taken in by *Thomas Dobson* and *William Young*, Philadelphia; *Samuel Campbell*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charleston; *Benjamin Guild*, Boston; and all other Gentlemen who will be entrusted with Proposals.

To THE PUBLIC.

The following EXTRACTS *may serve as a Recommendation, &c. to Gentlemen unacquainted with the Character or Nature of this celebrated Work.*

THIS valuable treatise contains a laborious and acute investigation of the domestic policy of France; illustrated with a variety of remarks and hints of improvement, the suggestions of liberality and humanity. M. Necker has prefixed a most instructive introduction to his work, in which he treats of the qualifications, duties and virtues of a public minister of finances; abounding with wholesome maxims, among which *honesty* is allowed the pre-eminence. M. Necker's chapter on WAR, breathes the spirit of true patriotic humanity; it exhibits more, it shews him to be the friend of human nature at large; and we should with much pleasure give the speech he puts into the mouth of an honest minister, supposed to be in council when a king is advised to war on political calculations, had we not enlarged too copiously already. The translator of M. Necker's treatise, appears to have done justice to his excellent principal; for on the whole, the work makes a respectable appearance in its English dress—*Monthly Review*, vol. 74, p. 542.

"It is incumbent on the translator to convey some material heads of information to English readers, which may serve to point out the very great utility of this excellent work to every nation; and to explain and illustrate some parts of the treatise as well as some circumstances attending it, which not being known, might cast a veil of obscurity over a performance which ought to be as intelligent as it is eminent, especially as the great talents of the author are acknowledged and admired by all sensible men in most nations of Europe. In the first place it is necessary to observe, that the general principles of finance laid down by M. Necker, are not confined to France; they are equally applicable to every country, whose resources chiefly depend on public credit, manufactures and commerce: every page offers some great political, commercial, or financial truth, or throws some new light on the administration of affairs in France, which it is essential for every gentleman, merchant, and manufacturer to know.——*Advert. by the Translator.*

, The above work has been translated into the Dutch and German languages, and several thousands have been sold in Britain as well as in France. The price in London is 24s. sterling, and this American edition will only be *Three Dollars and a Half.*

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THE

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In Pennsylvania:

Being the epistolary correspondence between Mehemet, the *secret deputy* from the sublime Porte, resident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the sentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the close of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully displayed.

The whole translated from the original Arabic manuscript. By *S. T. P.*

, *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous customers, that he has just arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Assortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

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TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST, Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

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Boot & Shoe Manufactory.

THE subscriber informs his Friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his Shop from opposite the *City-Tavern*, to the opposite side, two doors below the said tavern, and next door to the corner of Walnut street, where he continues to carry on his Manufactory in all its various branches. He thanks his Friends and the Public in general, for their generous encouragement since his commencement in business. He trusts that the quality of his work is such as has already demonstrated his fidelity in his undertaking. He likewise continues to sell his work at the following prices: BOOTS of the first quality 48/9, foxed ditto for 56/3, gentlemens' best bound SHOES 12s stitched seats 14/6, mens common strong SHOES from 8/4 to 11/3, ladies SILK SHOES of the first quality 20s, ditto made only, having the silk found, for 12s, ladies STUFF SHOES of the first quality 12s, common ditto from 8/4 to 10s, childrens SHOES, and all other branches in proportion to the above. Those Ladies or Gentlemen that will please to favour him with their custom, may depend upon being supplied according to their orders with the greatest punctuality.

Sept 10 2aw5t *NATHANIEL PRENTIS.*

University of Pennsylvania,
August 20, 1787.

The Medical Lectures

will begin on the first Monday of November.

CLEMENT BIDDLE,

Notary Public, Scrivener and Broker,
At his Office, in Front-street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets,

Has for Sale,

A VERY Valuable Plantation on Delaware river, and Neshamany creek, about 17 miles from this city, containing about 280 acres, of which 80 acres are woodland, 50 acres of marsh meadow secured with a good bank, and laid down in timothy grass, and 16 acres of fine orchard; a neat kitchen garden, of near an acre, inclosed with cedar pales, and dwelling house, barn, stables, and other out houses.

Two valuable tracts of unimproved Land in Mount Bethel township, Northampton county; one of 362 acres, the other of 479 acres.

A large and commodious House and Lot of Ground in the town of Louisburg, Dauphin county.

A Farm of 216 acres of Land in Falls township, Bucks county, situate on the river Delaware, near the 24 mile stone, on the road from Bristol to Trenton.

Several Valuable unimproved tracts of Land in the county of Northumberland.

Three tracts of Land in Sussex county, in New Jersey.

To be let on ground rent forever,

A Lot of Ground on South-street, between Second and Third streets from the river Delaware, in this city, containing in front 19 feet, and in depth 88 feet.

For Freight or Charter,

To any part of Europe, or the West Indies, a *SHIP* now in this port, that will carry upwards of 300 hogsheads of tobacco.

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market streets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on deposits or satisfactory security.
LIKEWISE,

Buys and Sells on Commission,

Bank Stock, Nicholson's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Stelle's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper issued by Pennsylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,

A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, suitable for a country seat, or a person wishing to attend the market—Likewise, a *LOT* in Market street, a good stand for business

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And has also opened an *Office* for the purchase and sale of *Real Estates*. He flatters himself, that the utility of uniting those several branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours useful.

As the business of a *Broker* has in a great measure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchasing and selling of *Stock* the subscriber has seen the inconveniencies which both citizens and strangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a considerable part of his present plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himself he shall prove a useful instrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to such foreigners and strangers as may have occasion for his services. He has therefore prepared himself for the receiving, buying and selling every kind of *Merchandize* on commission, for procuring freight for vessels, and hiring vessels on charter. He will also purchase and sell, on commission, bills of exchange, bank stock, and all kinds of public securities; in which several transactions his employers may implicitly rely on his best endeavours for their interests, on the most inviolable secrecy, and every possible dispatch.

Third-street, below Market-street, June 2. } EDWARD FOX. tuts1mt1tf

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West side of Third-street, the first House below Market-street,
BUYS and SELLS on Commission, every Kind of

Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,

Public Securities, Bank Stock,
And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States.

He procures Freight for Vessels,

And hires Vessels on Charter:
Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan:

Discounts Bills and Notes:

Purchases and Sells REAL ESTATES:
Draws all Kinds of Deeds, Protests, Charter Parties, and other Instruments of Writing.

By a punctual attendance on the several duties which he undertakes, and a scrupulous regard to the interests of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of those gentlemen who may from time to time have occasion for his services, in any or all of the above branches.

☞ Excellent Stores are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

Just arrived, and for Sale by

Benjamin Fuller,

A small Parcel of
CARRACCA COCOA,
And a few Bags of excellent
Cotton of the first quality.

September 14 6teop

Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the last importation from the East-Indies,
To be Sold by Charles Wharton,
At his Store near the Drawbridge,
Who has also for sale, a large assortment of
Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Lisbon Wine in quarter casks, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c. 2aw5w

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A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White
C H I N A,
Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of
C A S S I A,
Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Now Landing at Race street wharf,

The CARGO of the ship Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Petersburg—Consisting of,

HEMP
Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, assorted Ravens duck
Russia sheeting——*And for sale by*

Haynes and Crawford,

Who have to dispose of,
Antigua rum and sugar
Irish linens
Irish beef
Cork sail cloth
Claret in cases of two and a half dozen, &c.

September 19 d

Adam Hubley,

In Third street, a few doors below Market-street,
Has for Sale,

LONDON particular Madeira Wine, 5 years old,
Old Hock in bottles
Port wine in bottles and casks
Lisbon and other wines
Spirit 3 years old
Imperial, hyson, souchong, and bohea teas
Raisins in jarrs, and Holland Gineva in cases
Syrups of capilaire, &c. nutmegs, allspice
Sweet Oil, Barbadoes Cayenne, &c. *ALSO,*
A few hogsheads high proof Jamaica spirits, and
Strong white wine vinegar. 2aw4w

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, fans, fine and second cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratafia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Lacaze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same. August 30. 2awtf

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James' Newport,

At his Distillery Store, in Front-street (west side) six Doors above Arch-street,
Has by Wholesale and Retail, of very best Quality, at the lowest Rates,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Teneriffe } Wines	Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Jamaica Spirits	Cinnamon Water
West India Rum	Anniseed ditto
Philadelphia & New England Rum	Clove ditto
Plain Brandy	Orange ditto
Rasberry ditto	Pepper-mint ditto
Cherry ditto	All Fours
Gin in casks and cases	Spirits of Wine

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.

N. B. Good Allowance is made to those who buy to sell again. Aug. 18 2awtf

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Drinker and Paxson,

At their *Store* in Third street, between Walnut and Chesnut streets, have for sale,

MILL, crosscut, hand, pannel, tennant, sash, dovetail, wood and key-hole saws
Stock, iron rim, desk, chest, drawer, cupboard, trunk, saddle bag, prospect and padlocks
Brass Nob and thumb latches
H, HL, patent butt, table, chest, clock case, desk, dovetail and tumbler hinges
Brass and iron head shovels and tongs
Spades and shovels
Frying pans
Bell metal, iron and brass kettles
Potts, skellets, bake plates and ovens
Smoothing irons, cart boxes
Steelyards, scale beams, and cast iron weights exactly regulated
Carpenters, joiners, coopers, sadlers, shoemakers, smiths and curriers tools
Brass and iron candlesticks and snuffers
Stirrup irons, snaffle and curb bitts, staples and plates, and buckles, woolen and linen girth webb, orice and bridle reins
Brass and wooden pullies for sashes
Lines and weights for ditto
Shaving boxes and brushes
Slide razor strops, with or without razors
Gold scales and weights
Curry combs and brushes
Nails, brads, sprigs and screws in general
Patent and common cast iron teakettles
Copper ditto
Brass warming pans
Bellows
A good assortment of cutlery
English and Dutch scythes
Brass and iron wire
Pewter dishes, basons, plates and spoons
8 by 10, 7 by 9, and 9 by 11 window glass
Linseed oil, spirits of turpentine
White and red lead, Spanish brown, Venetian read, stone and powdered oker, vermilion, Prussian blue, white vitriol, powdered lethrage, &c. &c. &c.
Where also may be had, a good assortment of tanned leather. *Sept* 19 3sp

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John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,
The Cargo of the Brig St. John
Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal:
Consisting of

Port and Faval Wines;

Four years old, in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks:
ALSO,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins
Silk serges
Slain and striped lutestrings } of various colours
Seelongs
Paduasoys and spotted silks
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New-England Rum 2aw

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The Pennsylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiser.*

[Price Four-Pence.] SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1787. [No. 2693.]

Sales at Auction.

Philadelphia, September 8, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at the Merchants' Coffee-House, in the city of Philadelphia, on Saturday the 22d instant, at 7 o'clock in the evening, the following Messuages and Lots of Land.

N°. 1. A certain new two story brick house and lot or piece of land, situate in the district of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, at the south-west corner of Delaware Third-street and Cedar (or South) street, containing in breadth north and south on Third-street 20 feet, and in length or depth on South-street 42 feet, bounded eastward by the said Third-street, southward by a lot lately let to Daniel Kewer, westward by ground of Richard Moseley, and northward by South-street aforesaid; subject to ——.

N°. 2. Also a brick messuage, a kitchen, a frame messuage and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Vine-street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, from the river Delaware, in the Northern-Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing in front 87 feet, and in depth 120 feet; bounded on the east by ground of William Lawrence, on the west by Eighth street, on the north by ground of —— Summers, and on the south by Vine-street aforesaid. Taken in execution as the property of Charles Julian de Longchamps, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

To be Sold at Auction,

THIS DAY, the 22d day of September, instant, at the old Coffee-House in the city of Philadelphia; the sales to commence at 12 o'clock,

Seventeen City Lots,

SITUATE on the west side of Eighth-street from Delaware, and between Cherry-street and Race-street.

Also, an annual Rent Charge of £.10 Pennsylvania currency per annum, issuing out of a lot on the west side of Eighth-street aforesaid, between Race-street and Cherry street, now in the tenure of Andrew Walker.

The purchase money, which will be received in gold, silver, or paper money of this state of the last emission, to be paid within 8 days after the sale, or the premises to revert, and the bidder sustain any loss which may accrue on a second sale.

A plan of the lots aforesaid may be seen at the said Coffee-House. PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, September 22, 1787. eotf

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Estate.

At the Old Coffee-House,

On Tuesday, the 25th of Sept.

At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be sold to the highest Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, surveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunswick township, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and some small streams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A considerable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are several mill seats.

No 2. 421 5-8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, surveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Christian Dethong, being in the same township, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract also; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well settled country, this and the foregoing tract must be very valuable.

No. 3. 353 acres of patented Land surveyed in pursuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, situate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the east side of a path leading from Little Juniata to Susquehanna, having an excellent mill seat and some small improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock township, Berks county, 58 miles distant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the last mentioned place to Lancaster, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the best fruit trees, and a cider press, a good log house, large barn, spring house, and other out houses thereon. Under and subject to the payment of the first purchase money, &c.

Any person desirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON,

Assignee of the estate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber, or suits will be commenced for the recovery of the same. R. R.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787. w&sif

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

To be SOLD by Public Vendue,

THIS DAY, the 22d instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, on the Wharf of Andrew Hodge, in Water street, near Race street,

100 Barrels of Turpentine,

Seized and sold for rent, by JOHN TEANY, Constable.

Sept. 22. 1787. 3t

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*.

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 20 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise

On commission, disposed of at private sale. *Sept.* 18

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening,

(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist-Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw-mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept* 17 eptf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your suffrages at the last Election, in placing me on the return with the present Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the ensuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,
James Ash.

Philadelphia, August 7, 1787. w&itf

ALL KINDS

Of Public Securities bought and sold. Money borrowed and lent on approved security, and negotiated so as to accommodate the parties. Certificates, State and Dollar Money furnished for the Land-Office, on the lowest terms, by

Francis White.

Chesnut street, near the Bank. d

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port aux Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, surviving Partner of *Mease & Caldwell*, has made an assignment of his own, as well as all the estates, both real and personal, of the said Parnership, to *Robert Millegan*, esq; attorney at law, and the subscriber, for the use of their creditors.——All persons indebted to the said Partnership, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are desired to settle their respective balances on or before the 1st of October next, otherwise suits will be commenced against them without further notice: also, those who have any demands against the said Partnership, are requested to furnish their accounts to the subscriber in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Assignee to *Mease & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787. 3tawifO

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by assignment made over his Estate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the subscribers, as assignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Those having demands are requested to furnish their accounts; and all who are indebted, are earnestly desired to make speedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting assignee—Who has for sale on the most advantageous terms for cash, at James Wilson's store, Second, between Market and Arch streets, a general Assortment of seasonable DRY GOODS.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Beavey.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8, 1787 3taw4w

Patrick Duffey,

B R O K E R,

Respectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Chesnut street, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL,

Certificates for the Land-Office,

With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;

Dollar Money,

STATE MONEY of the Emission of 1781, &c. &c.

And has also provided himself with

S T O R E S

To receive Merchandize, which he will sell for those who please to employ him, to the best advantage, at a moderate Commission, and will endeavour to the best of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himself that an Attention to the Interest of those for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him some Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,

On approved Security, and the greatest Secrecy and Delicasy observed in the Negociation of any Business committed to his Charge. August 7 w&stf

To the Freeholders and other electors for the City and County of Philadelphia;

Gentlemen,

I Earnestly solicit your Votes at the next election, to place me on the return for the Sheriff's Office, which will be gratefully acknowledged by Gentlemen,

Your obedient humble servant,
William Pollard.

Sept. 20, 1787. wswstu

GRAND-LODGE,

September 1, 1787.

THE quarterly communication of the Grand-Lodge of Pennsylvania, will meet at their room in Videl's alley, on Monday the 24th inst. at 10 o'clock, A. M. at which time and place the officers of the several Lodges under their jurisdiction are requested punctually to attend.

eo ASSHETON HUMPHREYS, *G. S.*

FOR

Dominica & St. Kitts,

The Sloop WELCOME RETURN,
Richard D. Place, Master;

NOW laying at the Old Ferry wharf; will sail in 8 or 10 day; two thirds of her cargo already engaged. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to *ELLISTON & JOHN PEROT*,

Who have for sale, Muscovado sugar in hogsheads and barrels, Grenada rum in puncheons, old Antigua rum in tierces, geneva in cases, cotton, &c.

September 17 eotf

Wanted to Charter

For VIRGINIA,

A VESSEL from 50 to 150 Tons burthen.——Enquire of

eo2w JONES & LOWNES.

For Sale, or Charter for Europe or the West-Indies,

The fast sailing

Brig Southampton;

Now lying at Clifford's wharf, burthen 120 tons, or thereabouts, has good accommodations for passengers. For particulars enquire at Mr. Edward Randolph's, in Second-street, or the Master on board. 3sp

FOR

Norfolk and *Petersburg*,

(Virginia)

The Schooner ELEANOR,
John Burke, Master;

TO sail in five days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Fisher's wharf, or to

Sept 18 5sp *DEAVES, BAKER & ABELL.*

For Boston,

The Sloop BAUSTO,
DANIEL NEWMAN, Master;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to Messrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon*, at their store at the head of the wharf.

September 17 d

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-street—Who have for Sale,

A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD dtf

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*,
William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass; has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

For *LONDON*,

The Ship HARMONY,
John Willett, Master;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.

P R O P O S A L S

For Printing by Subscription,

SERMONS,

On the Security and Happiness of a virtuous Course,
On the Goodness of God,
The Resurrection of Lazarus, &c. &c.

By RICHARD PRICE, D. D. L. L. D. F. R. S.

Consisting of ten Sermons.

This Work is proposed to be printed on a good paper and type, and to be furnished to the subscribers at *two thirds of a dollar*, bound and lettered, in one neat pocket volume.

As soon as four hundred subscribers have given in their names, the work will be put to press.

Subscriptions taken in by *Thomas Dobson*, and the other Booksellers in Philadelphia: *Robert Hodge*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charlestown; and all others intrusted with Proposals. Sept 13 3aw3w

This Day is Published, and to be Sold by

WM. PRICHARD,

At his Book-Store, in Market street—The

UNIVERSALIST,

In *Seven Letters* to AMYNTOR.
By WILLIAM PITT SMITH.
That God may be all in all.

In adamantine chains shall death be bound,
And hell's grim tyrant feel th' eternal wound——
The seas shall waste, the skies in smoke decay,
Rocks fall to dust and mountains melt away;
But fix'd his word, his saving pow'er remains,
Thy realm forever lasts, thy own Messiah reigns.
Pope.

The subject of the above piece, having been much canvassed of late, both in Europe and America, the the curiosity of the Public, and especially of such gentlemen of the city who are pleased with the discovery of Truth, may be excited to the perusal of the sentiments and reasoning of a fellow citizen, upon so momentous a point in Sacred Theology.

Also, ANECDOTES of the Reign of *Lewis* the 16th—Mr. *O'Conner*;

And the BUDDS or BEAUTY: a Collection of Poems—By *Augustus Chatterton*, esq. mws4w

This Day is PUBLISHED, *by*

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THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennsylvania:

Being the epistolary correspondence between Mehemet, the *secret deputy* from the sublime Porte, resident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the sentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the close of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully displayed.

The whole translated from the original Arabic manuscript. By *S. T. P.*

*** *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous customers, that he has just arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Assortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

Just PUBLISHED, *Sold by*

Thomas Dobson,

In Second street, between Chesnut and Market streets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne*'s FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, small pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handsomely bound and lettered, *Price* 3/9

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and sciences, vol. 1st, large 4to. with six copperplates *Price* 25*s.*

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9. Scott's lessons in elocution, or a selection of pieces in prose and verse, for the improvement of youth in reading and speaking, as well as for the perusal of persons of taste, 6*s.*

The distinguished preference which this book has obtained, both as a collection for schools, and a valuable book for private improvement, is a sufficient testimony of its superior merit. This fourth edition, now presented to the Public, is still farther improved: the compiler having brought it to its present improved state, has determined to let it remain so, to prevent the inconveniencies of too frequent variations.

N. B. A few copies of the third edition are still on hand, for the use of those schools where it is introduced.

10 Scott's introduction to reading and spelling; a new edition, very much improved, 2/6. w&stf

John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the store lately occupied by Messrs. Bache & Shee, on the west side of Front, the 5th door south of Chesnut street, where he has for sale on the lowest terms——

WINDOW GLASS

of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25 f&wtf

TO BE SOLD,

THE noted TAVERN in Walnut street, near Front street, known by the name of the *George* and *Dragon*. Enquire of

w&stf Sept 5 JOSEPH PRICE.

TO BE SOLD,

A Commodious Store and Lot of Ground, in Second-street, opposite the New-Market, and clear of incumbrances. For particulars enquire of JOHN PALMER, Junr. wstf

From the MASSACHUSETTS GAZETTE.

OHIO COMPANY.

At a Meeting of the Directors and Agents of the OHIO COMPANY, held at the Bunch of Grapes Tavern in Boſton, the following Report was received from the Reverend *Menaſſah Cutler*.

August 29th, 1787.

THAT in conſequence of reſolves of Congreſs, of the 23d and 27th of July laſt, he agreed on the conditions of a contract with the board of treaſury of the United States, for a particular tract of land, containing in the whole as much as the company's funds will pay for, ſhould the ſubſcriptions amount to one million of dollars, agreeably to the articles of aſſociation, at one dollar per acre—from which price is to be deducted one third of a dollar for bad lands, and defraying the expences of ſurveying, &c.

That thoſe lands be bounded on the eaſt by the weſtern boundary of the ſeventh range of townſhips; ſouth, by the Ohio; weſt, by a meridian line drawn through the weſtern cape of the Great Kanhawa River, and extending ſo far north, that a due eaſt and weſt line from the ſeventh range of townſhips to the ſaid meridian line, ſhall include the whole.

This tract to be extended ſo far northerly as to comprehend within its limits, excluſively of the above purchaſe, one lot of ſix hundred and forty acres, in each townſhip, for the purpoſes of religion—an equal quantity for the ſupport of ſchools, and 2 townſhips of twenty three thouſand and forty acres each, for an univerſity, to be as near the centre of the whole tract as may be; which lots and townſhips are given by Congreſs and appropriated for the above uſes forever. Alſo three lots, of ſix hundred and forty acres each, in every townſhip, reſerved for the future diſpoſition of Congreſs; and the bounty lands of the military aſſociators to be compriſed within the whole tract: Provided they do not exceed one ſeventh part thereof.

That five hundred thouſand dollars, be paid to the board of treaſury upon cloſing the contract. In conſideration of which, a right of entry and occupancy for a quantity of land equal to this ſum, at the price ſtipulated, be given—and that as ſoon as the geographer, or ſome proper officer of the United States, ſhall have ſurveyed and aſcertained the quantity of the whole, the ſum of five hundred thouſand dollars more be paid, amounting in the total, to one million dollars, for which the company are to be put in poſſeſſion of the other moiety of the lands above deſcribed, and receive a deed of the whole from the ſaid board of treaſury.

Whereupon Reſolved, That the above report be received, and the proceedings of Mr. Cutler be fully approved, ratified and confirmed.

Adjourned till to morow morning, eight o'clock, to convene at Mr. Brackett's tavern.

AUGUST 30.

Met according to adjournment, and continued until the firſt of September; during which time, the following reſolutions were agreed to.

THAT five thouſand ſeven hundred and ſixty acres of land, near the confluence of the Muſkingum and Ohio rivers, be reſerved for a city and commons.

That within the ſaid tract, and in the moſt eligible ſituation, there be appropriated for a city, ſixty ſquares, of three hundred and ſixty feet by three hundred and ſixty feet each, in an oblong form, of of ten ſquares in front, and ſix in depth, with ſtreets of one hundred feet in width through each range.

That four of ſaid ſquares, be reſerved for public uſes, and the remaining fifty ſix divided into houſe lots. That each ſquare contain twelve houſe lots of ſixty feet front and one hundred feet depth, and ſix lots of fifty three and three tenths feet by one hundred and eighty feet, amounting in the total to one thouſand and eight lots. And that this plan be purſued as nearly as the ſituation of the ground will admit; and when the ſame is compleated, a plat thereof, with the lots numbered thereon, be tranſmitted to the ſecretary, who ſhall notify a meeting of the agents for the purpoſe of drawing the ſaid city lots—one of which ſhall be annexed to, and become a part of each proprietary ſhare. That contiguous to, and in the vicinity of the above tract, there be laid off 1000 lots, of ſixty four acres each, as equal as poſſible in quality and ſituation, one of which, as the city lots, ſhall be conſidered a part of each propriety ſhare, and drawn for in the ſame manner; and that a complete ſurvey and return of theſe lots be made by the 1ſt of March next, to the ſecretary's office.

That, for the reception and protection of ſettlers, one hundred houſes of thirty ſix by ſixteen feet, be erected, in the courſe of the enſuing autumn and winter, on three ſides of the before mentioned oblong ſquare, and connected by a ſtockade.

That, in order carry into execution the above purpoſes, it is abſolutely neceſſary that the ſubſcribers pay into the hands of their ſeveral agents the monies ſubſcribed, that the ſame may be paid into the hands of the treaſurer by the 4th of October next; which payment the agents are to make to the treaſurer accordingly.

That, as ſaw-mills and corn-mills will be neceſſary, in forwarding the ſettlement, propoſals from any of the ſubſcribers for erecting one or more of each kind, without expence to the proprietors, will be received by either of the directors, the treaſurer, or at the ſecretary's office (in Boſton;) and ſuch propoſals will be decided upon, as ſoon as may be, after the completion of the contract with the treaſury board. And, that the manner of removing the firſt ſettlers, and ſuperintending their operations, will be agreed upon as ſoon as practicable.

Reſolved, That General James M Varnum, be one of the directors of the Ohio Company, and that Col. Richard Platt be the treaſurer.

A true Copy from the journals,

WINTHROP SARGENT, Sec'ry.

☞ General PUTNAM informs his friends that he has been in purſuit of this tract of land for ſeveral years; that he intends to be among the firſt ſettlers, and hopes thoſe who have an inclination to increaſe their fortunes, or remove from this to a better country, will loſe no time in becoming ſubſcribers.

Foreign Intelligence.

WARSAW, (Poland) June 22.

THE ſtorms have done a great deal of damage in different parts of this kingdom. The lightning fell on the church at Sendomir, and killed the counteſs of Popiel and ten others who were in its

VERSAILLES, July 20.

His majeſty has received a letter from Mr de Calonne nearly in the following terms: 'The perſecutions I have ſuffered, the ignominy I am branded with, the great diſguſt they have conceived againſt my perſon, and above all the extreme grief I felt to ſee myſelf deprived of your majeſty's favour and protection, have made me baniſh myſelf from my country; and when your majeſty receives this letter, I ſhall be out of your dominions. I retire into a country where I can in ſafety, labour towards my juſtification.'

LONDON, July 20.

Extract of a letter from the Hague, July 17.

'The ſtates of Holland were not long determining on the anſwer proper to be given by them, relative to the memorial delivered to their aſſembly by the baron de Thulemeyer. The anſwer, made by a majority of votes, contains in ſubſtance, that the ſtates are very far from having had any intention to be wanting in the reſpect due to his Pruſſian majeſty: but that motives, grounded on the preſervation of the public tranquility, had not permitted that her royal highneſs ſhould not be allowed to advance farther into the province, until there ſhould be no more reaſon to fear for the tranquility of the city: that they could not conceive in what ſenſe the name of an attempt could be given to that event, and ſtill leſs how it could be required that they ſhould puniſh their commiſſioners for an affair which their duty, and the ſupport of the dignity of the ſovereign aſſembly, had required they ſhould approve. This anſwer was ſent directly to Berlin.

July 21.

It is confidently aſſerted, that his Pruſſian majeſty has given orders for the immediate march of ſixty thouſand troops into the duchy of Cleeves. This ſtep will more effectually ſerve the cauſe of the ſtadtholder than the moſt ſpirited memorials.

By a gentleman who returned yeſterday from Liſle, in Flanders, we learn, that 12 pieces of cannon, 24 pounders, were on the march from that garriſon when our correſpondent left that city, and that 3000 men were in hourly expectation of receiving orders to march. It was rumoured that this force was intended to aſſiſt the patriots of Holland.

July 28.

We are informed from good authority, ſays a morning paper, that notwithſtanding the laſt Dutch mail contained an aſſurance that the king of Pruſſia had not given the ſmalleſt orders for the movement of any part of his troops, a column of 16,000 men have entered Maeſtricht, to prevent the French troops forming a junction with the Dutch patriotic army; while a ſecond column of 16,000 Pruſſians have abſolutely marched to the aſſiſtance of the prince of Orange, who have formed the determined reſolution of proceeding immediately into the province of Holland, where he intends to act at once, with firmneſs and vigour, as the only probable means left that is any way likely to terminate the preſent unhappy diſſentions. What the reſult of theſe movements may be, a few days will diſcover.

Extract of a letter from Paris.

'The Dutch ambaſſador has daily conferences with king's miniſters: and yeſterday evening he had a private audience of his majeſty at his palace, which was not over till very late. The affairs of the Seven United Provinces grow daily more intereſting, Monſ. Rayneval is talked of as likely to ſet off again for the Hague, to aſſiſt at a negociation which is likely to be agreed to, he being conſtituted the king's ambaſſador plenipotentiary on the grand point of mediation, which we hope may be ſet about before any freſh troubles break out.'

It is impoſſible, from the various accounts by the Dutch mail, to form any opinion reſpecting the ſtate of affairs in Holland; but we think there appears *ſomething* (like the dæmon that appeared between America and this country) which is friendly to neither party—and which, by creating further diviſion, will eventually at leaſt cripple the United Provinces for a century, if not totally extinguiſh their liberties.

When Mr. Lamb, the American peace-negociator, had an audience of the dey reſpecting the liberation of priſoners, who amounted to 21, the latter ſaid haſtily, 'Well, ſir, to the point: what do you mean to give for the ranſom of them?' 'I am commiſſioned to offer ten thouſand 'dollars,' replied the former. 'You ſhall not have them for leſs than fifty thouſand,' ſaid the dey. He however lowered his demand to 18 000 dollars. But we do not hear that the captives have been yet liberated.

Advices from Vienna ſay, that the ſuppreſſion of four monaſteries, near that capital, has brought at leaſt two millions of florins to the Imperial treaſury.

AMERICA.

ST. JOHN's, (Antigua) Aug. 10.

We learn from Dominica, that on Friday morning they experienced a ſevere gale from the ſouth weſt, accompanied with a great deal of thunder and lightning.

The following veſſels were driven on ſhore at that iſland, and will be totally loſt, viz The ſhip John of Liverpool, but laſt from the coaſt of Guinea. Four ſloops belonging to gentlemen of that iſland. ——Two French ſchooners loaded with ſugar from Martinique, bound to Guadaloupe with ſeveral ſmall veſſels.

It is ſaid that the gale has been ſeverely felt at Martinique and Guadaloupe. A ſmall veſſel belonging to Mr. Moſes Blake of this iſland, went on ſhore laſt week at Baſſeterre, St. Kitt's, and was loſt; we do not hear of any other. The wind has been rather boiſterous for ſome days paſt, but as it has continued to blow from one point, (the eaſtward) it will probably be attended with no bad conſequences, and end with the change of the moon on Monday.

PORTSMOUTH, Sept. 8.

By accounts from a number of towns in this ſtate, we are credibly informed, that the people are diſpoſed and determined to receive the new fœderal government, and it is ſaid, that a fœderal diſpoſition ſeems to prevail through almoſt every ſtate.

BOSTON, Sept. 13.

Extract of a letter, dated Paris, June 22, 1787, from that perſevering friend to America, the marquis De la Fayette, to his friend in this town.

"I have juſt heard that a fire has deſtroyed many houſes in Boſton—What I feel on this occaſion you will eaſily gueſs from my attachment to the town, and its beloved citizens—Our accounts are yet imperfect; I hope they may be exaggerated—I know that your houſe is ſafe: Pray let me know every particular, that may be intereſting to a heart moſt ſincerely devoted to your capital."

We have authority to aſſure the public, that in the ſame letter this generous nobleman has directed Samuel Breck, Eſq; to pay Two Hundred Guineas on his account, for the relief of the poor ſufferers by the fire.

Tueſday morning arrived here, a cutter of his moſt Chriſtian majeſty, from France; of the diſpatches ſhe has brought we are unacquainted; it is however ſaid, the French ſquadron in this port will in conſequence ſail immediately.

We part with the utmoſt regret from the French fleet, which for this month paſt, has been in this harbour. The general, the captains, and the officers, have ſecured the affection and eſteem of thoſe who have been honored by their acquaintance; there is not a true American who is not deeply intereſted in their fortune; even the ſailors have been perfectly unexceptionable in their behaviour. Not the leaſt diſturbance has taken place during their ſtay in this metropolis; the crew of a Britiſh ſloop would have created an hundreed tumults in the ſame period: The citizens of Boſton are witneſſes of the different behaviour of the two nations, under the ſame circumſtances, and as long as they exiſt, they will recollect and acknowledge with pleaſure, the politeneſs and good conduct of the former, as they have aſſiſted to ſpurn and chaſtiſe the inſolence of the latter. If our friends are recalled to enjoy in peace the honor they have obtained in war, we can only wiſh them the happineſs they merit: But if new dangers demand new proofs of their courage, the Americans cannot be indifferent to the conſequence, but muſt be anxious for their ſucceſs, as in the event of their victories or misfortunes, we may find our independence eſtabliſhed paſt the 'bolts of accident' to injure, or may be involved in new ſtruggles with the Britiſh, to preſerve the liberty we have with ſuch difficulty acquired.

Extract of a letter from Paris, to a gentleman in Hartford, dated May 30.

"The marquis de la Fayette, on the day before the diſſolution of the aſſembly of notables, which took place on the 25th of May, having repreſented the ſituation of the Proteſtants in France, brought in a motion which he carried by a great majority to the following purport.——

"That whereas a conſiderable part of the citizens of France, who do not profeſs the Roman Catholic religion, are laying as it were in a ſtate of civil death, it is expected that the king, deſirous to impreſs every heart with the love of his own religion, and knowing that truth is ſufficient to itſelf, and that error alone can be in need of violent meaſures, would add to his other virtues, that of a benevolent tolerance; in conſequence whereof, his majeſty is moſt earneſtly requeſted to put an end to thoſe laws of proſcription againſt his Proteſtant ſubjects which are equally contrary to the general intereſt of religion—to good morals—to population—to national induſtry—and to every principle of morality and policy.

"Having carried this motion in his Bureau, the marquis made another motion, for the reviſion of the civil and particularly the criminal laws, which was alſo agreed to, and preſented by the king's brother, preſident of that Bureau, to the king, who received the two addreſſes very graciouſly.

"It is to be remarked, that among thoſe who ſupported the marquis's motion in favour of the Proteſtants, moſt of whom are Calviniſts, to the number of about fifteen hundred thouſand, the biſhop of Sangres was one of the moſt liberal."

Major general Shepard has ordered the colonels of the regiments, compoſing the 4th diviſion of the militia, to put their reſpective regiments in the beſt order, as his excellency the commander in chief propoſes to review this diviſion ſome time this month.

The ſupreme executive of this Commonwealth, we hear, have been pleaſed to grant a full and free pardon to the ſix unhappy perſons under ſentence of death for treaſon.

PORTLAND, Sept. 6.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at New Glouceſter, dated Sept. 3, 1787.

"Laſt Thurſday at about a quarter paſt 4 o'clock P. M. a remarkable phænomenon made its appearance in the air, which was ſeen by ſundry perſons in this town. I had not the ſatisfaction of ſeeing it myſelf; but by what I can learn it had the appearance of a ball of fire about the ſize of a nine pound cannon ſhot. Immediately after its appearance it made an exploſion, or exploſions: the reports of which (not unſimilar to thoſe of three or four pretty heavy cannon diſcharged at a very ſmall diſtance, very quick one after another) I heard, and ſenſibly perceived, as they jarred the houſe where I was then ſitting. From my obſervations of the ſmoke which ſucceeded the exploſions, its ſituation was beyond the clouds, ſomewhat below the moon's preſent path, and about ſouth and by eaſt from my then ſtation."

NEWPORT, September 6.

Bite the Biter.—Huzza Boys!

It is an old adage, that the devil and his imps would ſooner or later be paid in their own coin; the verity of this ſaying was never more fully exemplified than in the well known Euripides, who has been a notorious ſtickler for the fraudulent paper, and a principal actor in the juſtly infamous Know Ye's, having juſt had a ſum lodged with a brother judge in diſcharge of a ſpecie demand he had for rent——but his honor refuſes to take this baſe ſhadow of money which he hath received for the poor and needy. However juſtly the tenderers are branded with diſgrace and infamy, the preſent one deſerves the approbation of the honeſt——we ſhall therefore gibbet this remarkable Know Ye, under our weekly liſt, in order that this famous partizan may be known to the world.

A freeman who feels for the dignity of government preſumes, that on the meeting of the honorable aſſembly there will be a ſolemn inquiry into the reaſons of their not forming a ſeſſions at Briſtol, agreeable to the adjournment—in order that their conſtituents may know whether this unparalleled diſſolution was premeditated, or the unavoidable operations of unforeſeen contingencies——we are already the reproach and bye-word of the world, let us be cautious of adding to their contempt—and endeavour to riſe from the merited diſgrace we have voluntarily plunged into.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 18.

The Engliſh papers for ſome time paſt have been crowded with addreſſes to and anſwers from prince William Henry, preſented by his Britannic majeſty's loyal ſubjects in different parts of the world. It would ſeem that young man is roving about in his good ſhip the Pegaſus, merely to receive and anſwer addreſſes, as hardly any other viſible purpoſe is thereby attained, his minions having already aſſerted him to be a very complete mariner. His anſwers may in general be compared to a ſkeleton, compoſed of the following words: 'Heart-felt ſatisfaction,' 'natural enemy, the French,' 'valuable colony,' 'ineſtimable privileges,' 'free-born Britons,' 'faithful loyaliſts,' 'infatuated men,' 'his majeſty's ſacred perſon.'—It is worthy of remark, that the ſaid prince conſtantly in his anſwers to theſe addreſſes, promiſes faithfully to qualify himſelf with unremitted attention, for ſerving the nation in future wars. He puts us in mind of a Scotch recruit on the rebel ſide in the year 1745; being aſked if he thought he could face the duke of Cumberland—'In gude faith (ſaid Sawney) I canna tell noo, having ne'er ſeen a faight, but this I ken weel enough, gin I canna faight I can rin awa as faſt as ony o'em.'

On Saturday afternoon, an expreſs arrived in town from Boſton, in 48 hours, by which we learn, that the French fleet lying there, had received peremptory orders to put to ſea immediately. Our account further ſtates, that theſe orders were brought to Boſton, by a faſt ſailing ſloop, from which no information could be obtained, either from whence ſhe came, or reſpecting the deſtination of the fleet.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 4.

Yeſterday put in here in diſtreſs, the brig Comet, capt. Harve, from Miſſiſſippi, bound to Cape François.

Captain O'Lauchlin, from St. Euſtatia, informs, that on the 19th ult. in lat. 25, in the Gulf of Florida, he ſaw a ſhip on ſhore in diſtreſs; proved to be the Alfred of London, captain Stuport. The ſame evening ſaw the Flora of Liverpool, captain Belcher, get under way; ſhe having been aground for 9 days, but on a more favourable part of the reef than the Alfred. Not far to the northward, ſaw another ſhip ſtranded, with her main maſt only ſtanding—which proved to be the ſhip Albion of London, capt. Whitebread, from Jamaica, homeward bound: both theſe ſhips were buſily employed in ſaving all that could be of their cargoes, and ſhipping the ſame to Providence; there were ſeveral Providence veſſels not far from them.

Three conſtables, Prieſt, Johnſon and Joſhua Smithers, came up with 5 of the perſons who broke out of goal, near Dorcheſter; they had each of them a large blanket on their heads, filled with goods that they had ſtolen from a ſtore at Dorcheſter, belonging to Mr. Philips. On perceiving their purſuers, they threw down their bundles, and retired to ſome diſtance.—Johnſon and Prieſt propoſed to Smithers to ſecret and divide what had thus opportunely thrown into their way, but to this Smithers would not agree, and firing a piſtol at the thieves, wounded Meguire dangerouſly; however, not finding himſelf to be ſeconded, for Prieſt even refuſed to led him an old ſword, he returned to town with information of what had paſſed, and Prieſt and Johnſon have been ſince committed to priſon.—Nearly the whole of Mr. Phillips's goods are recovered, and as the country is every where alarmed, it is probable the villains will ſoon be taken.

WINCHESTER, Sept. 7.

We are informed that the worſhipful court of Berkley, have come to a reſolution at the laſt court, to have all the ſuits on their dockets tried in November next; and the plantiffs that do not attend to ſupport their claims ſhall have their ſuits diſmiſſed; and all defendants to ſuits in the ſaid court that are not provided to make their defence judgment ſhall paſs againſt them. This reſolution, if put in execution, will do credit to the court and county, and to all others who patroniſe ſo laudable a reſolution.

Philadelphia, *Sept. 22.*

The following is a copy of the preſentment of the Grand Jury of the county of Philadelphia, to the court of Oyer and Terminer; and it is with particular pleaſure we inform the public, that his Honor the Chief Juſtice gave the jury the fulleſt aſſurances, that the grievances therein complained of ſhould be immediately redreſſed.

September 19, 1787.

Philadelphia County Court of Oyer and Terminer.

THE Grand Jury of the court of Oyer and Terminer having viſited the common gaol of the county, beg leave unanimouſly to lay before the honorable court the following grievances, which they conceive are productive of conſequences that muſt ſhock every good citizen.

Firſt, They take the liberty to preſent, that the priſon ſeems to them to be open, as to a general intercourſe between the criminals of the different ſexes; and that there is not even the appearance of decency (from what they can learn) with reſpect to the ſcenes of debauchery that naturally reſult from ſuch a ſituation; inſomuch, that it appears to the Jury, from undoubted information, that the gaol has become a deſirable place for the more wicked and polluted of both ſexes; to ſo great a degree, that there are numberleſs inſtances of vicious and wicked people ſigning fictitious notes, and confeſſing judgment before juſtices of the peace, in order to be committed; and actually return to priſon before they have been out many hours.—And

Secondly. They farther take the liberty to preſent, that the common hall, originally intended for the accommodation of debtors only, is become a place of reſort for the criminals and debtors indiſcriminately. It is with conſiderable concern that the Jury mention to the honorable court, that many worthy characters who have been ſo unfortunate as to be confined there for debt, who have once ſeen better days, and have been reduced by misfortune, ſhould not have the liberty of a place to receive the air, without being interrupted by wretches who are a diſgrace to human nature; together with the horrid noiſe of chains and diſorder of every kind. They are ſorry to ſay, that upon enquiry it appears to them, that one principal reaſon why all the priſoners, without diſcrimination, are admitted into the hall together is, that liquor is ſold at the door by ſmall meaſure, by the gaoler, or by his permiſſion, contrary (as they conceive) to the laws of the commonwealth.

How far the inadequate fees, or compenſation made to the gaoler for his great undertaking and exertions, may be pleaded, or extenuation of that part of his conduct which they conceive to be unlawful, they would ſubmit to the honorable court.

ENOCH EDWARDS, Foreman.

The friends of America, ſays a correſpondent, muſt be happy to hear, that in the ſpace of the laſt three years no leſs than 85 pupils have been perfected in the branch of navigation, by the maſter of the mathematical ſchool in the Univerſity of Pennſylvania: and of theſe 50 already act as officers on board American ſhips; beſides 10 ſea captains have been taught the new method of finding the longitude by the lunar obſervation. It is ſaid, that in the like ſpace of time, as many pupils have not been qualified for the ſea in any one academy in Great Britain.

Our correſpondent further obſerves, that the truſtees of that inſtitution, at their laſt meeting, finding that the mathematical ſchool of this ſeminary, although but in its infant ſtate, is even now of national importance, reſolved to admit pupils into it in future without any entrance fee; whereby many more will probably be inſtructed in different uſeful branches, and our marine particularly benefited.

Extract of a letter from Baltimore, dated Sept. 18.

"Capt. Tucker, in the ſhip Union, juſt arrived here, who left Bourdeaux the 28th of July, informs, that a war was unavoidable in Europe; that hoſtilities had already commenced between the parties of the ſtadtholder and ſtates of Holland; that France, determining to ſupport the latter in their liberties, had equipped a fleet of 14 ſail of the line,

which failed from Breft about the 25th for that purpofe; and England, not lefs active, refolving to reinftate the ftadtholder in all his rights and privileges, was, with this intention, preparing and manning a fleet of 18 or 20 fail as expeditioufly as poffible, to be in readinefs for fea by the 30th of July. It was conjectured, that the king of Pruffia would take the part of his brother-in law the ftadtholder. The emperor, it was expected, would unite in meafures with his brother in-law the king of France; Spain will naturally be brought in as ufual.

"It is to be feared, that the lovers of wine will want for good claret, as the crops will fall fhort, by reafon of fome hard frofts late laft fpring. In confequence of the unfavourable profpects, wine had taken a rife of ten per cent. before Capt. Tucker left Bourdeaux.

"On the 4th of Auguft, in lat. 49. 10. N. and long. 12. 35. W. Capt. Tucker fell in with the Pigot Indiaman, Capt. Balentine, fix months out from China. It being almoft calm, Capt. Ballentine hoifted out his boat, and came on board Capt. Tucker, to procure fome articles he was in want of. He advifed, that Lord Cornwallis was making many new regulations in India, and was endeavouring to wipe away the ftains which were left by the mifmanagements of Mr. Haftings, and repair the injuries occafioned by his mifconduct. Lord Cornwallis has ordered all officers in public truft to give an account of their conduct and proceedings for feveral years back.

"Capt. Balentine likewife informed, that the eftablifhment of the American trade wore a very unfavourable afpect in that quarter, owing to fome of the American mafters and fupercargoes not paying that nice refpect to the punctuality that was requifite, and which the eaftern nations have been accuftomed to. The traffic of moft nations there is carried on by companies; each company has its factor, who alone is refponfible for any mifdemeanors committed by individuals belonging to their refpective companies. The Americans may be certain, fays Capt. Balentine, fhould this conduct of theirs continue, that the natives will take the firft opportunity they may have, to feize on their property indifcriminately; fo that the innocent muft fuffer on account of the guilty.

"On the 10th of Auguft, Capt. Tucker, in lat. 47. 50. N. long. 27. 15. W. fell in with the fhip Le Baron Briton, Capt. Grolau, from Bengal, five months out, who likewife confirmed the above information of Capt. Balentine.

"In lat. 41. 0. and long. 54. 30. Capt. Tucker fpoke the fhip Termagant, Capt Talbert, belonging to Mr. Samuel Burk, from Norfolk, bound to Cork, ten days out, all well.

The following is an authentic lift of the aforementioned Breft fleet.

	Guns.		Guns
Le Majeftueux	110	Le Northumberland	74
Le Royal Louis	110	Le Superbe	74
Les Deux Freres	80	Le Brave	74
Le St. Efprit	80	L'Illuftre	74
L'Achille	74	Le Neptune	74
L'Hercule	74	Le Leopard	74
Le Magnanime	74	Le Temeraire	74

Extract of a letter from an Englifh gentleman at Bruffels to his correfpondent in Baltimore, dated June 3, 1787.

"The Flemings have lately been roufed into an oppofition to the defpotic acts of the emperor, little fhort of an infurrection. They have intimidated the government of the Low Countries, and the miniftry have, by conceffions, reftored a temporary tranquility. The confequences muft be dreadful, if the emperor fhould refufe to ratify their grants. For the prefent, the councils, that is, the fupreme courts of judicature in Brabant, Flanders and other provinces, are reftored. A promife is given, that the Univerfity of Louvain, which has been ftripped of its antient and moft valuable privileges, fhall be reftored to its former ftate; and the public profeffors fhall not be confined to teach, in manner and fubftance, as directed by the court. No perfon is to be punifhed in future, but agreeably to the eftablifhed modes of proceeding, which have fubfifted for fo many centuries in this country, and preferved the police of it better than in almoft any other. A breach of the peace, robbery or murder, are almoft unknown amongft the Flemings, and never fail of exemplary punifhment. The fuppreffion of convents has hitherto been made in violation of law and natural right, as thofe eftablifhments were guarded by the fame authority which fecures the property and liberty of every individual. The emperor's miniftry here have given affurances, that the remaining convents, for the fuppreffion of which an edict was to be publifhed May 15th, fhall continue unnoticed. In their remonftrances to government, the ftates of Flanders and Brabant fpeak of the compact between the fovereign and people in the language of Englifhmen, and ground their refufal to obey on the coronation oath of the former, and their own oath of allegiance."

From a Correfpondent.

I was walking the other day in Second ftreet and obferved a child, of five or fix years old, with a paper in his hand, and lifping, with a fmile, '*here's what the convention have do e.*' Laft evening I was walking down Arch ftreet and was ftruck with the appearance of an old man, whofe head was covered with hoary locks, and whofe knees bent beneath the weight of his body, ftepping to his feat by the door, with a crutch in one hand and his fpectacles and the *new federal conftitution* in the other. Thefe incidents renewed in my mind the importance of the prefent æra to one half the world! I was pleafed to fee all ages anxious to know the refult of the deliberations of that illuftrious council, whofe *conftitutions* are defigned to govern *a world of freemen*! The unthinking youth, who cannot realize the importance of government feems to be impreffed with a fenfe of our want of union and fyftem; and the venerable fire, who is tottering to the grave, feels new life at the profpect of having every thing valuable fecured to pofterity.

Ye Spirits of ancient legiflators! Ye Ghofts of Solon, Lycurgus and Alfred! Of the members of the grand Amphyctionic Council of Greece! and of the illuftrious Senate of Rome! attend and bear teftimony, how important the tafk of making laws far governing empires? Attend, ye Ghofts of Warren, Montgomery, Mercer and other heroes who offered your lives upon the altar of freedom! Bear witnefs, with what folicitude the great council of America, headed by a *Franklin* and a *Wafhington*, the fathers of their country, have deliberated upon the deareft interefts of men, and laboured to frame a fyftem of laws and conftitutions that fhall perpetuate the bleffings of that independence, which you obtained by your fwords!

"Thefe are the fathers of this weftern clime!
Nor names more noble grac'd the rolls of fame.
When Spartan firmnefs braved the wrecks of time,
Or Rome's bold virtues fanned the heroic flame.
Not deeper thought the immortal fage infpired
On Solon's lips when Grecian fenates hung;
Nor manlier eloquence the bofom fired
When genius thundered from the ATHENIAN tongue."

Away ye fpirits of difcord! ye narrow views! ye local policies! ye felfifh patriots, who would damn your country for a fixpenny duty! In the prefent ftate of America, *local views* are *general ruin! Unanimity* alone is our *laft refort.* Every other expedient has been tried, and unanimity *now* will certainly fecure freedom, national faith and profperity.

SHIP NEWS.

The Baltimore, Darley, from Lifbon; Louis, Durny, from Cape Francois; Tom, Bags, from Barbadoes; Spencer, Holmes, from St. Martin's; Flora, Stonehoufe, from Bath; Betfey, Smithfon, from Currituck; Mary-Anne, Graham, and Polly, Waring, from Roanoake, are arrived at Baltimore.

The Lively, Wilkins, from the Ifle of Jerfey; Count D'Eftaing, Bray, from Guadaloupe: Auftria, Cabawfol, from Cagliari; Polly, Paine, from S. Carolina; Polly, Raymond, from Connecticut, and Polly, Parker, from Nova-Scotia, are arrived at Bofton.

GERMANTOWN, Sept. 21.

At a Meeting of a refpectable number of the citizens of Germantown, Doctor Charles Benfel in the chair, the Conftitution of the United States being read,

Refolved *unanimoufly*, That we do highly approve of the propofed Conftitution of the United States, and that we will concur with our fellow citizens in Philadelphia in praying the legiflature immediately to adopt the meafures recommended by the late Honorable Convention, for carrying the fame into execution.

CHARLES BENSEL, Chairman.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors*, for the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by a refpectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to requeft the Favour of your Votes at the enfuing Election, to place me on the Return with the prefent Sheriff, as I mean to offer myfelf a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpofe, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble Servant,
Samuel Caldwell.

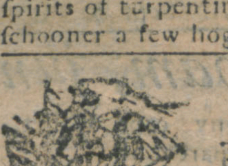
Philadelphia, September 21, 1787. dtf

For Fredericksburg,

The Schooner
FREDERICKSBURG PACKET,
Captain *Chipman Bangs*,

WILL fail in a few days. For freight or paffage apply to the Captain on board at Arch ftreet wharf, or to KUHN & RISBERG,

Who have for fale 160 barrels rofin, and 40 barrels fpirits of turpentine, and have juft received by faid fchooner a few hogfheads excellent tobacco. Sept 22 4f



For Charter,

The French Ship L'OISEAU,
J. MENO, Mafter,
For any part of the Mediterranean;

Now laying at Luffer's Wharf, New-York: fhe is a very faft failer, and well found, burthen about 240 hogfheads of tobacco. Apply to Mr. R. J. Thebaut, on board faid fhip, or to JAMES VANUXEM,
In Water-ftreet, below Market-ftreet.

September 20. 6fp

Stop Thief!

LAST evening the Five following WHEELBARROW MEN knocked down their Keeper and made their efcape, viz.

Thomas Knight, about 25 years of age, 6 feet high; a ftout well made fellow, a little knock-kneed, brown hair, has a remarkable deceitful countenance, and born in England.

Cafper Kirkfiel, born in Germany, about 26 years of age, red hair, 5 feet 5 inches high, and knock-kneed.

John O'Brian, about 25 years of age, born in Ireland, 5 feet 5 inches high, has feveral fcars on his head, and dark hair.

Jofeph Humfreys, born in Eaft Jerfey, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, dark hair, and flightly marked with the fmall pox.

James M'Gee, about 29 years of age, born in Ireland, 5 feet 7 inches high, fandy hair, pitted with the fmall pox, and has lately cut off a wart that was on his face, is particularly well known to almoft every perfon that was in the Pennfylvania line during the war, in which he was a corporal.

Their hair is off, which is the moft remarkable circumftance, as they will doubtlefs change their cloaths.

A Reward of *Ten Pounds* will be paid by the Sheriff or Gaoler of Philadelphia, for fecuring all of them, or in proportion for one or more of them.

Jofeph Cowperthwait, fheriff.
John Reynolds, gaoler.

Philadelphia, September 21. 5t

Philadelphia, *September* 20, 1787.

PROPOSALS

For Printing by Subfcription,
A Geographical and Topographical

HISTORY OF *AMERICA*,

Collected and compiled by *John O'Connor*, efq. a barrefter at law in the kingdom of Ireland, and now a traveller in America.

MR. O'CONNOR has returned from the fouthward to make arrangements for committing the firft volume to prefs; and he affures his fubfcribers, that the mechanical part will be compleated with the utmoft attention.

When thefe propofals were firft publifhed, their impreffion on the public mind, and their fuccefs, were equally uncertain, confequently it was judged indelicate, in fuch a ftate of apprehenfion, to receive any pecuniary fupport towards a publication which might fall—through defect of public fpirit, or many local circumftances which generally exifted, to reprefs zeal in the promotion of literary endeavours.

Experience however has proved thofe fears imaginary, as the moft liberal and general fupport has been obtained for thefe Propofitions, wherever they were communicated—This indulgence and patronage engrave on the breaft of the Writer, fentiments of affection and grateful remembrance, not to be effaced; and it is with peculiar fatisfaction he and his Affigns will receive a part of the price of thefe volumes towards difcharging expences indifpenfibly connected to the work.

Subfcriptions are taken by Meffrs. *Prichard & Hall*, the Printers of this Hiftory, in Philadelphia.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

I RETURN you my thanks for former Favours, and folicit a Continuance thereof as the enfuing Election, for the *Coroner*'s Office, which will lay an additional Obligation on, and be gratefully acknowledged by the Public's Friend and humble Servant,

John Leacock, Coroner.

Philadelphia, Auguft 25, 1787. tf

Philadelphia, Auguft 27, 1787.

THE fubfcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requefts that thofe indebted to him would immediately pay their refpective balances; thofe who have demands againft him will pleafe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for fale, two convenient *STORES*, the fouthweft corner of Third and Chefnut ftreets, for Paper Money of the late emiffion. d

Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.

THE Partnerfhip of *Head* and *Sanfom*, being this day diffolved, all perfons having any demands againft them, are defired to bring their accounts either to *John Head*, junr. at the ftore lately occupied by *Head & Sanfom*, or to *William Sanfom*, at his ftore in the fame ftreet, three doors below Arch ftreet, where they will receive payment; and all thofe indebted to them fix months, are earneftly requefted to make payment at either of the abovementioned places. 3fp.w&f3w

Irifh Linens,

Juft arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Rofs and *Vaughan*.

September 15 d

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cafes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogfheads.

Lifbon Wine in Quarter Cafks;

Copper Kettles, juft arrived, and for Sale by

Rofs and Vaughan.

Auguft 22. etf

Knox & Henderfon

Have juft received by the fhip *Succefs*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Affortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweft fafhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable filk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ftockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c which they will *fell low for Cafh*, at their Store in Front ftreet.

Alfo, A quantity of beft Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White

CHINA,

Congo Tea in Chefts—And a Quantity of

CASSIA,

Juft imported from India, to be fold reafonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Juft arrived in fundry Veffels, and
FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-ftreet,

MADEIRA, Lifbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and fmall cafks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Ifland rum
Frefh raifins in kegs and jars
Hyfon tea in quarter chefts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful affortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, fuitable to the prefent and approaching feafon. dtf

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Chefnut ftreets, have Imported in the fhips Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Veffels from Europe, and are now felling on exceedingly low terms for cafh or fhort credit, a fine Affortment of

Seafonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, fattins and perfians, black and coloured Barcelonia filk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano dit. velverets, corduroys and thickfets, printed velverets, fuperfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white fhirting linens and fheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat affortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worfted hofiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

Donnaldfon & Coxe,

In Walnut ftreet, have for Sale

FRESH fouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white fetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaft and evening fetts of ditto
India luteftrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-ftands, &c.
Shone's beft London porter in cafks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beft Bourdeaux claret in cafes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Englifh filks, cottons and calicoes
Irifh printed linens
Ribbands and filk hofe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different fizes

Alfo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England foal leather. d Sept 5

To the Curious.

Juft arrived from the Coaft of Africa,

A CAMEL;

Full grown, and near twenty-one hands high.

This Animal, of which fuch frequent mention is made in the Holy Scriptures, and of which there has not been one in this city for near 50 years, is to be feen in Shippen's alley (near the Romifh chapel) next door above George Clymer, efquire's. Price for grown Perfons 1/6 each, and for Children 9d each.

September 14 7fp

From a late LONDON PAPER.

IMPROMTU,

On the late Marriage of the Hon. and Rev. Mr. *Howard*, to Mifs *Idle*, Niece of Sir *Philip Mufgrave*, Bart.

MOST men, left to their choice, I know,
Would lead an idle life,
But few there will be found, I trow,
Would choofe an *Idle* wife.

RESPONSE.

Thy wit is futile on my life,
So learn thy tongue to bridle,
'Tis clear the mind, become a wife,
Is now no longer *Idle*.

ANECDOTE.

THE Emperor Charles V. happened to be at Bruffels, when a difpute took place betwixt two ladies of diftinction on a point of precedency. He humouroufly declared his intention to decide it in perfon. He afcended his Throne with much folemnity; with a grave countenance and ferious tone. 'We have well, faid he, and duly weighed the difpute between thefe two ladies; our determination is, that fhe who is the moft beautiful of the two fhall on every future occafion, and particularly on the prefent one, give place to the other.' The ladies were confounded, but neither of them from that moment, infifted on their rank; luckily there were two doors to the Emperor's hall of audience, or it might not have been a very eafy matter to have perfuaded either of them to have gone out firft.

Philadelphia, September 14, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept from David Rittenhoufe, efquire, fole truftee of the general loan-office of (the late province, now ftate of) Pennfylvania, to mee directed, will be expofed to fale by public vendue, at the Merchants Coffee-houfe, in the city of Philadelphia, on Wednefday the 17th day of October next, 6 o'clock in the evening, a certain Bank Lot, fituate between Market and Chefnut ftreets in the city of Philadelphia, containing 15 feet in front, and about 46 feet in depth, on which is erected a brick meffuage: bounded fouthward by a lot belonging to John Grantham and Chriftopher Grifler, eaftward by Water-ftreet, northward by the public fteps leading out of Front-ftreet into Water-ftreet, and weftward by Front-ftreet: taken in execution as the property of John Sobers, and to be fold by

Jofeph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, September 15, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be expofed to fale by public vendue, at the Merchants Coffee Houfe, in the city of Philadelphia, on Thurfday the 27th inft. at 6 o'clock in the evening, for and during the natural life of Chriftopher Wilfon, of, in and to about ten acres of land, with a fmall log meffuage thereon erected, fituate, lying and being in Kingfeffing townfhip and county of Philadelphia (commonly called Boon's ifland): bounded on the fouth by Robert Towers' land, on the north by a road called Tinnecum road, on the weft by Andrew Coxe's land, and on the eaft by Matthew Hefton's land.

Alfo, about 10 acres of Meadow Ground; bounded on the fouth and eaft by Church and Bow creeks and on the north and weft by Hubbard's and Towers' land: taken in execution as the property of faid Chriftopher Wilfon, and to be fold by

Jofeph Cowperthwait, fheriff.

LOST,

On the 18th inftant, in this city, an Englifh Crab

WALKING CANE,

Mahogany colour, with an ivory head and filver ferrel, Whoever will deliver it to the Printers hereof fhall be well rewarded.

MR. SICARD, pupil of the celebrated monf. Veftres, prefents his compliments to his former employers and the public in general, and begs leave to inform them that his *Dancing School* will be opened on the firft day of October.

The hours of attendance for young ladies will be from 10 till 1 o'clock every Monday, Wednefday and Friday—and for young gentlemen from 6 till 9 o'clock in the evening of the fame days.

He will devote one day in every two weeks to inftruct the pupils of his dancing fchool, and of the boarding fchools, where he attends *gratis*, in the polite accomplifhments of the genteel *graces* and *manners*, on the plan that he conducted the fame at Paris, in conjunction with the celebrated monfieur Gaudelle.

Mr. Sicard propofes attending private families, boarding fchools, and academies, one day in every week, if required, for the purpofe of inftructing young ladies and gentlemen in this important part of a polite education, viz. How to come into the prefence of their fuperiors—How to come into, and go out of a room—How to falute in the ftreet, and walk gracefully—How to prefent any thing to another—and how to move the fan elegantly, &c. &c. &c.

He would efteem it a particular favour if thofe ladies and gentlemen who have had an opportunity of affociating with the polite in the European capitals, would honor him with their company whenever he practices, in order to fatisfy them of his abilities in that particular line of his profeffion. mtf.

This Day is Publifhed, Price 3/9 in Boards,

By Young and M'Culloch,

INTRDUCTION TO THE Hiftory of America.

(To which is prefixed a Map of the United States)

CONTAINING,

The hiftory of Columbus.
An account of the difcovery and fettlement of North-America.
Geography of the United States.
Hiftory of the American war.
Declaration of independence.
Gen. Wafhington's circular letter.
Addreffes of Congrefs, and other papers relative to the Revolution.
A fhort account of the conftitution of each of the ftates.
The temporary form of government eftablifhed by Congrefs for the new ftates laid off in the vacant territory.
Account of fome of the natural curiofities in America.
Chronological table of the moft remarkable events in America.
Alfo including the Plan of the Federal Government, &c. paffed by the Convention at Philadelphia September 17, 1787.

Alfo Publifhed,

Father Tammany's Almanack,
For the year 1788. lmwaw

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,
FOR SALE BY
Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,
In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,
Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Nixon and Foster

Have for SALE a Parcel of

Muscovado Sugars

Of the first and second Quality, which they will dispose of on reasonable terms for cash or short credit.
September 19. eo6w

Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the best chosen

GROCERIES:

As sago, oatmeal, barley, spices, Malmsey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, soy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, sallad oil, &c.
FOR SALE BY

John Dorsey.

Sept 4 3taw3w

William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf,
Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.
Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,
Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.
Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4. 1787. mws 1m

William Compton,

In Third-street, between Race and Vine-streets, has for sale on very low terms, for cash or short credit.

LONDON pewter, in casks, well assorted
English sail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A case of boys hats, of various colours
A small invoice of best London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, shalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.

ALSO,
Garden seeds of different kinds, rape and canary seeds, &c. mwstf

Lately Imported, and for sale by

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

FIRST and second quality St. Croix sugars in hogsheads, tierces and barrels; sweet oil in baskets of a superior quality; liquers, ratifia, and best double distilled lavender water in cases, Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons*, on the north side the subscribers' alley, with the wharf in front; also, a convenient three story Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the subscriber'—*And to be sold*, A House and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchase money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&stf

Rundle & Murgatroyd,

(Water street, just above Market street)
Have received for sale by the Harmony from London, and other late Arrivals.

RUSSIA, Scotch and Irish sheetings
Irish linens, low priced
Raven ducks, ticklenburgs
Silesias, lace edgings
Elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, & excellent London bottled porter
Also, an Invoice, consisting of justereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c. to be sold at a very low advance.
Likewise, high proof Grenada rum, and best Burlington pork. September 17 mws

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,
In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks, for sale by
w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD.

Barclay, Brown, and Co.

Have imported in the last vessels from Ireland, and by the ship Harmony from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Water-street, three doors above Pine-street,

YARD-wide Irish Linen, assorted
Brown, half white and full bleached 7-8 wide ditto
A very elegant assortment of chintzes, printed muslins and lawns, and printed handkerchiefs, in small trunks, which will be sold by the trunk on very low terms

They have also for Sale
Antigua rum
Sherry and Malaga wine
Pewter assorted in casks——and a variety of other goods
Philadelphia, September 18. 3awtf

American Porter

TO BE SOLD BY

Hare and Twells,

IN casks at 40s per barrel, and in bottles at 11s 3d per dozen (bottles included.)

Likewise OAT ALE, at the different prices of 35s and 25s per barrel in casks, and 8s 4d and 7s per doz. in bottles.

N. B. The bottles are received again at 3s per dozen. eo6t

To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORES adjoining, situate in Penn and Water streets, between Lombard and South streets.
July 18 w&s JOHN ANGUS.

Robert Bass,

HAS this day imported in the Harmony, Captain Willet, from London, a small Case of pure, genuine

Red Peruvian Bark.

He will receive by the next vessel from London, a full supply of fresh Drugs, Medicines, and Shop Furniture, to compleat his assortment till next spring.
Sept. 18 eotf

A large variety of plain mahogany and ornamental frame

LOOKING GLASSES,

Of all sizes, just arrived in the Harmony from London, and for SALE at

John and James Oldden's

Store in Second-street, opposite Black Horse Alley,
Who have likewise on hand

SCOTS Carpets of every dimension
1-2, 3-4 and yard-wide carpeting
Tin in boxes N° 1 and 2
Red lead, white lead ground in oil
Russia sheetings, powder, &c.
Together with a general assortment of other goods, calculated for the approaching season
September 18. th/w

Just arrived and to be sold by

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

A Quantity of
Cape of Good Hope WINES.
September 7. 2w3taw

Imported in the ship Pigou, captain

Sutton, from London, by

Peter W. Gallaudet,

Now opening for sale at his store in Second street, 2d door below Chesnut street,

A Variety of seasonable Goods, *viz.*

ROSE blankets assorted
Spotted and green rugs
Striped blanketing
Blue and red duffils
Kerseys & kendle cottons
Broad and narrow cloths
Rattinets and shalloons
White and brown buckrams
A variety of printed cottons
Calicoes and chintzes
Printed linen-handkerchiefs
Black and coloured silk dit
Furniture cottons with fringe, tassels and line
Bed bunts & fine tickens
Counterpanes and Marseilles bed quilts
Moreens, durants and jeans
Black, dark blue, bottle green & drab coloured super. cloths } retail
Sattinets and florentines
Scotch & coloured threads
Light, cloth coloured and black sewing silks, a large assortment, at low prices
Skeleton and lb. cap wire
Cotton checks
Chinnese ribbons
Mens beaver gloves
Womens leather and silk gloves and mitts
Sattins and modes
Glossey cypress French net, crape and striped gauzes

Also, for Sale,
A few casks sheathing nails
Maxwell's Scotch snuff in kegs, bladders and bottles
A large, fine toned harpsichord, neatly finished
Scotch carpets of most sizes, &c. &c. Sept 12 3tf

Thomas & Joseph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co) in Third, near Arch street,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-share moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate, Small ditto, Franklin and Rittenhouse } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other castings
Jamaica spirit, West-India and country rum } by the hogshead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee
They will also deliver upon very reasonable terms, and on the shortest notice, at any wharf in this city,
Pipe, Hogshead and Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

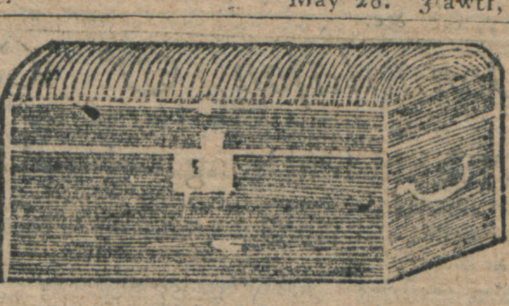
STORE,
In Third street, opposite Church alley——A fresh Assortment of

Muslins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;
A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glass, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Calcavella and Western Island Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf,



Sellers's American made Trunks.
ARE SOLD BY

John & James Oldden,

AND

WILLIAM ZANE,

In Second, between Market and Chesnut streets, and near Black-Horse alley,

WHERE, at all times, a capital assortment of the most elegant sealskin, hair, and black leather portmantua and other travelling trunks, of all dimensions, may be obtained for the complete accommodation of the Public—Possessing every advantage in procuring materials and conducting their factory, they flatter themselves with being able to vend the various preceding articles on terms more favourable than any other person in this country. estf

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING for SALE*, a General

Assortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Season, in Third street, four Doors from the Corner of Market street:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and scarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimson coloured hose
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hose
Mens silk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worsted and cotton hose
Mens and womens silk gloves and mitt.
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worsted and olive coloured sattinets
Yellow, red, crimson, scarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
9 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, stripes and British sheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured sarsnets
Black ell-wide persians and paduasoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, seals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing silks and twist
Thread and wire shirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and stripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's spinning
Packet and pound pins
Mussinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and silk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple spectacles, Steel and plated spurs
Sherry wine by the quartercask
On the lowest terms for Cash or short Credit.

All persons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requested to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3taw1m

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY
Ben. Mason.
eptf

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has just Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a small parcel of

GOODS,

Which he will sell very low for cash—they consist of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchester ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hose
Mens worsted Hose, some very fine
Ditto silk ditto
Yard wide Irish Linens, &c. &c. etf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,
Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,
TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds. &c &c.

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,
LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to
Aug 18. 3ms JOSIAH HEWES.

Isaac Hazlehurst & Co.

(In Water-street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets)
HAVE for SALE
The Following

GOODS;

Most of which have been imported in the latest vessels from the different and most advantageous ports of exportation for the respective articles.——

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in cases of superior quality, Ditto 2d ditto, Ditto inferior do } all genuine and good of their kind.
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyson, Green, Souchng, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per sheet
Ditto fit for sheathing a vessel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and brass wire of different sizes
Brass kettles in nests, English and Dutch
Bristol window glass 8 by 10
A small assortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan House, at Halle in Saxony
German school books of different sorts
Ditto glass tumblers assort.
German looking glasses of various sizes
Nuremberg toys for children
Best Dutch rappee & Weston's snuff
Table setts of china and china plates
Boxes of English glass ware assorted fit for country stores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German steel
German scythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetstones
Frying pans
Shovels and spades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and short
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glass pint cannisters with screws
English and French sail cloth
Pit saws of different sizes
A new copper still, head and neck, fit for a still of 8 or 900 gallons, will be sold cheap
A ship's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca snake-root
Womens London shoes in trunks——

Together with a large and general assortment of
EUROPEAN GOODS,
In their original packages, and opened as may best suit the purchasers; they are well adapted to the season, and will be sold on low terms for cash, or at the customary credit.

They have also for sale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to dispose of on the lowest terms for cash:
Nail rods of different sizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and sheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and spades
Phaeton and chair tire

They have also on hand a quantity of large sap pine Scantling, which they will sell at a reasonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from sag ends August 18 s&wtf

Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnership of *Footman & Shippen* being this day dissolved: all persons indebted to them are earnestly requested to make immediate payment

The remaining Stock on

Hand of said Partnership, consisting of the following *ARTICLES* lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be disposed of on advantageous terms, for Cash, Paper Money of the last Emission, or upon a short Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the first quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8-4 bath coatings
Fine forrest cloths
Blue and drab linsies
Striped cotton linsies and German stripes
Embossed serges
Plain and spotted swanskins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kersies and fearnoughts
Printed linsies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Castor and beaver hats
Superfine cassimers
Mens and womens worsted hose
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens spotted hose
Mens white and brown thread hose
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demasens and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton shawls
Fringed silk handkerchiefs
A large assortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarse catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, spotted & striped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and soufflee gauzes
Black taffity and persians
Blue and rose coloured sarsnets
White and pink sattins
Rich black armozeens
White and puse coloured mantuas
Marseilles quilting
Russia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton stripes
Womens black silk velvet
Long pile mohair plushes
A Variety of Stuffs, viz.
Dorsettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, most colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, shalloons & rattinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thicksetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonsopretties, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White stitching threads
Worsted mitts
Womens black silk gloves
Coloured fans
Chinese ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twist
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glasses
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread baskets
Japanned bottle stands
Womens ticking stays
Elegant persian carpets
Hoses shoes
Cutlery and Hardware, viz.
Steel and plated spurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Scissars and shears
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and pistol capt knives
Childrens plain & spotted knives
Silver and brass links
Corkscrews, spectacles combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
H hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candlesticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the cask
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.
Sept 4 s&w3m

FOR SALE,

A Valuable, young Bay Horse, good for saddle or chaise, well marked and of a good size. Enquire at the Cross Keys or Harp and Crown, Third street, 9th mo. 12

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1787. [No. 2694.]

Sales at Auction.

BY virtue of two writs of Alias Lavaria Facias to us directed, will be exposed to *Public Sale*, on Saturday the 29th instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, two tracts or pieces of land, situate and lying in the county of Lancaster and in the county of Dauphin, in the townships of Mountjoy and Londonderry, containing 250 acres, with allowance, adjoining lands of John Duncan, Andrew Robinson and others, there is a large quantity of meadow already made, with an elegant mill-seat, and a never failing stream of water runs through the middle of the land, well known by the name of Conneawga Creek, and abounds with large timber throughout the whole of the land, late the property of William Hay. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by us,

JOHN MILLER, Sheriff of Lancaster County.
ANTHONY KELKER, Sheriff of Dauphin County.
Lancaster, September 6.

Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale by Public Vendue, at the Merchants Coffee House, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Thursday* the 27th instant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a certain two story Frame Messuage or Tenement, and Lot or Piece of Ground thereunto belonging, situate on the east side of Delaware Second street continued, and south side of Catharine street, in the district of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, containing in breadth on Second street 22 feet, and in length or depth on Catharine street 96 feet (be the same more or less) bounded westward by Second street, northward by Catharine street, eastward by a 16 feet alley, and southward by ground of E. Biddle, with the appurtenances: taken in execution as the property of Charles Kean, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House*, on *Wednesday* the 10th day of October next, will be sold to the highest Bidder, the following

PROPERTY,

Belonging to the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

No 1, A Tract of valuable patented land, containing 272 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, in Bald Eagle township, Northumberland county; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Thomas Denton*, dated the 1st day of July, 1784.

No 2, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, and adjoining the before mentioned tract; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Lewis Farmer*, dated 1st July, 1784.

No 3. A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, as aforesaid, and separated from *No* 2 by a tract of about 300 acres; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to John Hughes, dated the 1st of July, 1784.

No 4, A tract of land, containing 319 3-8 acres and allowance, situate on Sinnamahoning creek, 25 miles from the mouth, and county aforesaid; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to col. *Isaac Melchor*, dated the 17th of May 1785. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered the purchaser of this tract, free from any expence.

No 5, A tract of patented land, containing 300 acres and allowance, in the county of Westmoreland, being lot *No* 16, in the second district of Donation lands.

Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

Philadelphia, September 14, 1787.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber. R. R. 2aw

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening,
(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist-Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw-mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept.* 17 eotf

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On the last *Tuesday* in April next, at Lewis-Town, in the county of Sussex, in the Delaware state,

A Very fine Tract of Land, situate in Baltimore hundred, in the county and state aforesaid, containing about 3000 acres, remarkably well timbered, and of a rich and fertile soil, abounding particularly in white oak, suitable for ship-building. It lies within two or three miles of two good saw mills and a grist mill, and is at the distance of one mile from a landing. It will be sold in parcels of one, two, or three hundred acres, as may best suit the purchaser. The terms of payment will be made easy. Any person inclining to purchase at private sale before the above day, or to view the premises, may apply to Mr. *George Mitchell*, at Daggsbury, in the said county of Sussex.

Martha Dagworthy, Executrix.
Lambert Cadwalader, } Executors.
George Mitchell, }

September 6 1aw3m

TO-MORROW,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the sale of a Large and Fresh

Assortment of Merchandise.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandise On commission, disposed of at private sale. *Sept.* 24

TO-MORROW,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays* and *Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 24 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, Sept. 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to be directed, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at Joseph Grover's tavern, at the sign of the King of Prussia, in Germantown, on Saturday the 29th instant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a large two story Stone House, and Lot or Piece of Ground, situate, lying and being in Germantown and county of Philadelphia; containing 26 acres, 15 perches and 11 feet: bounded by lands of Paul Krepner, Logan, Baltzer Traut, John Frederick Ax, Jacob Traut, and by Germantown Main-street, and a lane or cross-street, which makes it very convenient for public business. Taken in execution as late the estate of Jeremiah Traut, deceased, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

For Sale, or Charter for Europe or the West-Indies.

The fast sailing

Brig Southampton;

Now lying at Clifford's wharf, burthen 120 tons, or thereabouts, has good accommodations for passengers. For particulars enquire at Mr. Edward Randolph's, in Second-street, or the Master on board. 3tp

FOR

Norfolk and *Petersburg,*

(Virginia)

The Schooner ELEANOR, *John Burke, Master*;

TO sail in five days. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Fisher's wharf, or to

Sept 18 5tp *DEAVES, BAKER & ABELL.*

For Boston,

The Sloop BAUSTO, DANIEL NEWMAN, Master;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to Messrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon*, at their store at the head of the wharf.

September 17 d

FOR SALE,

The Stout new Ship

GOLIAH:

SHE is a very elegant, well built ship, of about 520 tons, is at present on the stocks at Baltimore, and may be launched in two weeks. The payments will be made very easy to the purchaser, and, if necessary, a long credit will be given on paying interest. Paper money or public securities will also be received. For terms apply to COXE and FRAZIER.

Philadelphia, September 12, 1787. 2aw2w

WANTED TO CHARTER,

A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge, in Water-street—Who have for Sale, A few Hogsheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper. Aug. 30. ett

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,

Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR,*

William Brougham, Master;

A STOUT British ship, with a new Mediterranean pass, has good accommodations for passengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to sail September 25th. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, at Sims's wharf, near Chesnut-street, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*

For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY,

John Willett, Master;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For Fredericksburg,

The Schooner FREDERICKSBURG PACKET, Captain *Chipman Bangs*.

WILL sail in a few days. For freight or passage apply to the Captain on board at Arch street wharf, or to KUHN & RISBERG.

Who have for sale 160 barrels rosin, and 40 barrels spirits of turpentine, and have just received by said schooner a few hogsheads excellent tobacco. Sept 22 4f

For Charter,

The French Ship L'OISEAU, J. MENO, Master,

For any part of the Mediterranean;

Now laying at Luffei's Wharf, New-York: she is a very fast sailer, and well found, burthen about 240 hogsheads of tobacco. Apply to Mr. R. J. Thebaut, on board said ship, or to JAMES VANUXEM, In Water-street, below Market-street.

September 20. 6tp

Fayette County Taxes for the Year 1787.

A TRANSCRIPT of the returns and assessment of the lands of non-residents in the county of Fayette, agreeably to an act of assembly, passed Sept. 11, 1786, is now published in the Freeman's Journal, No. 334. Printed by Mr. *Bailey*, Sept. 12, 1787.

ALL persons concerned are hereby required to pay the taxes for the present year, on their lands in said county, into the state treasury, before the 12th day of November next; when the names of the delinquents will be transmitted to the commissioners of the county, that they may proceed to enforce the payment as the law directs.

DAVID RITTENHOUSE, State Treasurer.

Philadelphia, *September* 12, 1787. 1aw4t

Berks & Washington County Taxes For 1787.

RETURNS of all the taxes on the lands of non residents in the counties of Berks and Washington are published in the Freeman's Journal, No 335, printed by Mr. Bailey. All persons indebted are required to pay into the state treasury before the 19th of November next. DAVID RITTENHOUSE, Treasurer.

September 19, 1787.

N. B. There are still arrears due of the taxes for 1785 and 1786 on ward and company lands in Washington county; unless these are paid very shortly, the lands will certainly be sold. 4w

Philadelphia, September 6. 1787

3 *Hundred & Fifty Dollars* REWARD.

WAS Broke Open last night, the house of *Peter Knight*, and Robbed of the sundry Articles underneath mentioned:

1 Bag containing about 90 French Crowns
1 Ditto ditto 90 Spanish milled Dollars
1 China faced silver Watch with a steel chain, and a silver seal representing Noah's ark, with a dove holding an olive branch in its mouth
A large double fold sattin Pocket-Book, in which were a large number of funded and unfunded Certificates, &c. viz.

The following New Loan Certificates—two years interest paid on each:

No. 10717	Reede and Forde, for	£. 176	7	6
10384	Ditto	157	3	2
10634	Abraham Sheridan	81	15	1
10551	Isaac Melcher, Esquire,	82	4	2
9696	Samuel Hays	116	5	0
266	James M'Crea	338	13	0
265	Ditto	63	15	0
262	Ditto	283	2	6
336	Peter Knight	26	5	0
335	Ditto	217	9	2
334	Ditto	375	0	0
333	Peter Knight for	150	0	0
332	Ditto	112	10	0
30	Ditto	150	0	0
20	Ditto	187	10	0
27	Ditto	225	0	0
1485	Ditto	1208	5	4
5486	Ditto	24	10	0
9592	Nicholas Knight	30	16	8
331	Peter Knight	1500	0	0
		£ 5306	1	7

2 Funded Jersey Certificates, one endorsed with interest paid for two years, the other one year, about 1468 dollars
1 Of Nourse's unfunded Certificates to Peter Knight, 1468 dollars
1 Ditto, about 800 dollars
Facilities to the amount of about 280 dollars
A red morocco Calender (Gaine's) for 1775
A Mortgage and Judgment Bond from Richard Mason to Peter Knight, dated 1784, for 5,500l.
A number valuable Papers, in which were a state of transactions between George Ingraham and Peter Knight
A number of loose Papers, taken out of the pidgeon holes of the desk, in which were blank Checks, &c.
A black Sattin Cloak lined with black tammy, supposed to be taken to wrap the papers in.

A Reward of *Fifty Dollars* will be paid for the Cash, and 300 *Dollars* for the Papers, and no questions asked. PETER KNIGHT.

THE Subscribers having been duly chosen Assignees of the Estate and Effects of *Mathias Slough*, of the borough of Lancaster, in the county of Lancaster, according to an Act of Assembly of Pennsylvania, entitled, "An Act for the Regulation of Bankruptcy:" Therefore all persons indebted to the said *Mathias Slough*, by Bond, Note, Book Debt, or otherwise, are required to make payment unto *Joseph Hubley*, of the borough of Lancaster, or to *Richard Footman*, Philadelphia, before the first day of November next, or they will be proceeded against as the law directs.

Richard Footman,
Caleb Foulke,
James Abercrombie,
Owen Jones, junr.
Robert Coleman, } Assignees
Joseph Hubley,
Sebastian Graff,
Alexander Lowry,

Lancaster, August 16, 1787. 1aw10w

To be Sold,

PURSUANT to the last will and testament of Ann James, deceased, 12 and an half acres of LAND, fronting Passyunk road, about one mile and three quarters from the court-house, with a large convenient brick Dwelling House thereon, and a hay-house and stabling, an apple orchard and some other fruit trees. This place lying so convenient to Philadelphia market, and the soil good for gardening, renders it valuable. The terms of payment will be made easy to the purchaser. Any person inclining to treat for the above described place, may apply to the subscriber in Third-street, a few doors above Market-street.

3t1aw JOB BACON, Acting Executor.

John Martin, TAYLOR,

Next Door to the Indian Queen, in Fourth street, Philadelphia,

BEGS leave to inform the Public in general, and his old Customers in particular, that he continues to carry on his Business, and executes his work with the utmost neatness, punctuality and dispatch, on moderate terms for cash or produce. For the accommodation of such of his Friends as live in the country, and chuse to have their Cloaths made in the city, and also to encourage (as far as in his power) the Home Manufactures, he will receive Flax, Hemp, or Linen, at Cash *Price*.

Said *Martin* respectfully intreats those who are indebted to him more than six months, to be speedy in their payments. August 14 6.1aw

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors*, for the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by a respectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to request the Favour of your Votes at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, as I mean to offer myself a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpose, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble Servant.
Samuel Caldwell.

Philadelphia, September 21, 1787. dtf

Philadelphia September 7, 1787.

To the *Electors* of the City and County of Philadelphia,

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING had the honor of holding the Office of Sheriff this two years past, which I have endeavoured to discharge according to the best of my abilities, and shall continue so to do (if continued therein) for which I humbly request your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, which shall be gratefully acknowledged by,

Gentlemen,
Your obedient, humble Servant,
Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

MY warmest thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by choosing me one of your Representatives in the General Assembly these three years past; permit me now earnestly to solicit the favour of your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen*,

Your most obedient and most humble Servant
William Will.

Philadelphia, August 6, 1787

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.

A BEACON being deemed necessary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation: Notice is hereby given, that Proposals will be received at this Office until the 1st day of October next, from such persons as may be disposed to undertake the same by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at said Office. 3taw

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, August 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is represented to this board that there are many of the line of this state intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themselves, or sent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a resolution of this Board, of the 31st day of August, 1786, they will be precluded, unless the time is prolonged so as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Resolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1st day of October next, and that this resolution be published, so that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes,
JAMES TRIMBLE,
2awtO For John Armstrong, jun. Secretary.

An assortment of Cambricks

and Lawns, for sale by

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart.

September 21. oe

ALL those who have any Demands against the estate of David Schaffer, jun. late of the city of *Philadelphia*, sugar refiner, deceased, are desired to bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, for settlement; and all persons indebted to said estate are desired to make payment without delay.

JOHN FROMBERGER, Executor.

Philadelphia, September 13, 1787.

N. B. The sale of loaf and other sugars, as well as Molasses, is continued at the store of the deceased, as heretofore; and there is now a large quantity on hand, which will be disposed of on the lowest terms. 2aw2m

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Rose*, in Walnut, between Second and Third streets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has just received a variety of high scented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will dispose of on very reasonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the present opportunity of returning thanks to those Ladies and Gentlemen who have been so good as to favour him with their custom, and flatters himself his conduct will be such as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the first quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be sold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry's*, Chesnut street, No. 19, between Second and Front streets.

August 13 2awtf

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *Richard Tarbet*, late of this city, merchant, deceased, are requested to make payment of their balances as soon as possible; and those who have demands upon said estate, are requested to produce them to *Isabella Tarbet*, Executrix.

Francis Gurney, junr. } Executors
Hugh Ferguson, }

N. B. Mrs. TARBET has for sale, a Variety of SCOTCH GOODS of Mr. *Tarbet's* Importation, in part consisting of striped and plain kentings of sundry widths, plain and needle lawns, needle aprons and handkerchiefs, gauzes and catguts, a variety of buckles and other merchandize, which will be sold wholesale, at prime cost, for cash.

Philadelphia, May 24, 1787. m&w1m

Foreign Intelligence.

UTRECHT, May 23.

THE ſituation of this city ſince the late ſkirmiſhes have taken place is very deplorable; the behaviour of the patriots and their auxiliaries is inſolent to an exceſs; a vaſt number of inhabitants have quitted the place, ſome of whom have left their houſes and effects, whilſt others have taken with them what they could gather together. The peaceable and well meaning part of the people, which compoſe three quarters of the inhabitants of the city, are in perpetual fears and alarms, and ardently wiſh that it may pleaſe Heaven to relieve them from the hands of their oppreſſors.

July 14. It is true the ſtadtholderian army is much augmented both in officers and men, by deſertion from the Dutch line, but that army has been obliged to divide itſelf into ſeveral ſmall corps, in order to keep the different places which the prince has taken poſſeſſion of, and is thereby ſo much weakened as to be eaſily overcome, ſhould the patriots be driven to the neceſſity of attacking it.

We learn from Campen, in Overyſſel, that they have tried the experiment of inundating the neighbourhood of that place in caſe of an attack, which they find may be eaſily effected; but this deſtructive alternative will not be made uſe of but in the laſt extremity.

HAGUE, May 24.

The ſtate general have by a late reſolution, determined to applaud and approve the conduct of thoſe brave military who have preferred the remaining faithful to their oaths to every thing elſe, and their high mightineſſes have reſolved to indemnify them from any loſs they may ſuſtain. A major of the regiment of Stuart, who has a wife and nine children, has ſhewn the greateſt firmneſs upon the above occaſion, as nothing could ſhake his principles of honour. The officers of the regiment of Heſſe Philipſtal, have unanimouſly refuſed to obey the illegal orders of the province of Holland; but they will not ſuffer themſelves to be ſuſpended, and are determined to remain in their ranks until they receive orders from the ſtates general.

July 17. They write from Wyck, that, at the taking of that city, they found two braſs cannons and eight iron ones, a quantity of cartridges, &c. upwards of a hundred fuſils, pouches, &c. which has been carried to the town-houſe, beſides two hundred and fifty ſix new fuſils, which were depoſited in the hoſpitals.

They alſo found three flags; the firſt white, with three fleurs de-lis, with this device, pro his moriamur; the ſecond was green, with this device, terror tyrannidis; the third red, with this device, prerogative and privileges, likewiſe majeſtas populi.

AMSTERDAM, June 11.

A detachment of 300 armed burghers, divided into five companies, under the command of captain de Walde, in quality of lieutenant colonel, is marched for Muyden, a ſmall town three leagues from Amſterdam, being a place of great conſequence, on account of the ſluices, by means of which this city might be wholly inundated. A detachment of 150 armed burghers is alſo marched from Haarlem or Nieuverſlues, there to keep garriſon for the ſame reaſon as the others are gone to Muyden. Both theſe places are on the Holland line. The diſobedience of ſome regiments, and the evil intention of others, have rendered the above precautions neceſſary.

LONDON.

June 22. Nine houſes of rendezvous are opened in this city.

Preſs warrants are ſigned, but not iſſued, till tenders arrive off the tower.

The tenders arrived on Wedneſday afternoon off the Tower to take on board ſuch ſeamen as enter at the ſeveral houſes of rendezvous at Wapping and St. Catharine's, in order to convey them on board a veſſel which lies at the Nore to carry them round to Portſmouth.

A gentleman led by curioſity, has made the following diſcoveries:——

He tanned goat ſkins and calf ſkins for book binding, and baſils in the warm ooze wherein artichokes were boiled, as effectually as if tanned with white galls, or the bark of the willow.

The ſloe leaf boiled to a decoction in water wherein barley was ſteeped for malting, he found equally ſucceſsful in penetrating ſkins with the vegetable matter neceſſary to render them ſerviceable.

And in the experiment he made on the root of the flag, or yellow Iris, he found it anſwer all the purpoſes of the beſt white gall, which is far ſuperior in ſtrength and beauty of effect to the beſt of all barks.

Some of theſe ſkins he ſtained red, yellow, and blue, and they anſwered nearly as well as the Morocco, and little inferior to the Liſbon leather.

Such a continuation of experiments would highly redound to the credit of thoſe who regard the progreſs of the uſeful arts, which may prove ſerviceable to a trading nation.

If it is true, that the family of the Hopes, and others, have left Amſterdam, there is reaſon to expect that the preſent diſturbances are not nearly quelled, and that they will be fatal to the Dutch among themſelves at home, and ſoon lower their credit at leaſt, ſhould no other accidents happen.

They are preparing for the defence, in caſe of an attack at Amſterdam; and if the army of the ſtadtholder is deſirous of paying them a viſit, it is ſaid it will not be encouraged in the repetition of ſuch a ſtep.

Extract of a private letter from the Texel, June 6. 1787.

"There are now equipping at this port, the following men of war by order of the admiralty of Amſterdam, who have been inſtructed thereto by their high mightineſſes the ſtates general. Holanda, 68 guns; Princeſs Louiſa, 54; Peter Hein, 54; Arent, 36; Valk, 24, and Zele cutter, of 12 guns. Admiral Cornelius Dedell, is expected to have the command. The object of this ſquadron is variouſly related; but there does not remain a doubt, but that it is intended for a home ſtation, or a ſhort cruize at leaſt, in order that no advantage may be taken of the preſent critical ſituation of the affairs of the republic, in reſpect to its internal commotions. The admiralty of Zealand are alſo inſtructed to fit out three or four men of war, which are expected to be equipping in the iſland of Hoorn, for an obſervatory fleet in that quarter."

July 24. The truth of the following anecdote (which is little known) may be depended on:—— During the late troubles in America, 80 old German ſoldiers, who after having long ſerved under different monarchs of Europe, had retired to America, and converted their ſwords into ploughſhares, voluntarily formed themſelves into a company, and diſtinguiſhed themſelves in various actions, on the republican ſide. The Captain was nearly 100 years old, had been in the army 40 years, and preſent in 17 battles. The drummer was 94; and the youngeſt man in the corps on the verge of 70. Inſtead of a cockade, each man wore a piece of black crape as a mark of ſorrow for being obliged, at ſo advanced a period of life, to bear arms; but ſaid the veterans, we ſhould be deficient in gratitude, if we did not act in defence of a country which has afforded us a generous aſylum, and protected us from tyranny and oppreſſion. Such a band of ſoldiers, never before perhaps, appeared in a field of battle.

July 28. A few days ago came on in the eccleſiaſtical court, before the biſhop of London, a cauſe, wherein a Miſs Hale, who had about 15 years ago applied to the commons, and got a licenſe for marriage to a Mr. Cook, making an affidavit that ſhe was of age, and at the ſame time ſhe was a minor; the court made an order, that the marriage was illegal, and declared that Mr. Cook was a bachelor.

Reduce your accounts; diminiſh your penſion liſt; no peculation; are the cries of the preſent potentates of Europe. Strange age! when kings turn œconomiſts, and their miniſters money ſcriveners! With reſpect to œconomy, the prudent Britiſh monarch perhaps, may be called ſimply frugal: the French king makes it a ſtudy; but the emperor a profeſſion.

A report is current, that Mr. ſecretary Orde will ſhortly fill a department in the adminiſtration of affairs in London.

Yeſterday morning one of the king's meſſengers arrived at St. James's with diſpatches from Hanover; he came through Flanders to Oſtend, from whence he came over to Deal in a private boat, his buſineſs being urgent, and the wind contrary to come to any port N. of the Thames.

Our letters from Canton ſay, The Engliſh have almoſt entirely engroſſed the traffic of this country (China) to Europe, only eleven other ſhips of all European and other nations having arrived for cargoes in the courſe of the laſt 18 months.

The very extenſive orders that our Eaſt India Company ſent out to China in October 1785, by the Trial packet, Poincer, for teas, aſtoniſhed their agents at Canton; and this increaſed demand was the only cauſe of the ſhips being detained longer than had been expected in Canton river. The difficulty of procuring cargoes in future will be entirely done away.

The commiſſaries of the ſtates of Holland at Woerden, have offered a reward of ſix ducats to every deſerter from the army of the ſtadtholder and others who join the ſtandard of Holland. The baron de Sternbach has engaged to furniſh in two months a body of 600 men; and it is in agitation to employ 800 others, which have been raiſed by a colonel baron Mattah, in the country of Liege. It had been reſolved to draw ten men from each of the 60 companies of militia at Amſterdam, to reinforce Utrecht; but they got volunteers enough without. The moſt eminent burgeſſes at Amſterdam, do duty in turn, at the different gates of that town. The town of Haarlem has ſent 400 men to reinforce the garriſon in Utrecht.

Letters of a recent date from Amſterdam ſay, That in conſequence of a placart lately publiſhed, inflicting death on all perſons appearing in the ſtreets with orange cockades, two perſons have been executed for wearing theſe emblems of attachment to the ſtadtholder. Glorious inſtances theſe of that liberty which the Dutch, like other modern patriots, affect to hold ſo very ſacred.

The Utrecht Gazette of the 19th inſt. mentions their poſitive aſſurance of his Pruſſian majeſty having diſpatched the Comte de Goertz to Paris with full inſtructions to co-operate with the court of France in the propoſed mediation between the republic and the ſtadtholder, for finally ſettling the preſent diſputes.

AMERICA.

ROSEAU, *(Dominica) July 18.*

On Thurſday laſt came on the trial of the three pirates, Thomas Flynn, Joſeph Jones and James M'Donald, for piratically carrying off the ſchooner Marianne from this port, on Sunday the 1ſt of April laſt.

James M'Donald being put to the bar Mr. James du Jardin proved his being in part owner of the ſchooner Marianne, ſo carried off as above mentioned.

Simon Matty, (temporary commander of the veſſel that went in purſuit of the pirates) depoſed, that the priſoner was delivered to him by the governor of St. Thomas, but that he was not found by him on board the ſaid ſchooner when he boarded her, and carried her into the port of St. Thomas; but that he the priſoner after being taken confeſſed before the governor of St. Thomas, that he ſold ſugar, which was part of the cargo of the ſaid veſſel.

Corporal Richard Hollis depoſed, that the priſoner confeſſed, that he was commander of the ſchooner Marianne ſo carried away, and that he ſaid, had he been on board at the time of her being taken, he (the coporal) ſhould not have had taken her ſo eaſily. This evidence alſo ſwore, the priſoner told him, that he had ſold and exchanged three hogſheads of ſugar, part of the cargo of the ſaid veſſel.

Munro, a ſoldier, depoſed, that the priſoner confeſſed to him, that he had acted as captain on board ſaid ſchooner Marianne, after being carried off from the port of Roſeau.

Sinclair, a ſoldier, depoſed, that he was preſent when corporal Hollis aſked the priſoner, if he was the captain of the ſaid ſchooner run away with, when he acknowledged he was.

Found guilty, and to be hanged in chains, on Saturday the 14th inſtant.

THOMAS FLYNN, Priſoner.

Simon Matty, the commander of the veſſel that went in purſuit of the ſchooner, depoſed, that the priſoner when deſired by him to *come to*, inſtead of doing ſo he *bore off* and was fired at and ſhot, before he took poſſeſſion of the veſſel.

Coporal *Hills* depoſed, that the priſoner was on board when he took the ſchooner, and that he owned he was concerned in carrying her off from Dominica.

Munro depoſed, that the priſoner was the only white man on board the ſchooner, when he boarded her, and that he confeſſed his being concerned with M'Donald in taking her off.

Found guilty, and condemned to be hanged on Saturday the 14th inſtant.

JOSEPH JONES, Priſoner.

Simon Matty depoſed, that the priſoner was brought before the governor of St. Thomas's, and confeſſed.

[Here enſued long and learned arguments between Mr. Attorney-General and Mr. Robert, counſel for the priſoners, relative to the legality of the teſtimony of *two perſons* or the confeſſion of the priſoner before *two* corroborating witneſſes, neceſſary for conviction; the caſe ſtated by both counſel being left to the opinion of the bench, and the court being cleared, it was unanimouſly agreed, that *two evidences were neceſſary.*]

Whereupon the priſoner was Acquitted.

His excellency governor Orde, when pronouncing ſentence on the above unhappy men, was greatly affected; and, by a moſt pathetic exhortation, drew the ſympathizing tears of commiſeration from a crowded court, who were ſenſibly touched by the energy of his tender and humane addreſs.

His excellency has alſo been pleaſed to grant a reſpite to the convicts till Thurſday next, the 19th inſtant.

CHARLESTON, Sept. 4.

Tueſday laſt arrived the ſloop South Carolina, Marſton, from Amſterdam, in a paſſage of 8 weeks and 3 days.

We are informed of the arrival in the Texel, on the 27th of June, the ſhip Laurens, and on the 28th at the ſame port, the ſhip Aurora, captain Oſman, and Maria, captain Coggſhall, all from this place.

Captain Howard, in the brig ——, from New-London, arrived at Amſterdam about the 23d of June.

September 6.

His excellency the governor iſſued a proclamation laſt Monday, offering a reward of one hundred dollars each, for the apprehending of James Williams and Thomas Jones, alias Davis; and fifty dollars each for Nicholas Cuſenbury, alias Queſenberry, William Molton, Robert Wells and Robert Chilcott, the criminals who broke goal on the night between the 26th and 27th days of Auguſt laſt. Maguire is re-taken.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Amſterdam, dated June 21.

'At a little tavern in the part of the city called Kattenburgh, an addreſs in favour of the prince of Orange lay to be ſigned; ſeveral of the people who lived there came out and cut and hacked a number of the common people who ſtood before the houſe out of curioſity; upon this, growing enraged, they ruſhed into the houſe, plundered it and broke every thing into pieces. The Hollanders when once provoked, are not eaſy to be appeaſed. They then went to the houſes of the known partizans of Orange, and plundered them alſo; amongſt others were the houſes of the burgomaſters Rendrop and Beelds, where nothing remain whole that they could lay their hands on. I happened to paſs along the canal as they were buſy with the houſe of the former. In a minute the doors were broke open, lights put out, beds cut open and thrown into the canal, with the fineſt cheſt of drawers, chairs, bedſteads, &c. &c. When the Kattenburghers heard this, who are all of the Orange party, they drew up the bridge that ſeparates them from the reſt of the city, put themſelves into a ſtate of defence, and plundered the houſes of ſix unlucky patriots who happened to live there. The citizens were ſent in arms, with two field pieces to ſuppreſs them, but they could not get over on account of the bridge being drawn up; and the Kattenburghers beginning to fire upon them with cannon, an action commenced, which laſted from eight til eleven o'clock. On the ſide of the citizens was one man killed; but the other party loſt a good many. At laſt a party of men in a boat, with three ſwivels, went over to the iſland, let down the bridge, and took poſſeſſion of it. The patriots who were there, ſeeing the houſes of their friends in ſuch a terrible condition, began again to plunder, which laſted two days; but this was entirely ſuppreſſed by a body of horſe, who rode continually through the ſtreets, ſo that we are as quiet as before. This is all the news at preſent here.'

FREDERICKSBURGH, Sept. 13.

We are credibly informed, that on Saturday night, the 25th ult. the county clerk's office of Weſtmoreland county, was broke open, and that all the records and other papers belonging to it, from the year 1776, to the preſent time were ſtolen.

On Tueſday morning laſt, a duel was fought at the Allum Springs, near this borough, between Mr. William Thomſon and Mr. Michael O'Mealy, both of Port Royal. The latter gentleman had the firſt fire, and wounded his antagoniſt in the elbow of the right arm, ſo ſeverely that he was unable to return it. We are unhappy to add, that ſince the termination of this unfortunate affair, Mr. Thomſon has had his arm taken off, and is thought to be in a dangerous ſituation.

HUDSON, September 6.

We are happy in communicating to the public in general, and our agricultural readers in particular, the following information, which we think may be depended on, as we have it from a perſon of undoubted veracity; the letter from Mr. Decius Wadſworth, ſerves to confirm it, viz.

In the Manor of Livingſton, a captain Ray (on ſeeing a former letter from D. Wadſworth, on the ſubject of ſoaking ſeed wheat in an infuſion of elder twigs, to prevent the Heſſian fly from deſtroying it) ſowed ſome wheat prepared in the manner mentioned in ſaid letter, mixed with ſome turnip ſeed; that the wheat had come up, and grown to a conſiderable length, and looked very well, and that there was not one of the inſect to be found amongſt it; that on the other ſide of a fence, and within a few rods, there was wheat ſowed near the ſame time, without the preparation, which was not half ſo long, and the inſect was to be found in great plenty upon it.

Our informant adds the following particulars; that no far from thence there was, two fields of wheat, one on each ſide of fence, by which, grew ſome elders; as far as they extended, and to a conſiderable diſtance from the fence, the wheat was very good, and quite free from the inſect, while that at a greater diſtance from the elders, was ſo much deſtroyed by them as to have been plowed up.

Many farmers in this vicinity, are now preparing their wheat to be ſown this ſeaſon in the following manner:

They take a quantity of twigs of elder with the leaves, (thoſe of this year's growth are the beſt) and bruiſe them, put them into a large veſſel with water, expoſed to the ſun, let them ſteep 24 hours, take out the twigs, ſteep the wheat in this tincture for 12 hours, after ſlightly drying it, it ſhould be ſowed immediately.

ALBANY, September 13.

On Monday laſt, agreeable to Brigade Orders, the Independent Artillery Company of this city, commanded by the honorable John Lanſing, junr. eſquire, and the corps of militia, under the command of Major Stephen Van Renſſelaer, were reviewed by brigadier-generl Granſevoort and adjutant-general Fiſh.——At 11 o'clock the artillery marched from their parade ground in State-ſtreet, and the militia from the church paſture, and a junction of the two corps was formed at the head of Market-ſtreet—from thence they marched to Water Vleit.——The generals were honored with the company of a number of gentlemen of the firſt diſtinction, in this city; who expreſſed the higheſt pleaſure at the martial appearance and military conduct of the reſpective corps.

After the review, the company of artillery performed ſeveral evolutions and firings, in a moſt regular and military manner, to the great ſatisfaction of the reviewing generals, as well as to the other gentlemen and crowd of Spectators.

POUGHKEEPSIE, Sept. 5.

The public are deſired to take notice of Counterfeit Bills, as there has been three perſons mentally apprehended with about fifty pounds each, chiefly one and three pound bills.

The paper of the counterfeits appears to be thicker and harder than the true bills. The plate parts of them are exceedingly well done, and that of the common type, are not ſo well, as they appear to be old and nearly worn out. In the one pound counterfeit bill the beak of the eagle touches the wing, and the top of the £ under the arms is wanting, as is the tail of the y in the words payment and treaſury: In the word (for) after treaſury, the r ſtands too low. In the three pound bills the Lo in London, ſtand below the line; and the periods in £. 3. under the arms, are in range with the bottom of the figure, and in the true ones they are not. They ſtand higher.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 19.

Extract of a letter from the Hague, July 13.

'By the tenor of the memorial of the Pruſſian miniſter, it appears, that he was at liberty to draw it up in the manner that correſponded beſt with the tenor of the letters written by the princeſs of Orange, which are, no doubt, all modelled by that written by her highneſs to her auguſt brother. That preſſing memorial has been rendered commiſſarial at the *grande beſogne*—The anſwer will be eaſy; his Pruſſian majeſty, when informed by the ſtates of Holland themſelves, of all the circumſtances, public and hidden, which oppoſed, and do ſtill oppoſe the coming of the princeſs to the Hague, will, no doubt, order his miniſter to deſiſt from the rigour of his demands on behalf of the princeſs of Orange.

'We are aſſured of the majority of the ſtates for the forming of a previous reſolution againſt the two eſſential points of the letters of her royal highneſs to the ſtates, viz. a ſtriking reparation and permiſſion to come directly to the Hague. That reſolution will ſerve for a baſis to the anſwer to be made to a third point of the memorial of the envoy extraordinary of Pruſſia, which is, the puniſhment of thoſe who have ſtopped her royal highneſs the princeſs of Orange. There is every room to believe, that the mediation of France will remove all theſe difficulties, and arrange the differences that divide the provinces of the confederation.'

Extract of a letter from London, July 6.

'We long to hear what your grand convention is doing. The friends of America have been much diſtreſſed to hear of the evils which you have brought on yourſelves by the weakneſs of your governments—The habits of your people I fancy will never be at eaſe 'til you adopt a government ſomething like that you once lived and flouriſhed under—I do not mean a king—lords—or commons—but a power compoſed of three independent branches choſen by the people, or by their repreſentatives. There can be no government without a head, and where a head conſiſts of more than one perſon it is a monſter.—You muſt expect no favours from our miniſtry.—The late duty upon coals ſhews that they would compel you to eat raw fleſh, or freeze you to death if they could. Happily for you, you can do better without us, than we can without you. Union alone will ſave you, and diſappoint your enemies. If your convention gives you a ſtrong government, and you have wiſdom enough to adopt it, you will half depopulate this country by emigration, for thouſands are waiting only to ſee whether a Shays will ſeize your ſupreme power by force, or whether you will, as an enlightened and free people, chuſe a Waſhington—a Hancock—or a Franklin, to be the regal head of your country.'

Sept. 20. Yeſterday morning, wind at E. S. E. the air charged with electric fluid, we experienced very heavy falls of rain, attended with guſts of wind, and ſeveral ſhocks of ſevere thunder. The ſeverity of this tempeſt laſted from twelve o'clock until nine A. M.

About a fortnight ago died, in this city, Abraham Duly, a young man, belonging to captain Duyckinck's rifle company.

The ſingularity of the following Anecdote reſpecting young Duly induces us to give it a place. Finding his diſſolution faſt approaching, he took a manly and affectionate leave of his parents; then, about ten minutes before his death, addreſſing his father with great ardency, ſaid,—'I beg you to let my captain know, that I hope he will bury me as a ſoldier!'

'To prevent war be prepared for it.'

The preſent ſtate and ſpirit of the militia of New York, muſt be highly intereſting to every lover of his country. The avidity with which they purſue, and the rapid progreſs they make, in the knowledge of arms, afford a happy preſage of future peace and proſperity.

On Saturday laſt an expreſs arrived in this city from Boſton, with orders from the general of the French ſquadron, lying in that harbour, for his officers to repair immediately on board their reſpective ſhips.

The arrival of this expreſs gave riſe to various reports—concerning an engagement off Breſt, &c. &c. all of which it is preſumed are premature; the purport of the diſpatches from France to Boſton by the ſloop, however, has excited a multiplicity of conjectures. The fleet had not ſailed on Thurſday laſt.

PITTSBURGH, Sept. 1.

Late accounts from Kentucky mention, that ſeveral murders have been committed in the neighbourhood of Limeſtone by the Indians, and they ſeem determined to perſiſt in their endeavours to prevent the interior part of the country from being ſettled.

BOSTON, Sept. 13.

On Saturday, the pier (of which there are an hundred, at twenty feet diſtance) of Malden bridge was

put down. The finiſhing ſtroke, we hear, will be given to this new inſtance of American enterpriſe in three weeks, if not ſooner.

Extract of a letter from Newport, Sept. 6.

"Our General Aſſembly convenes next Monday, ſpecially called by the governor, in conſequence of letters received from Congreſs."

On Tueſday laſt the ſupreme judicial court finiſhed their ſeſſions in this town.—During which the following perſons were convicted of the crimes hereafter mentioned, and ſentenced accordingly.

John Shean, convicted of burglariouſly breaking the houſe of Mr. Simon Elliott, of this town, in June laſt, and ſtealing therefrom ſundry articles of plate,—received ſentence of death.

Sarah Armſtrong. Stealing from John Fullerton. To pay 9l 12s; be whipped 10 ſtripes; pay coſts of proſecution, and ſtand committed until ſentence be performed.

Sarah Armſtrong. Receiving goods, ſtolen from Samuel Melliſh, and harbouring and maintaining the perſons who ſtole the ſame. To pay 27l 9s; ſit one hour on the gallows, be whipped 24 ſtripes; pay coſts, &c.

Mary Shean. Conveying tools to priſoners. To be whipped 20 ſtripes; pay coſts, &c.

Dorothy Horn. Conveying tools to priſoners. To be whipped 15 ſtripes; pay coſts, &c.

Margaret Lee. Stealing from Gowen Brown. To pay 3l 8s. be whipped 7 ſtripes; pay coſts, &c.

Mary Adams. Stealing from David Townſend. To pay 3l. be whipped 10 ſtripes: pay coſts, &c.

Luke Durfee. For an aſſault, with an intent to raviſh,—found guilty of the aſſault only. To ſuffer three months impriſonment, pay coſts of proſecution, &c.

John Franks. Breaking the ſtore of James Huyman; and ſtealing. To ſit one hour on the gallows; be whipped 20 ſtripes: pay the ſum of 360l 10s and to be confined to hard labour for the term of one year.

John Lear. For the ſame crime as John Franks. The ſame ſentence as againſt Franks, except the confinement to hard labour.

John Smith. Breaking and entering the warehouſe of Gideon Baty; and ſtealing goods. To pay the ſum of 428l 17s 6d, ſit one hour on the gallows; be whipped 20 ſtripes, and confined to hard labour for 3 years.

Daniel Woodbury. Coining and counterfeiting money. To ſtand one hour in the pillory, and there have the under part of his right ear cut off; and be confined to hard labour for the term of three years.

William Sayles. For uttering counterfeit dollars, knowing them to be ſuch, and having them in cuſtody with intent to utter. To pay a fine to the commonwealth of 50l, ſtand one hour in the pillory; recognize in 80l. with ſufficient ſurety for keeping the peace, and being of good behaviour for two years, pay coſts, &c.

Samuel Smith. Breaking the ſhop of Henry Baſs, with intent to commit a felony. To ſit one hour on the gallows; be whipped 20 ſtripes; pay coſts, &c.

Samuel Mitchell. Stealing from James Tileſtone, after a former conviction. To pay 23l 15s, ſit one hour on the gallows; be whipped 24 ſtripes, and be confined to hard labour for three years.

Dennis Conolly. Stealing from Edward Procter, jun. To pay 9l 12s, be whipped 20 ſtripes, pay coſts, &c.

Dennis Conolly. Breaking and entering a ſhip, and ſtealing. To ſit one hour on the gallows; be ſeverely whipped 30 ſtripes; pay 10l 2s, and be confined to hard labour two years.

Edward Cotterill. Breaking and entering the ſhop of Samuel Melliſh, and ſtealing. To pay 49l 17s, ſit one hour on the gallows; be whipped 30 ſtripes, and confined to hard labour 3 years.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 24.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

THURSDAY, September 20.

The houſe met purſuant to adjournment.

A letter from Col. Timothy Pickering, giving a deſcription of the preſent ſtate of the county of Luzerne, was read, and being taken up by ſpecial order for a ſecond reading, it was referred to a committee.

The following petitions were preſented, and ordered to lie on the table—viz. the petition of ſundry inhabitants of Penn's townſhip, praying the alteration of an election diſtrict and the petition of Buffaloe townſhip of a ſimilar import.

The following petitions were preſented and referred to committees formerly appointed—viz. the petition of a perſon intereſted in the Wyoming lands, and the petitions of Thomas Wallace, Daniel Major, and Charles Buſſelos, inſolvent debtors in Philadelphia gaol.

The following bills were compared at the table, and enacted into laws, viz. the bill for incorporating the proteſtant epiſcopal church in York-town, the bill for dividing Waſhington county into election diſtricts, and the bill for erecting part of Bedford into a new county called Huntingdon.

The conſideration of the bill for erecting York-town into a borough was reſumed, and being partly debated by paragraphs, was upon motion poſtponed.

The order of the day for taking into conſideration the bill for erecting a bridge over Coneſtogo Creek, was called up, and being debated in part by paragraphs, it was poſtponed.

On motion of Mr. Fitzſimons, the petition of Richard Wells, late owner of the ſhip Anna, was taken up for a ſecond reading, and referred to a committee.

The ſpeaker preſented a meſſage from the Executive Council, which incloſed a letter from the commiſſioners in Luzerne, ſtating the neceſſity of immediately running the lines between that and the neighbouring counties, deſiring an explanation of the north-weſterly courſe mentioned in the ſupplement to the act for erecting the county of Luzerne, and urging the neceſſity of diſpenſing with the legal qualifications of electors at the enſuing election, as the confuſion in that part of the ſtate had prevented the levying any taxes, or performing any of the functions of government. The meſſage and incloſure were upon motion, and by ſpecial order, taken up for a ſecond reading, and referred to a committee.

Mr. Fitzſimons having called for the ſecond reading of the tranſcript of the taxes paid and balances due by the ſeveral counties, which was laid before the houſe yeſterday, made the following obſervations: Sir, tho' the period is but ſhort before the diſſolution of this houſe muſt take place, I think it an object of very great importance to enquire into the cauſes which have produced ſo deplorable a ſtate of our finances, in order to enable the members to carry with them into their reſpective counties, ſome information upon ſo intereſting a ſubject. It appears from this ſtatement, that for the year 1787, the city and county of Philadelphia have only paid into the treaſury the inſignificant ſum of 1250l. that ſome counties have not paid any thing, and, upon the whole, that there is a diſcreditable and ruinous deficiency in the collection of the public revenues amounting to more than 230,000l. Sir, the faith of government is pledged to raiſe 240,000l. within the current year, for the national ſupport, and for other neceſſary expences; and we now find, that the reſources which have been appropriated for diſcharging thoſe engagements, have not yielded one-third of the amount. Whence this evil has ariſen I will not undertake abſolutely to aſſert, but I think myſelf authoriſed, as a member of this houſe, to aſcribe ſome portion of it to a negligent and improper management in the office of our treaſurer. A baneful ſyſtem of anticipation has been there adopted, which, beſides diſſeminating a general diſſatisfaction among the people, may be the cauſe of fixing an unmerited odium upon the counties that in the tranſcript before us appear ſo greatly in arrears. For I am informed, Sir, that it has been the practice of the ſtate treaſurer to give drafts upon the county treaſurers, and therefore it is impoſſible to aſcertain how far any particular county is the debtor of the ſtate, till it has been firſt aſcertained how many of theſe drafts have been accepted and diſcharged. In order, therefore, Mr. Speaker, to obtain ſome ſatisfaction reſpecting the ſource of the derangement which appears in our finances, I move that the tranſcript upon your table be referred to a committee conſiſting of ſeven members, and that the committee be directed to inveſtigate the management of the treaſury.

The tranſcript was accordingly referred to a committee of ſeven members.

Mr. Whitehill ſtated to the houſe, that the act for keeping the public roads and highways in repair would expire by its own limitation, at the cloſe of the preſent ſeſſions, and he therefore aſked leave to read a bill for continuing the ſaid act—which being granted, and the bill afterwards read by the clerk, it was ordered to lie on the table.

The houſe adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at half paſt nine o'clock.

FRIDAY, September 21.

The houſe met purſuant to adjournment.

Several petitions of a private nature were preſented and ordered to lie on the table.

The bills for erecting York town into a borough, and for building a bridge over Coneſtago Creek, which were before the houſe yeſterday, were taken into conſideration, and after ſeveral amendments, were ordered to be engroſſed.

Mr. Robinſon moved for the third reading of the bill for appointing commiſſioners to regulate the ſtreets, &c. in the diſtrict of Southwark, but Mr. D. Clymer mentioning the propriety of giving ſome notice to the perſons intereſted of the final diſcuſſion of this buſineſs, the motion was withdrawn, and the bill, together with another for regulating the water courſes, pumps, &c. in the ſame diſtrict were made the order of the day for Tueſday next.

On motion of Mr. Findley, the bill for the removal of the ſeat of juſtice in Weſtmoreland to Hanna's town, was called up for a ſecond reading; but Mr. Smith moved that the bill ſhould be poſtponed, as it was impracticable from the preſent ſtate of the petitions, for and againſt this meaſure, to aſcertain what was the real wiſh of the people; and indeed it appeared that the ſituation to which it was propoſed to remove the courts is as ineligible as that in which they now ſtand—neither of them being as commodious as other places in the county. After a ſhort debate, in which Mr. Findley contended for the propriety of enacting the law, and Mr. D. Clymer, Mr. Smith, &c. objected, the yeas and nays were called, and the bill poſtponed.

On motion of Mr. Findley, the bill for incorporating the congregation of Pittſburgh was called for a third reading.

Mr. Whitehill moved to amend the ſtyle of the corporation, by altering it from "The religious Chriſtian Society" to "The Preſbyterian Congregation at Pittſburgh." This amendment produced an altercation, in the courſe of which Mr. Brackenridge vindicated his conduct in propoſing the former ſtyle upon the authority of the petition on which the bill was founded, and advanced ſome aſſertions, which were contradicted by Mr. Findley. The queſtion being put, the amendment was carried; and the bill being debated by paragraphs, was ordered to be engroſſed.

The houſe adjourned, to meet to-morrow morning at half paſt nine o'clock.

If party is unavoidable in free governments, it is now to be hoped, that in future it will be carried on at leaſt with leſs virulence; the eagerneſs that has ſo unanimouſly been ſhewn to promote a federal government, and inſure the proſperity and liberty of America, muſt evince the patriotiſm of the individuals who compoſe both the conſtitutional and republican parties in this city, and ought to endear them to each other.

Wedneſday laſt in General Aſſembly the ſpeaker informed the houſe, that there was 1000l. chiefly in ſmall bills, ready to be deſtroyed in the ſtate treaſury; and obſerved, as it was a buſineſs which would take ſome time, it might be proper to appoint a committee for the purpoſe. He alſo informed the houſe, that although no more was now ready, yet the treaſurer expected to have 20,000l. (the ſum directed by law to be deſtroyed annually) at the meeting of the next ſeſſion.

There is in the hands of the Marſhal of the court of admiralty, in Virginia, the ſum of 462l. 13s. 2d. being one moiety of the nett proceeds of the ſale of a certain ſchooner and her cargo of Rum and Sugar, which was taken up at ſea by James M'Donald, maſter of the ſhip Grange, and John Boyle, maſter of the ſhip Ann, in lat. 36, 47, long. 59. 25 weſt from London, not having any papers or a living creature on board, and by them libelled in ſaid court. The ſaid ſchooner is a heavy clump, very old, of about 60 or 70 tons burthen, has been ſheathed with copper, which is taken off, and is newly ceiled with very broad plank, has ſome large ſtraps of iron acroſs her bow and bend, and is ſuppoſed to be a northward built veſſel. The perſon or perſons entitled to the ſame, upon proving their right to that court will receive the above moiety.

We have advice from Jamaica, that lieutenant governor Clarke has diſſolved the General Aſſembly of that iſland——an event long petitioned for by the inhabitants, and writs for a general election iſſued; that major Neſbitt, with the laſt of the troops from the Muſquito ſhore, had arrived at Kingſton in the brig Sally, Capt. Glen; and that five veſſels of war the end of laſt month came from Port Royal to their anchorage ground in Kingſton harbour, to ſecure themſelves from the conſequences of a hurricane.

Allen's New-London marine liſt of Auguſt 28. informs of the arrival of a brig from Martinico, which adviſes, that at that iſland, on the 20th of July, was a ſevere earthquake, by which many houſes and lives were loſt—the damage ſuſtained eſtimated at 70,000l. currency.

"If I have any talent at diſcernment, (ſays Numa, in the Hampſhire county Gazette) the feelings of the people are, in many reſpects, as they were when the firſt congreſs was choſen. I am diſpoſed to look for the ſame effects from the ſame cauſe. I wiſh, and I mean now to requeſt, my countrymen to attend to this ſubject. In the day of our diſtreſſes we have choſen a fœderal convention. This ſtep was taken from the fulleſt conviction, that there was not a better, perhaps no other, which could be adopted in this criſis of our public affairs. Many put confidence in them. They have great dependence on them. Both are natural. The members are much diſtinguiſhed for knowledge and moderation, liberality of mind and firmneſs, for patriotiſm and love of virtue and attachment to government as poſſibly any of our citizens. No wonder, under heaven, we look to them as healers of breaches and the saviours of a diſtracted country. Millions ſhould ſeek wiſdom for them of him who gives liberally. They will if they love themſelves. For in the public ſafety is included that of every individual.

"I ſcarcely need tell you, (continues Numa) that Congreſs is but a name, that her reſolutions are cyphers. She is fallen into contempt. Our union is ſlender: exiſts rather in idea than in reality—in the ſhadow than in the ſubſtance. Her preſent ſtate is the grief of the friends of the union, the ſource of the fears of ſtrangers and the ſubject of the ridicule of enemies. It is an acknowledged point that without a fœderal government which binds, collects and conſolidates the wiſdom, wealth and ſtrength of the ſtates, the union is diſſolved, our national exiſtence is deſtroyed, and the world knows us not. Without a government which can employ and improve the power of the whole to national purpoſes we are an headleſs trunk—a monſter in creation. Thirteen bodies without one ſoul to inſpire, pervade and move the complicate, unwieldy and nameleſs machine.

Numa adds, "Thoſe who can do good *ſhould do* it, thoſe that have influence *ſhould exert* it. Whether they poſſes one, five or ten talents, their country calls, by the moſt moving eloquence, for them to be employed in her behalf: that the opinions which every man entertains, the thoughts which he writes, the obſervations which he utters, and the efforts which he makes, ſhould center, like the rays of the focus, in her proſperity. What ſhall we think and ſay then of him who diſobeys her voice and diſregards her intereſt?

"Shun, my countrymen, the ſham patriot, however dignified, who bids you diſtruſt the convention, and reject the collected wiſdom of theſe ſtates. Mark him as a dangerous member to ſociety. Brand him as hoſtile to the commerce, reſpectability and independency of America. Aſſign ſuch places in which you will have nothing to fear."

SHIP NEWS.

The Mary, Howland, from Havre de Grace; Wilſon, Thomſon, from Liverpool; Tom, Lindſay, from Liſbon; Willing Maid, Barnes, and Molly, ——, from Newbern; Lively, Garriſon, from Charleſton; Columbia, ——, from Philadelphia; Eagle, Jackways, and Betſey, Culbertſon, from Halifax, are arrived at New-York.

The Hope, Newell, from St. Thomas; Sally, Davis, from St. Peters; Exchange, Babſon, from Guadaloupe; Ruſſel, Holland, from Martinico, and Sally, Edwards, from Philadelphia, are arrived at Newbury-Port.

John B. Huron,

In Water ſtreet, eight doors above Market ſtreet, has for ſale,

A LARGE and beautiful aſſortment of French calicoes and chintzes, dark, purple and chocolate ground

Black modes, mantuas and ſarſnet

Hair and perſian ribbons

With a parcel of excellent green Coffee in barrels

Sept. 22 3taw4w

WANTS a Place as Houſe-Keeper in a reputable family, a Young Woman who can be well recommended. Enquire of the Printers. Sept. 22

THE Members of the Mutual Aſſurance Company, are deſired to attend at the Court-Houſe, on *Monday* the 1ſt of October next, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, to chuſe *Truſtees* and *Treaſurer* for the enſuing year, agreeable to the Charter of the Incorporation.

JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Philadelphia, *September* 22

Emanuel Walker & Co.

Have removed their Store to the eaſt ſide of Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, and nearly oppoſite to Gray's Alley,

Where they have for *Sale*;

Juſt Imported in the ſhip Harmony, captain Willet, from London, an Aſſortment of Goods ſuitable to the ſeaſon, and which will be ſold by the Package, or in Quantities, *Cheap for Caſh*—Among which are the following articles, *viz*

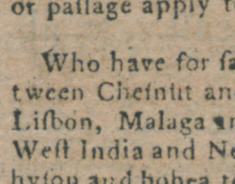
COATINGS, duffils and bearſkins	Sewing ſilks
Fearnoughts & halfthicks	Womens fine ſattin and purple gloves
Yorkſhire cloths	Mens beaver gloves
Green and white milled baizes	Liſle thread
Kendall cottons	Hat and bonnet wire
Scots carpets	Scots cambiets
Duffil blankets	Tammies, durants and calimancoes
Shetland & Sanguhar hoſe	Laſtings, ſattinets and Moncrieffs
Womens durant and calimanco petticoats	Corduroys and thickſets
Buff caſſimer	Yellow, pink and crimſon moreens
Toilanet and wiltonet for winter jackets	Taberets and tabereens
Cottons, calicoes & chintzes	Womens ſcarlet and ſtone coloured cardinals
Copperplate furniture of the neweſt patterns	Plain and ſtriped lawns
Iriſh linens, low priced	Needleworked lawn aprons
Printed linen handkerchiefs	Crape, cyprus and nett gauzes
Shawls	Plain and faſhionable buttons
Ruſſia ſheetings	Ribbons of the neweſt and moſt faſhionable patterns
Scots oznabrigs	Mens fine and coarſe hats
Black and coloured India perſians	Bed bunts
Chocolate and flowered bandannoes	Cotton counterpanes
Modes and ſattins	Spaniſh & ſtriped gingham
Perſians and ſarſnets	Coſſac, checked and book muſlin
Silk ſerge for linings	
Black and coloured ſilk handkerchiefs	Sept. 22 d

Forty Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY on Sunday the 26th of Auguſt laſt, a BLACK MAN, named *SAM*, belonging to the ſubſcriber; he is about 22 years of age, 6 feet high, very ſlender for his height; walks remarkably ſtreight; is ſmooth faced, and keeps his hair well dreſſed; carried off with him a variety of cloathing, which no doubt he will change, having plenty of money in his pockets; is very talkative, and can tell a lie with a good countenance. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Fellow, ſo that his maſter may have him again, will be paid the above Reward. Maſters of veſſels and others are cautioned againſt carrying off or harbouring him.

WILLIAM M'MURTRIE.

Point no Point, near Philadelphia, *Sept.* 20 8t



For Charleſton,

The Brig *PHOEBE*, John Drinker, Maſter;

NOW laying at Meſſrs. James & John Cox's wharf, will ſail on Thurſday the 4th October. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or

KEELEY & JENKINS,

Who have for ſale at their ſtore in Water ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, Madeira, Sherry, Liſbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines, Jamaica ſpirits, Weſt India and New England rum, coffee and ſugars, hyſon and bohea tea, a quantity of Madeira Walnuts, &c. September 22 dt40

Boot & Shoe Manufactory.

THE ſubſcriber informs his Friends and the Public in general, that he has removed his Shop from oppoſite the *City Tavern*, to the oppoſite ſide, two doors below the ſaid tavern, and next door to the corner of Walnut ſtreet, where he continues to carry on his Manufactory in all its various branches. He thanks his Friends and the Public in general, for their generous encouragement ſince his commencement in buſineſs. He truſts that the quality of his work is ſuch as has already demonſtrated his fidelity in his undertaking. He likewiſe continues to ſell his work at the following prices: Boots of the firſt quality 48/9, foxed ditto for 56/3, gentlemens' beſt bound Shoes 12/ ſtitched ſeats 14/6, mens common ſtrong Shoes from 8/4 to 11/3, ladies Silk Shoes of the firſt quality 20/, ditto made only, having the ſilk found, for 12/, ladies Stuff Shoes of the firſt quality 12/, common ditto from 8/4 to 10/, childrens Shoes, and all other branches in proportion to the above. Thoſe Ladies or Gentlemen that will pleaſe to favour him with their cuſtom, may depend upon being ſupplied according to their orders with the greateſt punctuality.

Sept 10 2aw3t *NATHANIEL PRENTIS.*

Extract from the "MIRROR FOR MAGISTRATES,"
Wrote above two hundred years ago.

WHAT doth avail to have a princely place,
A name of honour, and a high degree;
To come by kindred of a noble race,
Except we princely, worthy, noble be!
The fruit declares the goodneſs of the tree.
Do brag no more of birth, or lineage then;
For virtue, grace and manners make the man.

ANECDOTE of an American Officer.

DURING the late glorious conteſt, an officer was ordered to a ſtation of extreme peril—ſeveral of thoſe around him ſuggeſted many pretexts by which he might evade the dangerous employment aſſigned him, to which he made this noble reply——"I thank you, my worthy friends, for your ſolicitude—I know I can eaſily ſave my life, but who will ſave my honour, if I ſhould adopt your advice?"

Philadelphia, September 24, 1787.

RETAILERS and others who are indebted for Exciſe, are requeſted to be punctual in diſcharging the ſame on or before the 10th of October next, as no further indulgence can or will be given, but execution iſſue againſt each and every delinquent, after that time.

3taw *Edward Bartholomew, Collector.*

By Direction of a Committee of the General Aſſembly,

WE the ſubſcribers, debtors confined in the Goal of the county of Philadelphia, Give Notice, that we have prayed the General Aſſembly to enact a ſpecial law for the relief of our perſons from confinement——A committee of that honourable body, appointed to conſider our petitions, have appointed Wedneſday the 26th inſtant, at 2 o'clock, *P. M.* to hear us and our creditors, at the Goal, when and where our ſaid creditors are requeſted to attend.

Antoine Baillide
Thomas Williams
C. Buſſelot
Daniel Major
James Young.

Philadelphia Goal, Sept. 22, 1787.

Donnaldſon & Coxe,

In Walnut ſtreet, have for Sale

FRESH ſouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white ſetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaſt and evening ſetts of ditto
India luteſtrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-ſtands, &c.
Shone's beſt London porter in caſks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beſt Bourdeaux claret in caſes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Engliſh ſilks, cottons and calicoes
Iriſh printed linens
Ribbands and ſilk hoſe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different ſizes

Alſo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England ſoal leather d Sept 5

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward iſland rum
Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars
Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

Andrew Clow and Co.

The Corner of Front and Cheſnut ſtreets, have imported in the ſhips Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Veſſels from Europe, and are now ſelling on exceedingly low terms for caſh or ſhort credit, a fine Aſſortment of

Seaſonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, ſattins and perſians, black and coloured Barcelona ſilk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano dit. velverets, corduroys and thickſets, printed velverets, ſuperfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white ſhirting linens and ſheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat aſſortment of gauzes* black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worſted hoſiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

Iriſh Linens,

Juſt arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Roſs and *Vaughan.*

September 15 d

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool, A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4 4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

TO BE SOLD,

A Good Plantation, containing 51 acres, ſituate in Upper Darby townſhip, Cheſter county, about 8 miles from Philadelphia. There are on the premiſes, a two ſtory brick houſe with a kitchen and cellar, a barn, ſtable, a ſpring of good water near the door with a houſe over it, an orchard, 9 or 10 acres of good meadow with water for the ſame, alſo water in all the fields: it is a ſuitable place for a tradeſman or ſtorekeeper, being pleaſantly ſituated cloſe to a public road, leading to and from the city of Philadelphia, in a good neighbourhood and near moſt all places of worſhip. Any perſon purchaſing the ſame may enter the premiſes and have a good title any time between this date and April next.

N. B One half of the Crop of Hay goes with the place. Enquire of the ſubſcriber, living two miles from the above place.

Sept 7 LAWRENCE HOWARD.

Now Landing at Race street wharf,

The CARGO of the ship Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Petersburg—Consisting of,

HEMP

Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, assorted   Ravens duck
Russia sheeting——*And for sale by*

Haynes and *Crawford*,

Who have to dispose of,

Antigua rum and sugar
Irish linen,
Irish beef
Cork sail cloth
Claret in cases of two and a half dozen, &c.

September 19   d

Adam Hubley,

In Third street, a few doors below Market-street,

Has for Sale,

LONDON particular Madeira Wine, 5 years old,
Old Hock in bottles
Port wine in bottles and casks
Lisbon and other wines
Spirit 3 years old
Imperial, hyson, souchong, and bohea teas
Raisins in jars, and Holland Geneva in cases
Syrups of capillaire, &c. nutmegs, allspice
Sweet Oil, Barbadoes Cayenne, &c.   *ALSO,*
A few hogsheads high proof Jamaica spirits, and
Strong white wine vinegar.   2aw4w

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, tabs, fine and second cloths, &c &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratassia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Lacaze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same.   August 30   2awtf

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James Newport,

At his Distillery Store, in Front street (west side) six Doors above Arch-street,

Has by Wholesale and Retail, of very best Quality, at the lowest Rates,

MADEIRA } Lisbon } Wines Teneriffe }	Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Jamaica Spirits	Cinnamon Water
West India Rum	Anniseed ditto
Philadelphia & New England Rum	Clove ditto
	Orange ditto
Plain Brandy	Pepper-mint ditto
Rasberry ditto	All-Fours
Cherry ditto	Spirits of Wine
Gin in casks and cases.	

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.

N. B. Good Allowance is made to those who buy to sell again.   Aug. 18.   2awtf

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TO BE SOLD BY

John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,

The Cargo of the Brig St. John Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal: Consisting of

Port and Faval Wines;

Four years old, in pipes hogsheads and quartercasks:

ALSO,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins
Silk serges
Plain and striped lutestrings } of various colours
Peelongs
Paduasoys and spotted silks
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New England Rum.

Drinker and *Paxson*,

At their *Store* in Third street, between Walnut and Chesnut streets, have for Sale,

MILL, crosscut, hand, pannel, tennant, sash, dovetail, wood and key-hole saws
Stock, iron rim, desk, chest, drawer, cupboard, trunk, saddle bag, prospect and padlocks
Brass Nob and thumb latches
H, HL, patent butt, table, chest, clock case, desk, dovetail and tumbler hinges
Brass and iron head shovels and tongs
Spades and shovels
Frying pans
Bell metal, iron and brass kettles
Potts, skellets, bake plates and ovens
Smoothing irons, cart boxes
Steelyards, scale beams, and cast iron weights exactly regulated
Carpenters, joiners, coopers, sadlers, shoemakers, smiths and curriers tools
Brass and iron candlesticks and snuffers
Stirrup irons, snaffle and curb bitts, staples and plates, and buckles, woolen and linen girth webb, office and bridle reins
Brass and wooden pullies for sashes
Lines and weights for ditto
Shaving boxes and brushes
Slide razor strops, with or without razors
Gold scales and weights
Curry combs and brushes
Nails, brads, sprigs and screws in general
Patent and common cast iron teakettles
Copper   ditto
Brass warming pans
Bellows
A good assortment of cutlery
English and Dutch scythes
Brass and iron wire
Pewter dishes, basons, plates and spoons
8 by 10, 7 by 9, and 9 by 11 window glass
Linseed oil, spirits of turpentine
White and red lead, Spanish brown, Venetian read, stone and powdered oker, vermilion, Prussian blue, white vitriol, powdered lethrage, &c. &c. &c.
where also may be had, a good assortment of tanned leather.   *Sept* 19   3sp

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Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the last importation from the East-Indies,

To be Sold by Charles Wharton,

At his Store near the Drawbridge,

Who has also for sale, a large assortment of

Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Lisbon Wine in quarter casks, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars, Cotton, &c. &c.   21w5w

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Just arrived, and for Sale by

Benjamin Fuller,

A small Parcel of

CARRACCA COCOA,

And a few Bags of excellent

Cotton of the first quality.

September 14   6teop

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses, New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23.   dtf

A few pipes of

FAYAL WINE

To be disposed of on reasonable terms by

Charles P. Howard,

In Second-street, four doors above Chesnut-street, Philadelphia.   eo3t

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Mordecai Lewis and Co.

HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and souchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Stone's porter in hampers
French and Spanish brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spanish brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of saltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
English and Swedish steel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware assorted in packages
Tin ware in hogsheads
Grindstones
A parcel of gold and silver watches
Russia matts and oacum
Ditto sailcloth
Haircloth for malsters
A quantity of feathers
And a very large Assortment of DRY GOODS.

August 29   2aw6w

James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-street,

HAVE FOR SALE

A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;

ALSO,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the first quality, in cases
Port wine
West India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron shovels,   ditto
Pork   Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few casks of rice
Salmon
Lynn shoes
Boston iron tea-kettles   2awtf
Brass kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.

Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4. 1787.   mwf 1m

William Compton,

In Third-street, between Race and Vine streets, has for sale on very low terms, for cash or short credit.

LONDON pewter, in casks, well assorted
English sail cloth
An invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A case of boys hats, of various colours
A small invoice of best London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, shalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c.

ALSO,

Garden seeds of different kinds, rape and canary seeds, &c.   mwstf

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Rundle & Murgatroyd,

(Water street, just above Market street)

Have received for sale by the Harmony from London, and other late Arrivals,

RUSSIA, Scotch and Irish sheetings
Irish linens, low priced
Raven ducks, ticklenburgs
Silesias, lace edgings
Elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, & excellent London bottled porter
Also, an invoice, consisting of lustereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c. to be sold at a very low advance.
Likewise, high proof Grenada rum, and best Burlington pork.   September 17   mwf

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A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY

Ben. Mason.

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Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts.   Sept 7   d

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Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has just Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a small parcel of

GOODS,

Which he will sell very low for cash—they consist of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchester ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hose
Mens worsted Hose, some very fine
Ditto silk   ditto
Yard wide Irish Linens, &c. &c.   etf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt*.

September 5   d

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000cwt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks, Senneca snake root in hhds. &c &c.

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and, quartercasks of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22.   eptf

A LARGE and GENERAL

Assortment of Merchandize,

Wholesale and Retail,

TO BE SOLD BY

William Beaven,

In Second street, between Market and Chesnut streets Philadelphia, *viz.*

SUPERFINE and second cloths
Cassimers
Scarlet, red and yellow flannels
Calimancoes, durants and moreens
Rattinets and shalloons
Drab coloured double sattinet for mens breeches
Chintzes and calicoes
Silk umbrellas
Mens ribbed and plain silk and thread hose
Mens and womens cotton ditto
Ditto   ditto silk and leather gloves
Black, white and blue sattin
Brocades, mantuas and persians
Corduroys and honeycombs
Furniture and cotton checks
Irish linens and brown hollands
Striped and masqueraded bengals
9 8 and 3 4 cotton and linen stripes
Turky   ditto
Fine black crape for gowns
Damask and diaper tablecloths
Clouting diaper
Wilton and Scotch carpets and carpeting
Silk, linen, cotton and check handkerchiefs
Striped and plain muslins
Muslin handkerchiefs
Sewing silks
7 8 and 3 4 striped ticking
Black lace shades
Gauze aprons & handkerchiefs
Cotton & linen striped linsey
White and brown buckram
White tapes
Elegant and common fans
Ditto silk purses
Marseilles quilting
Muslinets and dimothies
Broad and narrow worsted bindings
Quantity of silk and linen dressed dolls
Steel collars for young ladies
Low priced knives and forks

Japanned Ware.

Elegant oval and square waiters
Tea urns, coffee and tea pots
Sugar and tea cannisters
Bread baskets and muggs
Hyson TEA of the first quality by the chest, doz. or pound; besides a number of other Articles not mentioned.   *September* 11   w&f.th&stf

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A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

ALL KINDS

Of Public Securities bought and sold. Money borrowed and lent on approved security, and negotiated so as to accommodate the parties. Certificates, State and Dollar Money furnished for the Land-Office, at the lowest terms, by

Francis White.

Chesnut street, near the Bank.   d

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port and Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix*.
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*.

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787.   eptf

This Day is Published, Price 3/9 in Boards,

By Young and M'Culloch,

INTRODUCTION TO THE History of America:

(To which is prefixed a Map of the United States)

CONTAINING,

The history of Columbus.
An account of the discovery and settlement of North-America.
Geography of the United States.
History of the American war.
Declaration of independence.
Gen. Washington's circular letter.
Addresses of Congress, and other papers relative to the Revolution.
A short account of the constitution of each of the states.
The temporary form of government established by Congress for the new states laid off in the vacant territory.
Account of some of the natural curiosities in America.
Chronological table of the most remarkable events in America.
Also including the Plan of the Federal Government, &c. passed by the Convention at Philadelphia September 17, 1787.

Also Published,

Father Tammany's Almanack;

For the year 1788.   smw2w

This Day is PUBLISHED by

Prichard & Hall,

And to be had at *Prichard's* Book-Store and Circulating Library, in Market street.

(*Neatly bound and lettered—Price* 3/9)

THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennsylvania:

Being the epistolary correspondence between Mehemet, the *secret deputy* from the sublime Porte, resident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c in which the sentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the close of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully displayed.

The whole translated from the original Arabic manuscript. By *S. T. P.*

*** *Wm Prichard* informs his friends and generous customers, that he has just arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Assortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day.   *Sept* 17   d

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TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has two years and 4 months to serve; she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

August 30   eotf

TO BE LET,

A convenient three-story Brick

HOUSE,

In UNION-STREET.

Also, a small TENEMENT in Pine street. The present tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.

August 1.   2awtf

For Sale,

A Pair of Excellent

Bright Bay Horses,

With or without a very Good *PHÆTON*. Enquire of the subscriber, in Fifth, 2 doors above Arch-street.

Sept. 13   eotf   WILLIAM DAVIDSON.

WANTED, A Convenient Dwelling House;

In or near the centre of the city. Enquire of the Printers.   August 25   d

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FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3m   JOSIAH HEWES.

Philadelphia, August 27. 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the southwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission.   d

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EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.

Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22.   etf

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiſer.

[Price Four-Pence.] TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1787. [No. 2695.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the ſale of a Large and Freſh

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandiſe On commiſſion, diſpoſed of at private ſale. *Sept.* 25

THIS DAY,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 25 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Public Sale of Bankrupts' Eſtate.

At the Old Coffee-Houſe,

This Day, the 25th of September,

At 6 o'clock in the evening, will be ſold to the higheſt Bidder,

The following Property

Belonging to the eſtate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

No. 1. A VALUABLE Tract of Patented Land, ſurveyed for David Sellers the 17th of October, 1784, containing 383 3 4 acres, with allowance, lying and being in Brunſwick townſhip, Berks county, and 32 miles from the town of Reading. The big Swatawra creek runs through this tract, and ſome ſmall ſtreams of water which empty into the Swatawra. A conſiderable part of this land is rich bottom, of which a large quantity of meadow may be made; the upland is well timbered, and on this tract are ſeveral mill ſeats.

No 2. 421 5-8 acres of patented Land, with allowance, ſurveyed the 19th of October, 1784, for Chriſtian Deſhong, being in the ſame townſhip, and within five miles of the abovementioned tract. A branch of the Swatawra runs through this tract alſo; and from its contiguity to the town of Reading and a well ſettled country, this and the foregoing tract muſt be very valuable.

No. 3. 353 acres of patented Land ſurveyed in purſuance of a warrant No 1633, dated the 22d October, 1766, for Enoch Davis, ſituate in Cumberland (now Bedford) county, on a large run on the eaſt ſide of a path leading from Little Juniata to Suſquehanna, having an excellent mill ſeat and ſome ſmall improvements thereon.

No. 4. An improved Plantation in Brecknock townſhip, Berks county, 58 miles diſtant from this city, 9 from the town of Reading, and divided by the road leading from the laſt mentioned place to Lancaſter, containing 209 acres and 126 perches, with allowance, of which 20 acres are excellent watered meadow: two orchards of the beſt fruit trees, and a cider preſs, a good log houſe, large barn, ſpring houſe, and other out houſes thereon. Under and ſubject to the payment of the firſt purchaſe money, &c.

Any perſon deſirous of further information may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the ſubſcriber, who will attend at the place of ſale.

ROBERT RALSTON,

Aſſignee of the eſtate of Jacob Keehmle, a Bankrupt.

All perſons indebted to the eſtate of the ſaid Bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the ſubſcriber, or ſuits will be commenced for the recovery of the ſame. R. R.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 25, 1787. w&ſtſ

Philadelphia, September 15, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be expoſed to ſale by public vendue, at the Merchants Coffee Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, on Thurſday the 27th inſt. at 6 o'clock in the evening, for and during the natural life of Chriſtopher Wilſon, of, in and to about ten acres of land, with a ſmall log meſſuage thereon erected, ſituate, lying and being in Kingſeſſing townſhip and county of Philadelphia (commonly called Boon's iſland): bounded on the ſouth by Robert Towers' land, on the north by a road called Tinnecum road, on the weſt by Andrew Coxe's land, and on the eaſt by Matthew Huſton's land.

Alſo, about 10 acres of Meadow Ground; bounded on the ſouth and eaſt by Church and Bow creeks, and on the north and weſt by Hubbard's and Towers' land: taken in execution as the property of ſaid Chriſtopher Wilſon, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-Houſe*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wedneſday* the 17th day of October next, at ſix o'clock in the Evening,

(If not previouſly diſpoſed of at private ſale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore*, eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large: the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any perſon inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premiſes before the day of ſale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. *Sept* 17 eptf

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be expoſed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thurſday the 29th of November next, at the Court-Houſe in Harford county, ſtate of Maryland;

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilſon and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-houſe, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a ſmall expence by ſeveral ſprings, and a conſiderable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewiſe flows through a part of it, on which is a mill ſeat. There is on each farm a good brick houſe, with barn, ſtables, &c. a large orchard ſtocked with the beſt fruit, and a large garden paled in. The ſituation is high and healthy, the ſoil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to ſeveral merchant mills, where there is a conſtant market for all kinds of grain.

Thoſe who wiſh to view the land, on application to Meſſ. Aſhton and Waters, the preſent tenants, will be ſhewn it. Poſſeſſion will be given the 1ſt of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be eaſy to the purchaſer, and will be made known on the day of ſale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

For Boſton,

The Sloop BAUSTO, DANIEL NEWMAN, Maſter;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or to Meſſrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon*, at their ſtore at the head of the wharf.

September 17 d

WANTED TO CHARTER,

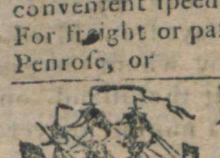
A VESSEL

From 200 to 250 tons burthen. Enquire of JOHN TELLES & Co. A little below the Drawbridge; in Water-ſtreet—Who have for Sale, A few Hogſheads of Newbury Rum, and a few Bags of Pepper, Aug. 30. ett

For London,

The Ship PIGOU, Wollman Sutton, Maſter;

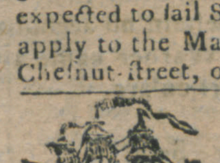
Now laying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf; will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the ſaid Maſter, Thomas Penroſe, or JOHN FIELD dtf



For LONDON,

The Ship *MEDIATOR*, *William Brougham, Maſter;*

A STOUT Britiſh ſhip, with a new Mediterranean paſs; has good accommodations for paſſengers. Part of her cargo is already engaged, and is expected to ſail September 25th. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Sims's wharf, near Cheſnut-ſtreet, or *THOMAS & GEORGE EDDY.*



For *LONDON*,

The Ship HARMONY, *John Willett, Maſter;*

FOR freight or paſſage apply to the Commander on board at Meaſe's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For Fredericksburg,

The Schooner FREDERICKSBURG PACKET, Captain *Chipman Bangs*,

WILL ſail in a few days. For freight or paſſage apply to the Captain on board at Arch ſtreet wharf, or to KUHN & RISBERG,

Who have for ſale 160 barrels roſin, and 40 barrels ſpirits of turpentine, and have juſt received by ſaid ſchooner a few hogſheads excellent tobacco. Sept 22 4ſ

For Charter,

The French Ship L'OISEAU, J. MENO, Maſter,

For any part of the Mediterranean;

Now laying at Luſſer's Wharf, New-York: ſhe is a very faſt ſailer, and well found, burthen about 240 hogſheads of tobacco. Apply to Mr. R. J. Thebaut, on board ſaid ſhip, or to JAMES VANUXEM, In Water ſtreet, below Market-ſtreet.

September 20. 6ſp

FOR

Dominica & St. Kitts,

The Sloop WELCOME RETURN, *Richard D Place, Maſter;*

NOW laying at the Old Ferry wharf; will ſail in 8 or 10 day; two thirds of her cargo already engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or to *ELLISTON & JOHN PEROT,*

Who have for ſale, Muſcovado ſugar in hogſheads and barrels, Grenada rum in puncheons, old Antigua rum in tierces, geneva in caſes, cotton, &c.

September 17 eotf

Wanted to Charter

For VIRGINIA,

A VESSEL from 50 to 150 Tons burthen.——Enquire of

eo2w JONES & LOWNES.

For Charleſton,

The Brig *PHOEBE*, John Drinker, Maſter;

NOW laying at Meſſrs. James & John Cox's wharf, will ſail on Thurſday the 4th October. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or *KEELEY & JENKINS,*

Who have for ſale at their ſtore in Water ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, Madeira, Sherry, Liſbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines, Jamaica ſpirits, Weſt India and New England rum, coffee and ſugars, hyſon and bohea tea, a quantity of Madeira Walnuts, &c. September 22 dt40

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

To be Let on Freight, to

Europe or the Weſt Indies, the

Britiſh Ship Polly,

Thomas Williamſon, Maſter; Burthen about 180 tons.

FOR terms apply to THOMAS, SAMUEL & MIERS FISHER. A few tons of Houſe COAL to be ſold on board ſaid ſhip. They have alſo imported in the ſaid ſhip Polly, and in the Pigou and Harmony, and other veſſels from Europe, for ſale, on very low terms,

India and Britiſh printed calicoes and cottons
Printed linen handkerchiefs
Cambricks and lawns
Low priced drab, mixed and blue broadcloths
Blue and mixed 6-4 and 7-4 coatings
Striped and roſe blankets
Blue ſtrouds
Knit ribbed worſted hoſe
Ironmongery and cutlery aſſorted in caſks
Delph and queens ware in caſks and crates
(By the package, as Imported.)
Allum in hogſheads
Red lead, white lead and Spaniſh brown
Bar lead, and ſhot aſſorted
Liverpool ſalt
Burr millſtones of various ſizes
New Caſtle grindſtones
Sail and ſeine twine
Catalonia red wine in pipes
Fine old mountain in pipes and quarter caſks
Malaga, ſweet and dry, in pipes and quarter caſks
Dry ſherry in quarter caſks
Almonds in frails

Together with a General Aſſortment of European Goods, ſuitable to the ſeaſon, as uſual 3aw4w

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THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennſylvania:

Being the epiſtolary correſpondence between Mehemet, the *ſecret deputy* from the ſublime Porte, reſident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the ſentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the cloſe of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully diſplayed.

The whole tranſlated from the original Arabic manuſcript. By *S. T. P.*

*** *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous cuſtomers, that he has juſt arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Aſſortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

ALL KINDS

Of Public Securities bought and ſold. Money borrowed and lent on approved ſecurity, and negotiated ſo as to accommodate the parties. Certificates, State and Dollar Money furniſhed for the Land-Office, on the loweſt terms, by

Francis White.

Cheſnut ſtreet, near the Bank. d

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom-Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mſ JOSIAH HEWES.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

By Direction of a Committee of the General Aſſembly,

WE the ſubſcribers, debtors confined in the Goal of the county of Philadelphia, Give Notice, that we have prayed the General Aſſembly to enact a ſpecial law for the relief of our perſons from confinement——A committee of that honourable body, appointed to conſider our petitions, have appointed Wedneſday the 26th inſtant, at 2 o'clock, P. M. to hear us and our creditors, at the Goal, when and where our ſaid creditors are requeſted to attend.

Antoine Bailtide
Thomas Williams
C. Buſſelot
Daniel Major
James Young.

Philadelphia Goal, Sept. 22, 1787.

Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,

New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors*, for the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by a reſpectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to requeſt the Favour of your Votes at the enſuing Election, to place me on the Return with the preſent Sheriff, as I mean to offer myſelf a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpoſe, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble Servant,
Samuel Caldwell.

Philadelphia, September 21, 1787. dtf

LOST,

On the 18th inſtant, in this city, an Engliſh Crab

WALKING CANE,

Mahogany colour, with an ivory head and ſilver ferrel. Whoever will deliver it to the Printers hereof ſhall be well rewarded.

BOOKS,

Juſt received by the Harmony from London, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Crukſhank,

JEFFERSON's ſtate of Virginia, illuſtrated with a map, including the ſtates of Virginia, Maryland, Delaware and Pennſylvania. Knox's Tour through the Highlands of Scotland, and the Hebride Iſles in 1786. Intereſting Views of Chriſtianity, tranſlated from the French of Bennet. Latin and Engliſh dictionaries, and a variety of ſchool books, alſo a quantity of Imperial, royal, ſuper-royal, thick and thin poſt papers, deep and pale coloured GOLD LEAF.

PROPOSALS

For Printing by Subſcription.

SERMONS,

On the Security and Happineſs of a virtuous Courſe,
On the Goodneſs of God,
The Reſurrection of Lazarus, &c. &c.

By RICHARD PRICE, D. D. L. L. D. F. R. S.

Conſiſting of ten Sermons.

This Work is propoſed to be printed on a good paper and type, and to be furniſhed to the ſubſcribers at *two-thirds of a dollar*, bound and lettered, in one neat pocket volume.

As ſoon as four hundred ſubſcribers have given in their names, the work will be put to preſs.

Subſcriptions taken in by *Thomas Dobſon*, and the other Bookſellers in Philadelphia: *Robert Hodge*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charleſtown; and all others intruſted with Propoſals. Sept 13 3aw3w

Robert Baſs,

HAS this day imported in the Harmony, Captain Willet, from London, a ſmall Caſe of pure, genuine

Red Peruvian Bark.

He will receive by the next veſſel from London, a full ſupply of freſh Drugs, Medicines, and Shop Furniture, to compleat his aſſortment till next ſpring.

Sept. 18 eotf

A large variety of plain mahogany and ornamental frame

LOOKING GLASSES,

Of all ſizes, juſt arrived in the Harmony from London, and for SALE at

John and James Oldden's

Store in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite Black Horſe Alley, Who have likewiſe on hand

SCOTS Carpets of every dimenſion

1-2, 3-4 and yard-wide carpeting
Tin in boxes N° 1 and 2
Red lead, white lead ground in oil
Ruſſia ſheetings, powder, &c.
Together with a general aſſortment of other goods, calculated for the approaching ſeaſon

September 18. thſw

Richard Adams

Is now *OPENING* for *SALE*, a General

Aſſortment of Merchandize,

Suitable for the approaching Seaſon, in Third ſtreet, four Doors from the Corner of Market ſtreet:

MILLED and double milled drab broadcloths
Blue, green, pearl and ſcarlet broadcloths
Mixed, brown and pearl coloured coatings
Duffle blankets, blue duffle coatings
Plains and frizes
Quilts, coverlets and counterpanes
Holland tapes and bobbins
Broad and narrow bindings
Death-head, covered, horn and metal buttons
Childrens blue and crimſon coloured hoſe
Boys, youths and mens plain and ribbed hoſe.
Mens ſilk, thread and cotton ditto
Womens worſted and cotton hoſe
Mens and womens ſilk gloves and mitt.
Common and crape camblets
Fine ditto
Black worſted and olive coloured ſattinets
Yellow, red, crimſon, ſcarlet and white flannels
Boys, youths and mens drab and black hats
9 and 7-4 bedbunts and bedticks
Checks, ſtripes and Britiſh ſheeting
Chocolate, purple and dark ground cottons & chintzes
White, green and lead coloured ſarſnets
Black ell-wide perſians and paduaſoys
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Links, ſeals, watch keys, and knitting pins
Ivory and horn combs
Crapes and hairbines
Sewing ſilks and twiſt
Thread and wire ſhirt buttons
Yard and 7-8 wide linens
Checks and ſtripes
Durants, moreens and Joan's ſpinning
Packet and pound pins
Muſlinets and corded dimities
Check, linen and ſilk handkerchiefs
Queen ware in crates
Temple ſpectacles, Steel and plated ſpurs
Sherry wine by the quartercaſk
On the loweſt terms for Caſh or ſhort Credit.

All perſons indebted to *Richard Adams*, by bond, note or book debt, are requeſted to make immediate payment. Aug 24 3tawIm

Foreign Intelligence.

HAGUE. July 20.

THEY write from Weſel, that on the 7th inſt. the general de Gaudi received an expreſs from Berlin, who immediately diſpatched lieutenant Van Hamelberg to Paris, and captain Van Efſman to the Hague; and ſoon afterwards a courier was ſent to the preſident of Cleves, where the colleges aſſembled, and iſſued orders for furniſhing horſes, and men to take charge of them; all the officers were likewiſe ordered to provide camp equipage, and to hold themſelves in readineſs to march. On Sunday the cannon were taken out of the magazine and examined: and we are now buſy in making cartridges, and in diſpatching meſſengers to the regiments of Ham, Bielefield, Herford, Minden, and d'Embden, with orders for them to march. They are tracing out lines of encampment at Goch and at Emmerik, and we are told two regiments of cavalry are on their march for this city. Every thing here is in motion, and in the ſpace of 24 hours we have ſent away 19 couriers. An embargo has been laid on all Dutch veſſels, and they are to be employed in tranſporting warlike ſtores. This day, the 20th, an inſpection has been made of the magazines of rye, wheat, barley, oats, hay, and ſtraw.

It appears that the count de Goertz will be ſent to Verſailles on the part of the king of Pruſſia, to enter on a mediation.

The pillage of Middlebourg could not be ſtopt until the 2d of this month, when a proclamation was publiſhed, declaring the ſtadtholder count of Zealand.

It is known that the count Eſterhaſſy is to command the camp near Givet, which will conſiſt of 15,000 men, compoſed of the regiments of Auvergne, la Couronne, Conde, Poitou, Vigier, Swiſs, Royal Comtois Boulonnois, Dillon, Suedis, Chartres, Auxerois and Rouergue, they are of two battalions. Huſſars of Eſterhaſſy, Chaſſeurs des Alpes, and a brigade of artillery.

CLEVES July 11.

His majeſty has given orders for the march of 40 battalions and 30 ſquadrons, as alſo a party of huſſars, making in the whole an army of between 50 and 60,000 men. The regency, the council of war, and the chamber of finances, have had an extraordinary aſſembly, and every thing is prepared here for the reception of the troops. Orders have been iſſued to the farmers to ſend all their horſes to a fixed place, where ſuch as are fit for tranſporting artillery are to be ſelected.

UTRECHT, July 20.

The hopes of the province of Holland in the king of France have not been diſappointed. Monſ. de Verac having on the 18th delivered to the greffier of their high mightineſſes, the following memorial:——

"The king being informed that the ſtates of the province of Holland had propoſed to their high mightineſſes to have recourſe to his majeſty as a mediator for conciliating the differences which ſubſiſt between the members of the republic, is ſenſible of this mark of their confidence, and orders his ambaſſador to declare, that he not only accepts of the office of mediator, but will uſe his beſt endeavours to re-eſtabliſh peace in the republic, and harmony among the different members of the union; and his majeſty takes this occaſion of expreſſing his ſincere concern for the troubles which exiſt in the United Provinces, and of recalling to their attention what muſt be the conſequences if they are not ſpeedily put an end to; to attain which ſalutary purpoſe, it is neceſſary their high mightineſſes ſhould take inſtant and efficacious meaſures to put a ſtop to the hoſtile proceedings of ſeveral of the provinces, which will not only prevent a civil war, but facilitate the reconciliation, which it is ſo deſirable ſhould be effected. This advice of his majeſty, is dictated by the ſincere friendſhip he has for the republic, the intereſt he feels for its preſervation and proſperity, and the particular affection he bears to each member of its conſtitution.

(Signed) LE MARQUIS DE VERAC."

FRANCFORT, July 19.

A report prevails here, that the Dutch patriots have offered the people of Brabant ſixty millions of money, to join them in the common cauſe. We are perſuaded, that Great Britain is diſpoſed to do every thing with efficacy for the ſtadtholder. The journey of her royal highneſs really covered a ſecret plan concerted with the court of London, to accelerate a revolution in favour of the houſe of Orange—and that having failed, makes the thread, on which the repoſe of Europe hangs, very ſlender.

BRUSSELS, July 19.

The ſtates of Hainault have engaged in the common cauſe with Brabant, of which they have given proof in the emblems of the public rejoicing, occaſioned by the declaration of the governors gen ral, having adopted the Lion of Brabant in the arms of their province. The penſionary of the ſtates of Hainault, at the opening of their aſſembly, publiſhed from the balcony of the town houſe, the alliance between the above province and that of Brabant and Auſtrian Gueldres; full powers to act in conſequence thereof, have been given by the ſtates aſſembled there. The ſtates of Flanders are not leſs attentive or zealous than the reſt for the preſervation of their ancient privileges. Since the 6th of June laſt, the ſtates of Flanders preſented the emperor with a very particular declaration of their ſentiments, and their determination to exerciſe every effort to recover their rights and privileges. This piece, which is written with extraordinary ſtrength, contains 18 pages, folio, printed in ſmall characters, and concludes with an exact enumeration of the different ſums, article by article, which his imperial majeſty has obtained of the province, from Nov. 1755, to October 1786, amounting in ſubſidies, preſents, &c. to 74,58,484 florins, without counting a guarantee, granted by the ſtates for the ſum of two millions of florins, raiſed for the late emperor by the way of lottery.

The members of the nobleſſe of the province have teſtified their gratitude to the ſtates of Flanders, for the above declaration; their addreſs not leſs ſpirited or energetic than that which they compliment, is conceived in the following terms:——

My Lords,

IF a great man ſtruggling with misfortune, be an object worthy the attention of a God, what ſhall we ſay of a brave and ſpirited nation, which with the arms only of juſtice and reaſon, triumphs over the efforts of arbitrary power?—This auguſt ſpectacle has been reſerved for us; we enjoy it at this day, and it is to your virtue, my lords, we owe it. We are happy to live, ſince with you we live. Already our country, as if ſpringing from a new birth, dares to lift her radiant front, and the names of thoſe heroes, who cemented with their blood, the public liberty, caſt looks of approbation on us, and ſeem to ſay—'We are not dead entirely:'—Yes, my lords, it is yet our country, and we may ſtill pronounce that tender appellation: Slaves but a ſhort time ſince, your glorious ardor has burſt our chains and reſtored to us all the rights of men and citizens. Happily we do not trace over the deplorable picture of a conſtitution torn from its ancient foundations, or our laws annihilated and trodden under foot—we do not ſpeak to you of that execrable magiſtracy, which reſtrained apparently to affairs of adminiſtration only, had no limits but the ſupreme authority—a power the more dreadful, as exacting obedience, though commanding to a crime; neither do we bring to your recollection, the deceptious, evaſions, or tortured ſubterfuges, by which it has been attempted to conceal from the eyes of a dazzled people, the dreadful conſequences of this horrible inſtitution. No, my lords, nothing has eſcaped your penetration; your manly eloquence, worthy of Rome during her freedom, has left us nothing to ſay: You have demonſtrated what terrible arms the ſecret inſtructions alone would place in the hands of the intendants: You have obſerved how appeals, letters of ſilence, with many other reſources of the ſame ſpecies, would have rendered illuſory all recourſe to the tribunals; nor has it eſcaped you, that placed at an immenſe diſtance from the throne, the voice of the oppreſſed poor could not reach it without a kind of prodigy. Yes, my lords, one ſtep farther, and we ſhould have ſeen thoſe direful times of the expiring empire revived, when the infamous occupation of an informer was the only road to honours and to fortune—we ſhould have ſeen the crime of high treaſon extended to the deſolated widow or inconſolable mother, whoſe tears bathed the aſhes of an immolated huſband or ſon—we might have ſeen thoſe purſued as ſacrilegious, who doubted of the virtue of Narciſſus or Sejanus.

Already has the illegal ſuppreſſion of many religious houſes evinced what may be expected from a power without a check. Thoſe bodies were received into the ſtate, guaranteed by the inauguration compact, and their property; neverthleſs they have been deſpoiled and annihilated, ſcarcely a veſtige remains. If happily, their ſubſtance, the patrimony of the poor had been confided to you, your intelligent beneficence would have cauſed thoſe conſolatory aſylums, which the Monks held open to the miſerable, to be forgotten, but delivered into ſtrange hands, and diverted to new purpoſes, they no longer render the weight of life ſupportable by the indigent, and thouſands of the poor are forced on the adminiſtrations, whoſe exhauſted funds are inſufficient to their moſt urgent neceſſities. But what do we ſay, my lords, the poſſeſſions even of an order of citizens who have ſhed a ſea of blood to defend and ſupport them, and that moſt important prerogative of our fiefs, ſeignorial juriſdiction—a juriſdiction, the patrimony of our fathers, and the reward of their glorious atchievement, guaranteed ſo often by the ſovereign himſelf, either by acts of inveſtiture, or the inaugurated compact, are no longer reſpected. If any thing is to be held ſacred, it is the property of the citizen; the firſt who ſurrounded the field with a hedge, and reſerved for himſelf alone the fruits, was the real founder of ſociety.—The conſervation of thoſe fruits, was the baſe of the ſocial contract; no property, no people, no ſovereign. But where does our enthuſiaſm for the public good hurry us? Or what is there, in fine, my lords, to be ſaid by us, which you have not anticipated with a much ſuperior energy of expreſſion? Nothing remains for us, unleſs to follow, as docile imitator, your glorious ſteps—and to agree, in the name of the illuſtrious order which we repreſent, to whatever may be decided by the unanimous ſuffrage, as neceſſary to be purſued to ſave the country.

(Signed)

Count Lightereeld.
Marquis of Rhodes.
Count Hane of Leeuwergen.
Count Vilain, XIV.

LONDON, July 25.

It is ſaid that orders have been diſpatched to Toulon and Rochfort to get ready for ſea with all poſſible expedition 25 ſail of the line. This is beſides the fleet already prepared at Breſt.

The court of France has alſo diſpatched corvettes to their different colonial poſſeſſions, adviſing their governors to be upon their guard, and to put their garriſons into a proper ſtate of defence.

Orders it is ſaid, have alſo been diſpatched to the Eaſt Indies to reinforce the garriſon of Trincomale with a part of 4000 troops now at Pondicherry.

AMERICA.

NASSAU, (New-Providence) Sept. 1.

On Monday laſt we had a violent gale of wind from the eaſtward. The oldeſt inhabitants do not recollect an inſtance of the wind's having blown with greater violence. The ſtorm began here at about half paſt one, and between three and four it was at its height. In the evening, the wind veering round to the ſouthward, the weather moderated.

The damage done to the ſhipping in the harbour is conſiderable, but not ſo great as was at firſt apprehended——a number of ſmall craft were diſmaſted and driven aſhore. A ſchooner getting foul of the ſhip Charlotte's cable, occaſioned her driving aſhore on Silver-Key, where ſhe lies bilged. The ſhips Britannia, Ellen, ſloop Favorite, and ſome other ſmaller veſſels rode out the gale.

On the ſouth ſide and weſt end of the iſland, the greateſt injury has been done to the plantations.—The fields of cotton and Guinea-corn, which laſt week, wore the moſt promiſing appearance, now afford a melancholy contraſt. The negro huts, in general, blown down, and moſt of the dwelling-houſes in the country have ſhared the ſame fate, or are unroofed.

The lower battery of Fort Montague is conſiderably injured, and the venerable tree known by the name of *Blackbeard's*, which had braved the ſtorms of the laſt and preſent century, is now deprived of a principal limb.

In the town, Mr. Moor's houſe, Mr. Attwood's houſe, with ſeveral ſmaller buildings, were blown down; and many others received conſiderable damage in the roofs and piazzas.

We are happy in having it in our power to aſſure our readers, that, after every enquiry made, no information can be had of any lives being loſt.

Some veſſels from America and the Weſt-Indies have arrived here ſince Monday—From their report, we are induced to imagine that the effects of the ſtorm have not been felt very extenſively.

BOSTON, September 15.

——"UNDER a wiſe and juſt adminiſtration of government, let us lead quiet and peaceable lives in all godlineſs and honeſty."

Thus far, ſays our correſpondent, have we arrived in our political courſe, let us be thankful matters are no worſe, ſince they are no better; and as the rebellion is no more, and thoſe who were concerned in it, have returned and taken the oath of allegiance *to a man*, and thoſe who were under ſentence of death for Treaſon, Rebellion and Murder, have received a *full* and *free* pardon from the *Supreme Executive*, let all murmurings and diſcord ceaſe, and let us quietly ſubmit 'to the powers that be,' for they are doubtleſs 'ordained of God.'—Let no cavillings or evil ſurmiſings come out of our mouths—'all things have been done *decently*, and in order' of time at leaſt. Let no man's conduct, either as ſupreme or ſubordinate in authority, be impeached. Let no man's motives be called in queſtion. Let it not be ſaid that the leaſt reference to popularity *(with the inſurgents)* has biaſſed the judgment of any one, or that the ſolemnity of an oath has not had its due influence. Let no man be inſulted with the opprobrious and infamous name of a trimmer, a runner, or artful pettifogger. Let it not be ſaid that delay, art and cunning have been employed to carry points, and that the influence of any extraneous body is felt in the deciſions of our ſupreme executive. Let not the friends of government mourn for the departed dignity of the laws, and that they are become a ſecondary conſideration, when the execution of them is unpopular. Let them not lament that there is no enquiry for blood, in our land——that the innocent ſuffer, while the guilty triumph over the conſtitution, and the laws. But let every man lay his hand upon his mouth, and under ſuch a wiſe, juſt and ſpirited adminiſtration of government, let us all lead quiet and peaceable lives, in all godlineſs and

HONESTY.

Wedneſday evening laſt, an inſtantaneous tranſition from a perfect ſtate of health, was exhibited in the death of captain William Fleet—aged 67.

NEWBURY PORT, Sept. 12.

On Friday laſt, at Kingſton, (about ten miles from this) a woman put a period to her exiſtence by hanging herſelf—ſhe was in the bloom of life, and, conſidering the gracefulneſs of her perſon, and mental accompliſhments, might be deemed one of nature's maſterpieces. What induced her to commit this horrid deed we have not heard. She has left a diſconſolate huſband, a young child and a number of worthy connexions, a tender regard to whoſe feelings induces us to ſuppreſs her name.

Captain Babſon, on the 4th inſt. in lat. 34. 42 N. long. 66 27 W. ſpoke the brig Recovery, captain James Hall, from N. Carolina to France, out four days.

NEW-HAVEN, Sept. 19.

Laſt evening arrived here in 18 days from Martinico, captain William Fairchild, by whom there is an account of a violent hurricane at that iſland, on the 24th of laſt month, in which a number of veſſels were driven aſhore.

With captain Fairchild, came paſſenger, captain William Warner, of Middletown, who had loſt his veſſel and ſix of his hands at Guadaloupe, in the ſame ſtorm—ſeveral other veſſels were loſt there—a number were driven out, from whom no account had been received when captain Warner came away. But we do not learn the particulars.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 6.

Yeſterday being the anniverſary commencement at the College in this town, the gentlemen of the corporation aſſembled in the morning at the College-hall, and having tranſacted the neceſſary buſineſs, about 10 o'clock the uſual proceſſion was formed. The patriotic and reſpectable chartered company of the United Train of Artillery, under the command of colonel Daniel Tillinghaſt, who, from their firſt incorporation before the late war, have on all the public occaſions of their appearance, done honour to themſelves, to the town, and to the military character, preceded the proceſſion from the college to the meeting houſe——when the following excercifes were introduced by a prayer ſuitable to the occaſion, by the reverend Dr. Manning, preſident of the college.

An oration, in the Greek language, on rhetoric. By Mr. Abraham Crouch.

An oration on the preſent appearance of public affairs in the United States of America, pourtraying the ſuperior advantages to be enjoyed by this country, and the public happineſs rationally to be expected in caſe the ſtates ſhall harmoniouſly agree on the great fœderal meaſures neceſſary for the good of the whole, whereon the convention have been ſome time deliberating at Philadelphia; and recommending induſtry, the manufactures of our own country, and the diſuſe of foreign goods; and ſoliciting the fair daughters of America to ſet the patriotic example, as the generous encouragers of the arts and manufactures of this their native country, by baniſhing from their dreſs the coſtly gewgaws and articles of foreign production. By Mr. Nathaniel Lambert.

An oration on agriculture; its antiquity, importance, honorable eſtimation in which it hath been held, and the great advantages which will reſult from the encouragement and promotion of it in theſe ſtates, as the real ſource of their true riches. By Mr. Oliver Leonard.

A forenſic diſputation on this queſtion, '*Whether it be good policy in the ſtates on the Atlantic ſhore to promote an immediate ſettlement on the Weſtern territory?*' It was opened in the negative, by Mr. Eli King. The affirmative was ſupported by Mr. Jonathan Maxcy. He was anſwered by Mr. Abraham Crouch, who ſupported the negative; and the diſpute was cloſed in the affirmative, by Mr. Oliver Leonard. This diſpute was intereſting to the audience, from the importance of the ſubject to the public at large, as well as to the individuals more immediately to be concerned in the ſettlement of this territory.

An oration on the equality of mankind, as to natural talents—ſhewing that the diſtinction obſervably among men, in point of genius and mental abilities, is more owing to education and their own perſonal application to improvement, than is generally ſuppoſed. By Mr. Oliver Hawes.

A piece of muſic, excellently performed, then cloſed the exerciſes of the forenoon.

After which the corporation, preceded as before, by the artillery company, &c. returned in proceſſion to the houſe of the chancellor, the honorable Jabez Bowen, eſquire.

In the afternoon they again went in ſimilar proceſſion from governor Bowen's to the Meeting-houſe, when the following exerciſes were performed:——

An oration, on the neceſſity in Republics of diffuſing knowledge through the body of the people, and ſhewing that in deſpotic governments it is the policy of the ſovereign authority to keep the people ignorant and ſuperſtitious, but that in republics the reverſe is the caſe. By Mr. Abner Alden.

An oration in eulogium of the policy and conduct of the acient Athenians, with reſpect to the public encouragement for emulation in literature, and the uſeful arts, and recommending their example in this reſpect for imitation in theſe ſtates. By Mr. Eli King.

[The degree of Bachelor of Arts, and other honorary degrees, were then conferred on a number of gentlemen.]

The exhibitions of literature, genius and abilities, in the compoſition, added to the propriety of delivery, in the ſeveral ſpeakers, were honorable teſtimonials of the care and attention of the worthy preſident and tutors, in their education, and of their own perſonal application—and gained the gentlemen concerned the univerſal applauſe of a large polite and crouded aſſembly of gentlemen and ladies, who attended the exerciſes, and did honor to the day, and themſelves, by thus encouraging polite literature, and thoſe uſeful arts which are the glory of civilized countries. Regularity and harmony pervaded the whole of the ſolemnities, which were cloſed by a prayer of the preſident.

SALEM, September 11.

Not long ſince, a Mr. ——, of Newbury, had the misfortune to run a fork through his foot, which had the following ſingular effect: No ſooner was the fork extracted, than his jaws were inſtantaneouſly cloſed, for ſome minutes, without any poſſibility of opening them. On a ſudden they opened to the utmoſt extent, and ſo continued for about the ſame ſpace of time, and then cloſed again; and ſo continued alternately opening and ſhutting, in defiance of his utmoſt endeavours to the contrary, until a phyſician was called at the diſtance of ſeveral miles; when the patient was relieved, and has ſince perfectly recovered.

ELIZABETH-TOWN, Sept. 19.

Yeſterday afternoon, at four o'clock, the office of collector of the exciſe for Eſſex county was offered at public vendue at the court-houſe in Newark, when, in a very crowded aſſembly, no perſon offered to bid for the ſame, although the ſheriff, (whoſe character requires no commendations) gave by frequent adjournments, every opportunity even to ſpeculators for their voice; but the meaſure being found more calculated for the meridian of deſpotic than free governments, met with a ſilent and univerſal diſdain.

A ſon of Mr. Nathaniel [illegible]bury, of Chatham, was unfortunately killed by a horſe, which was in training for the fall ſports, on Monday laſt.

Philadelphia, *Sept. 25.*

Accounts from the ſtate of Delaware ſay, that the new federal government, as propoſed by the honorable Convention, meets with the ſtrong and hearty approbation of the good people of that commonwealth.

Friday came on before the honorable the judges of the Supreme Court, the hearing upon a motion for a mandamus, to reſtore the Rev. Mr. Marſhall to his paſtoral ſituation in the Scotch preſbyterian congregation. The arguments threaten to be long and tedious; but it is hoped, the reſult will ſatisfactorily quiet the diſſentions which have unhappily prevailed among that denomination of our fellow citizens.

The intelligence which has been received, reſpecting the haſty departure of the French fleet from Boſton, gives every room to ſuppoſe, that the affairs of Europe are brought to a criſis, and that the different powers will now openly eſpouſe the contending parties in Holland, which they have hitherto ſecretly encouraged.

It is ſaid, that the Rhode-Iſland delegates in Congreſs proceeded to New York, as ſoon as it was known with any certainty that the federal convention was about breaking up. There is great reaſon to expect a rapid reformation in the politics of this ſtate.

In purſuance of inſtructions to the repreſentatives of Northampton county, the following Petition and Remonſtrance, ſigned by four hundred and twenty inhabitants, was preſented to the Speaker by Meſſrs. Brown and Read, yeſterday, in the General Aſſembly.

To the Honorable the Repreſentatives of the Freemen of the Commonwealth of Pennſylvania, in General Aſſembly met.

The REMONSTRANCE of the Subſcribers, Inhabitants of the County of NORTHAMPTON,

Reſpectfully Sheweth,

THAT your remonſtrants have obſerved with very ſerious apprehenſion an act, which paſſed on the 28th day of March laſt, confirming to the people called Connecticut Claimants their poſſeſſions in the county of Luzerne, which act your remonſtrants humbly conceive to be pregnant with public and private injuſtice, to be a direct infringement of the conſtitution of this ſtate, in mode and ſubſtance, and a groſs violation of the ſacred and immutable rights of the people.—Your remonſtrants beg leave reſpectfully to ſubmit to the wiſdom of the Houſe a few particular reaſons, why they think this law ſo thoroughly reprehenſible as they have repreſented it.

1. Becauſe no man's property can lawfully or conſtitutionally be taken from him without his own conſent; and becauſe the people have a right to expect from government the moſt abſolute and unqualified protection in the enjoyment of that property.

2. Becauſe this act diveſts a numerous and valuable claſs of citizens of property purchaſed and held under the faith of government, and confers that property on ſtrangers and intruders.

3. Becauſe it is an interference with the right of trial by jury, which it is ſtipulated by the Declaration of Rights ſhall be held ſacred in diſputes about property.

4. Becauſe the owners of the Wyoming lands under Pennſylvania titles have been deprived of their eſtates, without having been allowed the ſmalleſt opportunity of being heard in their defence, either by themſelves or their counſel, which is contrary to the firſt and plaineſt principles of equal and diſtributive juſtice.

5. Becauſe an aſſumption of judicial authority by the legiſlature is dangerous to the liberties of the people, and deſtructive of freedom in any government.

6. Becauſe the manifeſt injuſtice of the act appears from the groſs and palpable contradiction on the face of it—the preamble ſtating and expreſsly recognizing the title of the citizent of Pennſylvania to the lands in queſtion, and the firſt enacting clauſe depriving them of the land to which it is ſo previouſly acknowledged they have title.

7. Becauſe no reaſons of public expediency can juſtify or excuſe a law, which in its immediate object and direct tendency renders property precarious, and withdraws the confidence of the people from the power and integrity of government.

8. Becauſe no adequate compenſation is offered by the act to the ſufferers, and the inadequate compenſation which is held out is drawn from a fund already appropriated to an honeſter purpoſe.

9. Becauſe under all theſe circumſtances of objection and reprehenſibility, the law paſſed the Houſe

within a very few days after the bill was printed for public conſideration; which was an evaſion of the cautious directions of the conſtitution, and an excluſion of all timely enquiry and inveſtigation of the ſubject of the act.

For theſe and other reaſons, which evince this act to be dangerous, unjuſt and unconſtitutional, your remonſtrants earneſtly intreat of your honorable Houſe, that you will take the premiſes into your ſerious conſideration, and either repeal the ſaid law, or at leaſt ſuſpend all further proceedings under it till the end of the firſt ſeſſions of the next Houſe of Aſſembly, which will give the public and the particular ſufferers an opportunity of being heard, and reſtore to government the confidence of the people.

To Peter Trexler, junior, Thomas Mawhorter, Robert Brown and Peter Burkhalter, Eſquires, Repreſentatives for the county of Northampton in the General Aſſembly of the commonwealth of Pennſylvania.

GENTLEMEN,

THAT the people have a right to inſtruct their repreſentatives, and that their repreſentatives, as faithful ſervants of the people, are bound to purſue ſuch inſtructions, is expreſsly recognized by the declaration of rights, which forms a part of the conſtitution of this ſtate.

A large and very reſpectable number of your conſtituents being ſeriouſly alarmed at the object and tendency of an act which paſſed the Houſe at the laſt ſeſſions, have thought it their duty, as good citizens, to hold ſeveral meetings, for expreſſing their ſentiments of ſo dangerous and unconſtitutional a meaſure—at which meetings it has been reſolved, that their opinions ſhould be communicated to their repreſentatives, with inſtructions for their legiſlative conduct at the next ſeſſions of the Aſſembly. The ſubſcribers are the committees appointed by the ſeveral townſhips for that purpoſe, and the preſent addreſs is preſented in diſcharge of their truſt.

You are inſtructed therefore to uſe your earlieſt and utmoſt endeavours for the repeal of the late law of the 28th March, confirming to the people called Connecticut Claimants their poſſeſſions in the county of Luzerne—a law fraught with the groſſeſt and moſt direct violations of the moſt ſacred rights of the people, and in mode and ſubſtance oppoſed to the letter and ſpirit of the conſtitution—a law which does a preſent injuſtice to a very large and worthy claſs of citizens, and is yet more dangerous from the baneful influence which it muſt neceſſarily have in future. Nothing is more expreſsly ſtipulated by our declaration of rights, than that the people have an inherent right to be protected by government in the enjoyment of their honeſtly acquired property. Yet this law, inſtead of protecting, robs a conſiderable number of the reſpectable yeomanry of this ſtate of their property, purchaſed under the faith of government; and this large ſacrifice of our own citizens is made to gratify a ſet of intruders, who have no one claim to the indulgence or good opinion of the legiſlature. It is alſo ſtipulated, that in controverſies reſpecting property, the parties have a right to trial by jury, to be heard by their counſel in the courts of juſtice, and to be judged by their peers. In enacting the Wyoming law, the Aſſembly have aſſumed a judicial power, which does not belong to them (and which it is moſt dangerous in a free government to connect with the legiſlative authority.) They have interfered with and infringed the trial by jury; and, contrary to the plaineſt principles of common juſtice, have paſſed their judgments, without having given thoſe, whoſe property is affected by the law, the ſmalleſt opportunity of being heard, and of vindicating their privileges. In order to preſerve the appearance of equity, they have offered a compenſation to the injured, which is contemptible and inadequate, and have drawn their reſources for this compenſation from a fund already appropriated to honeſter purpoſes:—and this law, ſo important to thoſe whoſe property is wreſted from them, ſo generally intereſting in its nature and tendency, was contrary to the explicit directions of the conſtitution, hurried through the houſe in a few days, and no time taken to collect the opinions of the people—no opportunity of defence given to the injured. We repeat therefore our inſtructions, that you will loſe no time, and ſpare no pains, to effect the repeal of this arbitrary unconſtitutional law—or, as the commiſſioners inſtituted by the act are now in the execution of their buſineſs, at leaſt to procure a ſuſpenſion of any further proceedings under it, until the meeting of the next houſe of aſſembly. As our objections to this law are founded on conſtitutional and republican principles, we expect from you, as guardians of the liberties of the ſtate, that you will further the wiſhes of your conſtituents, and juſtify the confidence which they have had in your patriotiſm and integrity.

We are Gentlemen,
With great regard,
Your friends and fellow citizens,

(COPY.)

September 1, 1787.

Henry Allſhous
Francis Smith
John V Campt
John Chambres
William Clark
Ezek. Schoonover
John Smith
Andrew Dingman
} Committee.

To the Printers of the Daily Advertiſer.

AS the Federal Convention have recommended an appeal to the judgment of the people that meaſure cannot be adopted too ſoon. The aſſemblies of the ſtates have only to expedite and facilitate it. I was therefore ſorry to obſerve a paragraph in your paper of the 21ſt inſtant, expreſſing, though evidently from want of due reflection, an expectation that our aſſembly would break up ſo early as to leave the plan of the federal conſtitution to the conſideration of the next houſe. I am ſo confident of the hearty concurrence of Pennſylvania in the meaſures of the Convention, that I ſhould be equally pleaſed to leave the ſubject to the next houſe, or to proceed on it in the preſent, but for two ſtrong reaſons.

1ſt. The expence and trouble attending an election of a ſtate convention may be very much leſſened, by holding it at the ſame time, as is fixed for the choice of members of aſſembly, ſheriffs, &c.

2dly. As an appeal to the honeſt feelings and judgment of the people is the mode propoſed by the federal Convention, and is the only one conſiſtent with the nature and ſpirit of our free governments, and as we are hourly ſuffering in our intereſts and honor, both at home and abroad, any *unneceſſary* delay—any delay *that can poſſibly be avoided* is a deep injury to our country.

My enquiries about the probable courſe of this intereſting buſineſs have given me the comfort of learning, that the honorable houſe is diſpoſed to give it their ſerious conſideration before they part—and, I truſt with deference to their wiſdom, their hearty approbation.

Sept. 22, 1787. A FREEMAN.

Yeſterday the ſhip Dublin Packet, captain Alcorn, arrived here in ſix weeks from Dublin——with captain Alcorn came paſſenger Mr. *Joſeph Wilſon*, merchant, formerly of this city.

*** The Britiſh ſhip MEDIATOR, Capt. Brougham, for London, will ſail on Sunday next. Her letter bag will be taken from the Poſt-Office on Saturday evening. dtf

†‡† The Committee of the Artillery Battalion are requeſted to meet at Chriſt Church School-houſe this evening, at ſix o'clock preciſely, in order to chuſe their officers.

Robertſon & Smith

Have juſt Received per the Harmony and Pigou, from London, and Polly, capt. Williamſon, from Hull, A General Aſſortment of Seaſonable

G O O D S,

Conſiſting of

SUPERFINE & ſecond cloths	Iona handkerchiefs
Hunters ditto	Printed linen ditto
Plains, fearnoughts	White and brown Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings
Coatings, bearſkins	Diapers
Kendle cottons	Dowlaſſes
Roſe and ſtriped blankets	Florentines
Red, green & white baizes	Sattinets
Flannels	Joans
Carpets and carpeting	Durants
An aſſortment of mens, womens and childrens worſted and cotton hoſe	Tammies
	Calimancoes
	Camblets
Aſſortment of printed calicoes and chintzes	Bird ey'd ſtuffs
Coloured and black Barce-	Dorſettees, &c. &c.

All which they will ſell very low for caſh, or a ſhort credit, at their ſtore in Front-ſtreet, next door to the corner of Black Horſe alley. 3aw4w

Philadelphia, *September* 24.

IF any perſon has a demand upon the ſubſcriber, they are requeſted to preſent their accounts to him, at Mr. *Barnard's* in Front ſtreet, below the Drawbridge, or (in his abſence) to Mr. B. H. Phillips Merchant, in Second ſtreet, that they may be paid; and thoſe indebted to him are requeſted to make payment as above, within two months of this date, otherwiſe their accounts will be put into the hands of an attorney.

3teo *JAMES COLLET.*

W A N T E D

At the Burlington Nail Manufactory—A Number of

Regularly bred Nailors,

Who will meet with conſtant employment on generous terms. Thoſe who who have families will be accommoted with good dwellings at the low rent of 3*l.* per annum, and a genteel boarding houſe is eſtabliſhed for ſingle men: none need apply who cannot bring a good recommendation of his conduct.

Wanted, alſo—A number of BOYS from 12 years of age to 17, as Apprentices to the aforeſaid Buſineſs: ſuch boys will be properly maintained, will be taught to read, write and cypher, and at the end of their apprenticeſhip will receive the uſual freedom dues. For more particular information apply to Mr. *Chriſtopher Baker*, at the corner of Vine and Second ſtreets.

1awtf *LITTLE & BLOOMFIELD.*

Philadelphia, *September* 14, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept from *David Rittenhouſe*, eſquire, ſole truſtee of the general land-office of (the late province, now ſtate of) Pennſylvania, to me directed, will be expoſed to *Public Sale*, at the Old *Coffee Houſe*, in the city of Philadelphia, on Wedneſday the 17th day of October next, at 6 o'clock in the evening—The one equal, undivided Moiety or half part in and to a certain Tract of Land, ſituate in the townſhip of the Northern Liberties, in the county of Philadelphia, beginning at a hickory tree marked at a corner of his fence, on the the eaſt ſide of the great road in the line of his plantation, and that of Tench Francis, and from thence running eaſt ſouth eaſt along the ſaid line unto the lower or weſterly line of Deborah Johnſton's land, to a white oak there marked for a corner, and thence running along the line aforeſaid and ſoutherly, and from thence to continue in the ſame courſe on a ſtreight line unto a ſmall ſapling white oak marked for a corner, and from thence to the poſt and rail fence ſtanding on the north ſide of his meadow, and from thence along the ſaid fence of the ſaid meadow ſo far as it goes, and then to continue in the ſame courſe in a direct line to the eaſt ſide of the Wiſſahickon road to a white oak poſt ſet up for a corner, and from thence along the ſaid road to the place of beginning, containing 60 acres or thereabouts: taken in execution as the property of *Thomas Hood*, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

LAST NOTICE.

In the Caſe of Moſes Cohen,

A BANKRUPT.

WHEREAS a commiſſion of bankrupt is awarded and iſſued forth againſt Moſes Cohen, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant and dealer; and he being declared a bankrupt, is hereby required to ſurrender himſelf to the commiſſioners in the ſaid commiſſion named, or the major part of them, on Friday the 17th day of Auguſt inſt. on Monday the 10th day of September following, and on Thurſday the 25th of the ſame month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of the ſaid days, at the ſtate houſe in the city of Philadelphia, and make a full diſcovery and diſcloſure of his eſtate and effects: when and where the creditors are to come prepared to prove their debts; at the ſecond meeting to chuſe aſſignees, and at the laſt meeting the ſaid bankrupt is required to finiſh his examination. All perſons indebted to the ſaid bankrupt, or who have any of his effects are not to pay or deliver the ſame but to whom the commiſſioners ſhall appoint, but give notice thereof to the ſubſcriber.

By Order of the Commiſſioners,
JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.
Office, Watkins's alley, Aug. 16, 1787.

William Sanſom

Has for ſale, at his Store on the eaſt ſide of Second ſtreet, three doors below Arch ſtreet, and nearly oppoſite the George tavern—A General Aſſortment of

MERCHANDIZE:

Conſiſting of the following Articles, part of which are juſt opened—

RUGS and blankets, coatings, match coats and ſtriped duffils, broadcloths, ſpotted ſwanſkins, half thicks, ſtriped linſeys, worſted hoſe, calimancoes, durants, moreens, tammies, ſhalloons, rattinets, corduroys, ſilk and worſted ſagathy, grazetto, buckrams, and tully gartering.

Ravens duck, 3 4 and 7 8 German and Scotch dowlas, ticklenburg, Ruſſia ſail canvas, Iriſh ſheeting, 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh linen from 2/ to 6/, 7 8 and yard wide linen and cotton checks, ſtriped hollands, brown quadruple ſileſias, chitys fantail, fine and wool hats, Hoſe's ſhoes, Whitechapel needles, pins, ſpectacles, ink pots, twiſt and ſewing ſilk, Scotch threads, pocket handkerchiefs, Weſton's ſnuff, ſpelling books, laces, catgut, death-head and other buttons, cambrick and lawn, kenting handkerchiefs, plain, kenting and checked lawns, long lawn, black and cloth coloured ribbon, quality binding, ivory combs, and womens purple gloves and mitts.

Read lead, ſilver watches, London and Briſtol pewter, hard metal ſpoons, window glaſs, ſad irons, wire, 6d nails, knives and forks, butchers and cutteau knives, penknives, ſciſſars, ſhoebuckles, razors, money ſcales, thimbles, ſhoe chapes, ſnuffers, ſleeve links, ſilvered ſpurs, pocket looking glaſſes, curry combs, fancy buttons, ſnuff and tobacco boxes, waiters and bottle ſtands, and a variety of other articles, all which will be diſpoſed of on the loweſt terms.

September 24 tuwf

Sales at the City Auction-Store.

THIS MORNING at 10 o'Clock, will be Sold, A Large and General

Aſſortment of Goods,

Suitable to the ſeaſon—Among which are,

A GREAT quantity of coatings, ſwanſkins, ſtriped and flowered flannels, brown linens, cotton and ſilk handkerchiefs, a ſilver tankard and caudle cup, plated candleſticks, ſtuffs, ſtockings, &c.

September 25 1

On Friday Morning next,

At 9 o'Clock, will be Sold by Public Vendue, at the ſoutheaſt Corner of Second and Cheſnut ſtreets—A Quantity of

New Furniture,

Warranted ſound and good (the Maker intending to remove to Pittſburgh) Conſiſting of

PLAIN, claw feet and ornamented chairs of the neweſt pattern
Ditto tea tables of the neweſt faſhions
Circular and ſquare tea tables ditto
Plain and commode bureau tables
Dreſſing tables
Dining ditto large and ſmall

Alſo, a ſmall Quantity of the beſt ſeaſoned MAHOGANY. Sept. 5 tuwf

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

Dr. Foulke's Lectures

on Anatomy, Diſſection, Surgery, and Midwifery, will commence on the 5th of November next.

Pennſylvania Hoſpital, Sept. 20, 1787. 1

On Friday Next,

The 28th Inſtant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock in the Morning, Will begin the Sale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandize:

Among which are,

MANCHESTER chintzes and cottons of the firſt quality and patterns; Iriſh linens, white and brown, yard, 7 8 and 3 4 wide; a neat invoice of Scotch needle worked and plain lawn aprons and handkerchiefs; plain and ſtriped and croſs barred kentings, gauzes, lineaus and catguts; ſuperfine Iriſh linens, long lawns and cambricks; a few pieces beautiful ſattins and mantuas; plain, jaconet, ſtriped and croſs barred muſlins of different qualities; moreens, calimancoes, rattinets, ſhalloons, durants & tammies; garters and bindings; French, German and Engliſh cloths, coatings, &c &c. *September* 25

THOSE gentlemen who are appointed to receive ſubſcriptions for the encouragement of American manufactures, are requeſted to collect the money ſubſcribed, and to pay whatſoever monies they may have received, into the hands of John Nixon, eſquire, treaſurer, as ſoon as poſſible.

By direction of the Board.
GEO FOX, Sec'ry.

T O B E S O L D,

A Two ſtory Brick Houſe and Lot of Ground thereunto belonging, ſituate on the weſt ſide of Front ſtreet, Southwark, now in the tenure of Alexander Dowe, ſhoemaker. The lot is 16 feet front and 90 feet in depth, ſubject to a ground rent of 6*l.* per annum.

Alſo, for Sale—Sundry *Tracts of Land* in Northumberland and Bedford counties, Pennſylvania, which are of an excellent quality and abound with beaver dams, ſo as to render them valuable for grazing. Likewiſe, ſeveral other *Tracts of Back Lands*, the whole being the property of *Hubley & Graff*, and by them aſſigned over for the diſcharge of their debts: wherefore, any perſon inclining to purchaſe any part of the aforeſaid property, are deſired to apply to *Benjamin Fuller*, *John Donnaldſon*, or *Benjamin Swett*, who earneſtly deſire all perſons indebted to the aforeſaid *Hubley & Graff*, or either of them, to diſcharge their reſpective debts to prevent further trouble. 1aw2m

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY laſt evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Chriſtian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light ſandy hair, but having lately been ſick, looks pale, and of thin viſage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a ſurtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fuſtian coatee, veſt and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, ſhort ſpotted veſt, white dimity ditto, two white Ruſſia ſheeting ſhirts, one pair of ſheeting trowſers, new buckſkin breeches, brown thread ſtockings, one pair of new and one pair of old ſhoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of Engliſh twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He ſpeaks tolerable good Engliſh, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to exceſs, but is averſe to ſervitude, and ready to embrace any ſcheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himſelf at ſome employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this ſtate, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any perſon who will deliver the ſaid ſervant to the ſubſcriber in Philadelphia, and reaſonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.
Philadelphia, Auguſt 22 1awtf

Taunton Iron-Works

F O R S A L E:

CONSISTING of a Furnace, and Forge adjoining, in exceeding good order; Part of a Saw Mill; 3000 Cords of Wood already cut, and every Article neceſſary for carrying on ſaid Works, with the Tract of Woodland which the Works are upon, and a very large Body of good Ore; the Caſtings and Bar Iron are well known to be equal to any at market.

The above Works are ſituate in Burlington county, Weſt-Jerſey, diſtant 17 miles from Philadelphia and 8 miles from a navigable creek leading to the ſame.

Bar or Pig Iron will be received in payment for a conſiderable part of the purchaſe. For further particulars pleaſe apply at ſaid Works, to

Taunton, *May* 29. 1awtf. GEORGE HASTINGS.

CAME to the Plantation of Mr. Samuel Sanſan, ſome time ſince, a ſmall red brindle C O W, with ſmall crooked horns: the owner is deſired to come, prove his property, pay charges, and take her away, otherwiſe ſhe will be ſold to diſcharge her expences, if not called for in two months after this date.

CHRISTIAN RIFE.
Northern Liberties, Sept. 12.

The MENAGE,

At the Center-Houſe, will be opened on the 17th inſtant, by the ſubſcriber, for the inſtruction of Gentlemen in that manly, uſeful and heathy exerciſe, the Art of Horſemanſhip in all its different branches. The days of exerciſe will be on *Monday*, *Wedneſday* and *Friday*. He propoſes to begin each morning at ſix, and cloſe at 8 o'clock. JACOB R[illegible]

HONOR *ought to be conferred on* MERIT *only.*

—WHO ſhall go about
To cozen Fortune, and be honorable
Without the ſtamp of merit! Let none preſume
To wear an undeſerved dignity.
O that eſtates, degrees and offices,
Were not deriv'd corruptly; that clear honor
Were purchas'd by the merit of the wearer!
How many then ſhould cover, that ſtand bare!
How many be commanded, that command!

I HAVE a magnificent bridle, ſaid a vaunting coxcomb, juſt returned from the grand tour, it was a preſent from a ſovereign prince—it is much too ſuperb and elegant to be put into any horſe's mouth—I do not know how to diſpoſe of it, or where to put it——put it on your tongue, ſir, ſaid an old officer.

On Monday the 5th November,

Will be ſold by Public Vendue, at the Houſe of Frederick Hoff, in Hereford,

FOUR Tracts of Land belonging to the eſtate of Charles Mayburry, deceaſed, laying in Hereford and Diſtrict townſhips, Bucks county, viz. two tracts in Hereford; one tract of 184 acres of very good Cheſnut timber; the other tract of 100 acres, on which is an iron mine of excellent ore, and the whole well timbered with thriving young wood. Two other tracts in Diſtrict; one tract containing 92 and an half acres, whereon is a ſmall dwelling houſe, 30 acres cleared and under good fence, 6 acres of very good meadow, and conſiderable more can be made; the other tract contains 206 and an half acres, on which is a dwelling houſe, barn, &c. 40 acres cleared and under fence, 6 or 8 acres of good meadow and 20 more may be made, which can all be watered, likewiſe there is on ſaid tract, an exceeding good ſeat for a furnace or mill. The abovementioned tracts are all patented, except 20 acres of the laſt tract, which is by warrant, and lays all contiguous to each other.

The conditions will be made known on the day of ſale, by *PETER ASTON*, acting executor

Three Pounds Reward.

RAN away from the ſubſcriber laſt night a Dutch ſervant M A N, named John Coſper Eliot, ſhoemaker, aged about 33 years, is about 5 feet 10 inches high, luſty and ſquare built, broad face, his under jaw rather longer than the upper, light blue eyes, in one of which he has a caſt, and ſhort flaxen coloured hair. He has on each arm images imprinted in the ſkin with Indian ink, and on one the firſt letters of his name; his right arm has been broken at the wriſt and elbow. His cloathing when he went away was a new broad cloth coattee of a lead colour, made with a ſtand up collar, with wooden buttons, old brown velvet breeches, a half worn round felt hat, and calico waiſtcoat; talks very broken Engliſh. Whoever takes up ſaid runaway, ſo that his maſter may have him again, ſhall receive the above reward, with reaſonable charges, paid by

WILLIAM RIDGWAY.
New-Jerſey, county of Burlington, townſhip of Willinborough, 9th mo. 24th.

T O B E S O L D,

FIFTY-SIX acres of good marſh meadow on the iſland of Tinicum, in two different lots, one of which is about 44 acres, divided into four diviſions, chiefly by good drains, lying on the main road leading through the townſhip of Tinicum, and is chiefly in clover, blue graſs and timothy. The bank belonging to theſe meadows is in good order, and eaſy to be maintained. The other lot is upwards of 12 acres, bounded on the river Delaware, and near the other lot. It is encloſed all round with good ditches, and in excellent mowing order, and produces large crops.

Or if more agreeable to a purchaſer, the ſubſcriber would ſell the plantation whereon he now dwells, being about ſix miles from Philadelphia, on the main road from thence to the lower counties. This place contains about eighty five acres, upwards of ten acres of orchard of the beſt of grafted fruit, nearly in its prime; a large proportion of it is in clover, and the remainder ſuitable for gardening or any kind of grain. There is on this place about twenty acres of woodland, moſtly encloſed for a paſture. The houſe is large and well ſituate, having an extenſive view of the rivers Delaware and Schuylkill, &c. The barn is large, and there is ſtabling for upwards of forty creatures; with moſt other neceſſary out-buildings. The purchaſer may have any reaſonable time for payment of a conſiderable part of the purchaſe money, for either the meadow or plantation. For further particulars enquire of the ſubſcriber, PHILIP PRICE.

Kingſeſs, 5th mo. 19, 1787. 1awtf

RAN-AWAY this morning at 11 o'clock, from the ſubſcriber, an *Indented Negro LAD*, named *JACK*, who is about 19 years of age, and was born in Virginia. It is expected he will attempt the ſea, as he was *retaken* laſt year and brought from the capes of Delaware: he is ſhort and thick of ſtature; has a remarkably large mouth, is active, plauſible, and exceedingly deceitful: he had on a white linen ſhirt, a light coloured broadcloth coattee, a ſpotted yellow pluſh veſt, brown linen trowſers, good ſhoes with large metal buckles, and a caſtor hat; and took with him another hat, one ſtriped gingham veſt, one fuſtian and one pair of nankeen breeches, two other linen ſhirts, and a pair of boots, which were his uſual apparel; alſo, a violin, his own property; beſides, he ſtole and carried off, one large linen cloaths bag, one ſmall looking glaſs, a double milled cloth great coat, one black and one pair corduroy breeches, 3 or 4 fine linen ſhirts, one red camblet coat, one new bandano handkerchief, and an old blanket. He is ſuſpected of having a plenty of money, of another perſons, from the ſame bad cauſe, as ſeveral purchaſes he made have been diſcovered ſince his elopement. Whoever will apprehend this unprincipled Fellow, and reſtore him to me, ſhall have *FOUR DOLLARS REWARD* and reaſonable charges.

JOSEPH WHARTON.
Philadelphia, September 8.

Steemer, Albright & Lahn,

HAVING eſtabliſhed a *Weekly* GERMAN NEWSPAPER, at Lancaſter, which circulates through almoſt every part of Pennſylvania and Maryland (particularly through the interior parts of Pennſylvania) inform thoſe who wiſh to communicate intelligence reſpecting the ſale of houſes, lands, and other property, or any other kind of information, to the *Germans*, that Advertiſements are inſerted in the ſaid Paper, on the ſame terms as in the Philadelphia Papers—the tranſlation *gratis*. Application may be made to Mr. CHARLES CIST, Printer, in Race ſtreet, a few doors below Second ſtreet, Philadelphia, who will forward inſtructions for the above purpoſe.

They likewiſe perform all kinds of Printing Work in the Engliſh and German language, on moderate terms, with care and expedition: and conſtantly have for ſale, an aſſortment of Engliſh, German, French, Latin and other School-Books; Books of Entertainment; Blank-Books, and all kinds of Stationary.

N. B. They alſo keep a valuable *German* CIRCULATING LIBRARY.

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt.*

September 5 d

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY

Ben. Mason.

eptf

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality: Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

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Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has just Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a small parcel of

G O O D S,

Which he will sell very low for cash—they consist of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchester ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hose
Mens worsted Hose, some very fine
Ditto silk ditto
Yard wide Irish Linens, &c. &c. etf

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks, Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c &c.

Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart;

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

Now Landing at Race street wharf,

The CARGO of the ship Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Petersburg—Consisting of,

HEMP
Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, assorted Ravens duck
Russia sheeting——*And for sale by*

Haynes and Crawford,

Who have to dispose of,
Antigua rum and sugar
Irish linens
Irish beef
Cork sail cloth
Claret in cases of two and a half dozen, &c.
September 19 d

Nixon and Foster

Have for SALE a Parcel of

Muscovado Sugars

Of the first and second Quality, which they will dispose of on reasonable terms for cash or short credit.

September 19. co6w

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather. d Sept 5

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Chesnut streets, have Imported in the ships Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Vessels from Europe, and are now selling on exceedingly low terms for cash or short credit, a fine Assortment of

Seasonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, sattins and persians, black and coloured Barcelonia silk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano dit. velverets, corduroys and thicksets, printed velverets, superfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white shirting linens and sheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat assortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worsted hosiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

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Irish Linens,

Just arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Ross and *Vaughan.*

September 15 d

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,

A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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Peter Heissler

Has for sale, at his store in Second street, next door to Messrs. Wager & Habacker—A Quantity of excellent

GUNPOWDER;

Also, a few Spanish HIDES;—And

Rhenish Wine by the dozen or quartercask *Sept* 11 1aw7t

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality.

FOR SALE BY

Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,

In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,

Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Pickling Vinegar,

Of a very fine quality, and a variety of the best chosen

GROCERIES:

As sago, oatmeal, barley, spices, Malmsey, Frontiniac and Mountain wines, race ginger, soy, Cayenne pepper, ketchup, anchovies, capres, sallad oil, &c.

FOR SALE BY

John Dorsey.

Sept 4 3taw3w

Barclay, Brown, and Co.

Have imported in the last vessels from Ireland, and by the ship Harmony from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Water-street, three doors above Pine-street,

YARD-wide Irish Linen, assorted
Brown, half white and full bleached 7-8 wide ditto
A very elegant assortment of chintzes, printed muslins and lawns, and printed handkerchiefs, in small trunks, which will be sold by the trunk on very low terms.
They have also for Sale
Antigua rum
Sherry and Malaga wine
Pewter assorted in casks——and a variety of other goods

Philadelphia, September 18. 3awtf

American Porter

TO BE SOLD BY

Hare and Twells,

IN casks at 40s per barrel, and in bottles at 11s 3d per dozen (bottles included.)

Likewise OAT ALE, at the different prices of 35s and 25s per barrel in casks, and 8s 4d and 7s per doz. in bottles.

N. B. The bottles are received again at 3s per dozen. eo6t

A few beautiful Dining Setts of

Blue and White

C H I N A,

Congo Tea in Chests—And a Quantity of

C A S S I A,

Just imported from India, to be sold reasonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Just Imported in the ship Harmony, captain Willet, from London—A Quantity of

Well assorted Shot,

And for SALE by

Forbes and *Morris*;

Also, to be Rented, a compleat Compting-House—likewise a Store or two, if wanted. Apply as above.

September 15 mftu F. & M.

Thomas & Joseph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch street,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron
Nail rods, Sheet iron
Plough-share moulds, with and without bars
Large ten plate } STOVES
Small ditto } STOVES
Franklin and } STOVES
Rittenhouse } STOVES
Backs and jambs for chimnies
Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other castings
Jamaica spirit } by the hogshead
West-India and country rum } by the hogshead
Rice by the tierce
Indigo, Indian corn
Sugar and coffee

They will also deliver upon very reasonable terms, and on the shortest notice, at any wharf in this city,

Pipe, } Staves and Heading
Hogshead and } Staves and Heading
Barrel } Staves and Heading
Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

STORE,

In Third street, opposite Church alley——A fresh Assortment of

Muslins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glass, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Calcavella and Western Island Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf,

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BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for sometime past kept the Inn in Black Horse Alley: is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third street. He begs leave to solicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and assures those gentlemen who formerly frequented that house and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themselves and horses, shall be furnished in the best and most careful manner, and on the most reasonable terms 3tawtf.

For Grist Mills & other Water Works

On an extensive Plan,

One of the best situations in America is offered

FOR SALE,

Together With

Batsto Iron-Works,

At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the most healthy spots in New Jersey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours sail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the sea by the best inlet on the Jersey coast, is navigable for vessels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; those of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and scows, carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The usual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 shillings per ton. The furnace stream affords plenty of water, in the dryest season, for 3 or 4 pair of mill stones, besides supplying the iron works.——An excellent dam, which has been increasing in strength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well secured from the danger of freshes, and the works are scarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or back water, though the tide swells to the foot of the dam: mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are necessarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the same time illy adapted to the raising of grain for their support, there is, and must continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, shorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the conveniency of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more distant markets, will not be overlooked nor considered as of small importance, especially as there are few mill seats of any considerable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently supplied with superfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this seat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York with greater ease and convenience than to almost any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extensive lands annexed to it, is abundantly supplied with wood and ore, is now in blast, and is noted for producing the best hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of castings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron.

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the estate, and stands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine stream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been disused for the last two or three years, may want some repairs to prepare it for use; but the forebays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper spot for grist mills, may be appropriated to that use.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a small Grist Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly situated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the surrounding buildings belonging to the estate, such as barns, stables, coal houses, workshops, storehouses and dwellings for work men. Adjoining the mansion house is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well stored with chosen fruit trees: also a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, mostly grafted.

These excellent accommodations for extensive and profitable manufactories, are offered to sale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the ease of the purchaser, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the said Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomsbury, near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by assignment made over his Estate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the subscribers, as assignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Those having demands are requested to furnish their accounts; and all who are indebted, are earnestly desired to make speedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting assignee—Who has for sale on the most advantageous terms for cash, at James Wilson's store, Second, between Market and Arch streets, a general Assortment of seasonable DRY GOODS.

Rundle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Beaven.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8, 1787 3taw4w

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, surviving Partner of *Mease & Caldwell*, has made an assignment of his own, as well as all the estates, both real and personal, of the said Partnership, to *Robert Millegan*, esq; attorney at law, and the subscriber, for the use of their creditors——All persons indebted to the said Partnership, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are desired to settle their respective balances on or before the 1st of October next, otherwise suits will be commenced against them without further notice: also, those who have any demands against the said Partnership, are requested to furnish their accounts to the subscriber in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Assignee
to *Mease & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787 3taw1llO

A Wet Nurse.

A healthy Young Woman with a good breast of milk, of an unblemished character, and who can be well recommended, would engage on moderate terms. Enquire at the Buck in Chace, in Market-street. 2

Stop Thief!

LAST evening the Five following WHEELBARROW MEN knocked down their Keeper and made their escape, viz.

Thomas Knight, about 25 years of age, 6 feet high, a stout well made fellow, a little knock-kneed, brown hair, has a remarkable deceitful countenance, and born in England.

Casper Kirkssel, born in Germany, about 26 years of age, red hair, 5 feet 5 inches high, and knock-kneed

John O'Brian, about 25 years of age, born in Ireland, 5 feet 3 inches high, has several scars on his head, and dark hair.

Joseph Humfreys, born in East Jersey, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, dark hair, and slightly marked with the small pox.

James M'Gee, about 29 years of age, born in Ireland, 5 feet 7 inches high, sandy hair, pitted with the small pox, and has lately cut off a wart that was on his face, is particularly well known to almost every person that was in the Pennsylvania line during the war, in which he was a corporal.

Their hair is off, which is the most remarkable circumstance, as they will doubtless change their cloaths.

A Reward of *Ten Pounds* will be paid by the Sheriff or Gaoler of Philadelphia, for securing all of them, or in proportion for one or more of them.

Joseph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.
John Reynolds, gaoler.

Philadelphia September 21 5t

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market streets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on deposits or satisfactory security.

LIKEWISE,

Buys and Sells on Commission,

Bank Stock, Nicholson's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Steile's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper issued by Pennsylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,

A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, suitable for a country seat, or a person wishing to attend the market—Likewise, a *LOT* in Market street, a good stand for business

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THE SUBSCRIBER

Most respectfully acquaints the Public, that he has commenced the Business of a

Notary Public, Conveyancer & Broker,

And has also opened an *Office* for the purchase and sale of *Real Estates*. He flatters himself, that the utility of uniting those several branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours useful.

As the business of a *Broker* has in a great measure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchasing and selling of *Stock*, the subscriber has seen the inconveniencies which both citizens and strangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a considerable part of his present plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himself he shall prove a useful instrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to such foreigners and strangers as may have occasion for his services. He has therefore prepared himself for the receiving, buying and selling every kind of *Merchandize* on commission, for procuring freight for vessels, and hiring vessels on charter. He will also purchase and sell, on commission, bills of exchange, bank stock, and all kinds of public securities; in which several transactions his employers may implicitly rely on his best endeavours for their interests, on the most inviolable secrecy, and every possible dispatch.

Third-street, below } EDWARD FOX.
Market-street, June 2 } tutsimtltf

Edward Fox,

NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER & BROKER,

West side of Third street, the first House below Market-street.

BUYS and SELLS on Commission, every Kind of

Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,

Public Securities, Bank Stock,

And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States.

He procures Freight for Vessels,

And hires Vessels on Charter:

Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan:

Discounts Bills and Notes:

Purchases and Sells REAL ESTATES:

Draws all Kinds of Deeds, Protests, Charter Parties, and other Instruments of Writing.

By a punctual attendance on the several duties which he undertakes, and a scrupulous regard to the interests of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of those gentlemen who may from time to time have occasion for his services, in any or all of the above branches.

☞ Excellent Stores are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South side of Market-street, the third House East of Second-street, where Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition ——Subscribers to this Paper (in the city) are served with it at their Houses early every Morning, and those at a distance by the quickest Conveyance.

The Pennſylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiſer.

[Price Four-Pence.] WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1787. [No. 2696.]

Sales at Auction.

TO-MORROW,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 26 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

On Friday Morning next,

At 9 o'Clock, will be Sold by Public Vendue, at the ſoutheaſt Corner of Second and Cheſnut ſtreets—A Quantity of

New Furniture,

Warranted ſound and good (the Maker intending to remove to Pittſburgh) Conſiſting of,

PLAIN, claw feet and ornamented chairs of the neweſt pattern
Ditto tea tables of the neweſt faſhions
Circular and ſquare tea tables ditto
Plain and commode bureau tables
Dreſſing tables
Dining ditto large and ſmall

Alſo, a ſmall Quantity of the beſt ſeaſoned MAHOGANY. Sept. 5 tuwf

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

On Friday Next,

The 28th Inſtant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Preciſely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandize:

Among which are,

MANCHESTER chintzes and cottons of the firſt quality and patterns; Iriſh linens, white and brown, yard, 7 8 and 3 4 wide; a neat invoice of Scotch needle worked and plain lawn aprons and handkerchiefs; plain and ſtriped and croſs barred kentings, gauzes, lineaus and catguts; ſuperfine Iriſh linens, long lawns and cambricks; a few pieces beautiful ſattins and mantuas; plain, jaconet, ſtriped and croſs barred muſlins of different qualities; moreens, calimancoes, rattinets, ſhalloons, durants & tammies: garters and bindings; French, German and Engliſh cloths, coatings, &c. &c. *September* 25

To be SOLD,

On Wedneſday the ſeventh of November next, at the houſe of Adam Reigart, in the borough of Lancaſter: the ſale to begin at ten o'clock in the morning, and to continue from day to day until ſold—The following deſcribed

Mills, Plantations, Meſſuages,

And Lots of Ground,

Late the property of Matthias Slough.

One half the purchaſe money to be paid in ſix months, and the remainder in twelve months.

Nº 1. A ONE ſtory dwelling houſe and lot of ground, in the borough of Lancaſter, containing in front on Prince-ſtreet 64 feet 4 inches and an half, and in depth to a 14 feet alley 252 feet; bounded on the weſt by Prince ſtreet, on the north by a lot of Jaſper Yeates, Eſq; on the eaſt by the ſaid alley, and on the ſouth by a lot formerly of Roger Conner, ſubject to a ground rent of ſterling per annum.

Nº 2. A lot of ground in the ſaid borough, containing in Front on Vine-ſtreet 126 feet, and in depth 128 feet and 9 inches; bounded on the eaſt by lots of Ulrey Lambarder and John Plottenberger, northward by another lot of Matthias Slough, weſtward by a fourteen foot alley, and ſouthward by Vine-ſtreet aforeſaid.

Nº 3. A half lot of ground in the ſaid borough; bounded on the ſouth by the laſt above-mentioned lot, on the weſt by a fourteen foot alley, on the north by ground late of Henry Keppele, and on the eaſt by ground now or late of Michael Sponſaler, containing in breadth on the ſaid alley 64 feet 4 inches and an half, and in length or depth 122 feet and an half; on which is erected a large one ſtory limeſtone building, at preſent occupied as a ſchool houſe.

Nº 4. A tract of land ſituate in Lancaſter townſhip, adjoining Coneſtogoe Creek; containing 17 acres, 3 rods and 8 perches, about 6 acres whereof are moſt excellent meadow; on which tract of land is erected a large brick mill, with one pair of burr millſtones.

Nº 5. One lot of ground, called an out-lot, in the borough of Lancaſter; containing about 5 acres, adjoining the public road leading to the abovementioned mill, and lands of Michael Hubley; ſubject to a ground rent of 2l. 19s. 7d. ſterling per annum.

Nº 6. Two other out lots in the ſaid borough, containing 6 acres 3 quarters and 9 perches, adjoining the above mentioned mill tract, ſubject to a ground rent of 4l. 1s. 8d. ſterling per annum.

Nº 7. One tract of land ſituate in Lancaſter townſhip, adjoining Coneſtogoe Creek; containing 3 acres and a quarter, on which is erected a large limeſtone merchant mill, with two pair of burr millſtones.

Nº 8. One other tract of land, containing 50 acres, adjoining the above-mentioned mill tract, on which is built a large barn and ſtill houſe.

Nº 9. One piece of land and water, ſituate in Lancaſter and Lampeter townſhip, containing 4 acres and a quarter, called Slough's Pond; Coneſtogoe Creek runs through this tract.

Nº 10. A lot of 16 acres, for which there is no title; Mr. Slough holds it on ſufferance: it is ſubject to a rent of 12s. 6d. per acre, Pennſylvania currency, per annum.

Nº 11. A tract of 90 acres of land, ſituate in Lampeter townſhip, adjoining Coneſtogoe Creek, 20 acres whereof are cleared; the remainder is well ſtocked with timber.

Nº 12. A tract of 311 acres, adjoining the company lands at Martick Forge. One other tract, containing 199 acres, adjoining the ſaid company lands.

And one other tract containing 200 acres, adjoining the company's lands, on which is built a large ſtone barn and ſtables, and a quantity of good meadow.

Alſo Mr. Slough's ſhare of Martick's forge, ſlitting mill, ſaw mill, and lands thereto belonging.

Richard Footman	Joſeph Hubley	Aſſignees
Caleb Foulke	Robert Coleman	
James Abercrombie	Alexander Lowry	
Owen Jones, jun.	Sebaſtian Graaf	

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Philadelphia, Sept. 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to be directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, at Joſeph Grover's tavern, at the ſign of the King of Pruſſia, in Germantown, on Saturday the 29th inſtant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a large two ſtory Stone Houſe, and Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate, lying and being in Germantown and county of Philadelphia; containing 26 acres, 15 perches and 11 feet; bounded by lands of Paul Krepner, Logan, Baltzer Traut, John Frederick Ax, Jacob Traut, and by Germantown Main-ſtreet, and a lane or croſs-ſtreet, which makes it very convenient for public buſineſs. Taken in execution as late the eſtate of Jeremiah Traut, deceaſed, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-Houſe,* in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wedneſday* the 17th day of October next, at ſix o'clock in the Evening,

(If not previouſly diſpoſed of at private ſale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore,* eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream, called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill, in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw-mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any perſon inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premiſes before the day of ſale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. *Sept* 17 eptf

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Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be expoſed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thurſday the 29th of November next, at the Court-Houſe in Harford county, ſtate of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilſon and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-houſe, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a ſmall expence by ſeveral ſprings, and a conſiderable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewiſe flows through a part of it, on which is a mill ſeat. There is on each farm a good brick houſe, with barn, ſtables, &c. a large orchard ſtocked with the beſt fruit, and a large garden paled in. The ſituation is high and healthy, the ſoil good for either farming or grazing; they are convenient to ſeveral merchant mills, where there is a conſtant market for all kinds of grain.

Thoſe who wiſh to view the land, on application to Meſſ. Aſhton and Waters, the preſent tenants, will be ſhewn it. Poſſeſſion will be given the 1ſt of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be eaſy to the purchaſer, and will be made known on the day of ſale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia,*

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by your ſuffrages at the laſt Election, in placing me on the return with the preſent Sheriff; a continuance of your favours at the enſuing election will be gratefully acknowledged, by

Your obliged Friend,
And Humble Servant,

James Aſh.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 7, 1787. w&itf

To the Freeholders and other electors for the City and County of Philadelphia;

Gentlemen,

I Earneſtly ſolicit your Votes at the next election, to place me on the return for the Sheriff's Office, which will be gratefully acknowledged by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble ſervant,

William Pollard.

Sept. 20, 1787. wfwſtu

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors,* for the City and County of *Philadelphia,*

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by a reſpectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to requeſt the Favour of your Votes at the enſuing Election, to place me on the Return with the preſent Sheriff, as I mean to offer myſelf a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpoſe, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble Servant,

Samuel Caldwell.

Philadelphia, September 21, 1787. dtf

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs,* from Liverpool, A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, women's cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh,* at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY,
John Willett, Maſter;

FOR freight or paſſage apply to the Commander on board at Meaſe's wharf, or to
Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Maſter;

Now laying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf; will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the ſaid Maſter, Thomas Penroſe, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

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For Frederickſburg,

The Schooner
FREDERICKSBURG PACKET,
Captain *Chipman Bangs,*

WILL ſail in a few days. For freight or paſſage apply to the Captain on board at Arch ſtreet wharf, or to KUHN & RISBERG,

Who have for ſale 160 barrels roſin, and 40 barrels ſpirits of turpentine, and have juſt received by ſaid ſchooner a few hogſheads excellent tobacco. Sept 22 4

For Boſton,

The Sloop BAUSTO,
DANIEL NEWMAN, Maſter;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or to Meſſrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon,* at their ſtore at the head of the wharf.
September 17 d

For Charleſton,

The Brig *PHOEBE,*
John Drinker, Maſter;

NOW laying at Meſſrs. James & John Cox's wharf, will ſail on Thurſday the 4th October. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or
KEELEY & JENKINS,

Who have for ſale at their ſtore in Water ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, Madeira, Sherry, Liſbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines, Jamaica ſpirits, Weſt India and New England rum, coffee and ſugars, hyſon and bohea tea, a quantity of Madeira Walnuts, &c. September 22 dt40

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to
July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For Charter,

The French Ship L'OISEAU,
J. MENO, Maſter,
For any part of the Mediterranean;

Now laying at Luffer's Wharf, New-York: ſhe is a very faſt ſailer, and well found, burthen about 240 hogſheads of tobacco. Apply to Mr. R. J. Thebaut, on board ſaid ſhip, or to JAMES VANUXEM,
In Water-ſtreet, below Market-ſtreet.
September 20. 6ſp

Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.

THE Partnerſhip of *Head* and *Sanſom,* being this day diſſolved, all perſons having any demands againſt them, are deſired to bring their accounts either to *John Head,* junr. at the ſtore lately occupied by *Head & Sanſom,* or to *William Sanſom,* at his ſtore in the ſame ſtreet, three doors below Arch ſtreet, where they will receive payment; and all thoſe indebted to them ſix months, are earneſtly requeſted to make payment at either of the abovementioned places. 3ſp. w&ſ3w

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TO BE SOLD,

THE noted TAVERN in Walnut ſtreet, near Front ſtreet, known by the name of the *George* and *Dragon.* Enquire of
w&ſtf Sept 5 JOSEPH PRICE.

TO BE SOLD,

A Commodious Store and Lot of Ground, in Second-ſtreet, oppoſite the New-Market, and clear of incumbrances. For particulars enquire of JOHN PALMER, Junr. wſtf

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FOR SALE,

A Fine, ſtout family BAY; he is remarkably gentle, goes well in chair or ſaddle, he is ſeven years old, and warranted ſound, and will be ſold cheap. To be ſeen at Mr. Denniſon's ſtable No. 1. Moravian-alley.

For Sale,

A Pair of Excellent

Bright Bay Horſes,

With or without a very Good *PHÆTON.* Enquire of the ſubſcriber, in Fifth, 2 doors above Arch-ſtreet.
Sept. 13 eotf WILLIAM DAVIDSON.

TO BE SOLD.

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL, who has two years and 4 months to ſerve: ſhe is a hearty, ſtrong, induſtrious girl, and would ſuit for either town or country: ſhe is ſold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.
Auguſt 30 eotf

FOR SALE,

A Valuable, young Bay Horſe, good for ſaddle or chaiſe, well marked and of a good ſize. Enquire at the Croſs Keys or Harp and Crown, Third ſtreet, 9th mo. 12

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of *JOHN HOOD,* Merchant, in Front ſtreet, late deceaſed, are requeſted to make immediate payment; and thoſe who have demands againſt ſaid eſtate, are deſired to bring in their claims properly atteſted.

The remaining STOCK on hand, conſiſting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be ſold very low for Caſh.

Alſo—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet,* burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be ſeen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for ſale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*
Philadelphia, Auguſt 15, 1787. eptf

Juſt PUBLISHED, Sold by

Thomas Dobſon,

In Second ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Market ſtreets,

MOORE's FABLES for the Ladies, with Dr. *Langhorne's* FABLES of FLORA, in a neat, ſmall pocket vol. beautifully printed on a fine writing paper and new type, handſomely bound and lettered, *Price* 3/9

1. Memoirs of the American academy of arts and ſciences, vol. 1ſt, large 4to. with ſix copperplates *Price* 25ſ.
2. The beauties of hiſtory, or pictures of virtue and vice drawn from real life; deſigned, and admirably calculated for the inſtruction and entertainment of youth, 2 vols. 15ſ.
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9. Scott's leſſons in elocution, or a ſelection of pieces in proſe and verſe, for the improvement of youth in reading and ſpeaking, as well as for the peruſal of perſons of taſte, 6ſ.

The diſtinguiſhed preference which this book has obtained, both as a collection for ſchools, and a valuable book for private improvement, is a ſufficient teſtimony of its ſuperior merit. This fourth edition, now preſented to the Public, is ſtill farther improved: the compiler having brought it to its preſent improved ſtate, has determined to let it remain ſo, to prevent the inconveniencies of too frequent variations.

N. B. A few copies of the third edition are ſtill on hand, for the uſe of thoſe ſchools where it is introduced.

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INTRODUCTION TO THE Hiſtory of America.

(To which is prefixed a Map of the United States)

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The hiſtory of Columbus.
An account of the diſcovery and ſettlement of North-America.
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Hiſtory of the American war.
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Account of ſome of the natural curioſities in America.
Chronological table of the moſt remarkable events in America.
Alſo including the Plan of the Federal Government, &c. paſſed by the Convention at Philadelphia September 17, 1787.

Alſo Publiſhed,

Father Tammany's Almanack,

For the year 1788. ſmw2w

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THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennſylvania:

Being the epiſtolary correſpondence between Mehemet, the *ſecret deputy* from the ſublime Porte, reſident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the ſentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the cloſe of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully diſplayed.

The whole tranſlated from the original Arabic manuſcript. By *S. T. P.*

*** *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous cuſtomers, that he has, juſt arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Aſſortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

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To be Sold for Paper Money,

THE HOUSE in which I live, and the STORES adjoining, ſituate in Penn and Water ſtreets, between Lombard and South ſtreets.
July 18 w&ſ JOHN ANGUS.

The SUBSCRIBER

Begs leave to inform the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has Opened a

Boot and Shoe Manufactory,

In Front ſtreet, between Market and Cheſnut ſtreets, two doors from Cheſnut ſtreet, on the Bank ſide.

Where he intends to carry on buſineſs in that line in the moſt regular manner in its various branches, and means to ſell on as reaſonable terms as any in the city, according to the quality of the work.

Ladies and Gentlemen who would be ſo kind as to favour him with their cuſtom, by leaving their meaſure may depend on having their work done in the neateſt and beſt Manner, and according to their directions, with quick diſpatch.

And for the conveniency of thoſe who want to buy ready made work, there is a good aſſortment of different qualities. ALEXANDER M'ARTHUR.

N. B. Thoſe who favour him with orders from the country, may depend on being ſerved at ſaid Manufactory on reaſonable terms, with the utmoſt punctuality. All Goods bought at ſaid Manufactory repaired on reaſonable terms. Auguſt 7 w&itf

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Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES,* the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

SUMMER'S FAREWELL.

AN ODE.

TO Summer's ſweets I bid farewell!
To the, O warbling Philomel,
To all the lovely winged tribe,
Which in thy regions now reſide,
I bid adieu! adieu ye flow'rs,
Ye mild, ye placid, gentle ſhow'rs;
Farewell ye ſkies of azure blue,
Ye trills of birds, adieu! adieu.

To lovely meads, to cloud-capt hills,
To murm'ring brooks, to purling rills,
To gentle ſtreams, to rural bow'rs,
To groves with their attractive pow'rs,
I bid adieu! adieu ye vales,
Ye fragrant, ſpicy, zeph'rous gales;
Farewell ye banks of verdant hue,
Ye woods, ye fields, adieu! adieu.

To ſcaly tribes, to ſpangled ſcenes,
To cool retreats, to ſylvan themes,
To lowing kine, to bleating flocks,
To mountains of romantic rocks,
I bid adieu! adieu ye plains,
Ye woodland nymphs, ye rural ſwains;
Farewell ye drops of pearly dew,
Ye pleaſing ſhades, adieu! adieu!

To ſpreading tents, to humble cots,
To pebbled ſhores, to ſhelly grots,
To ſoothing ſtrains, to dying lays,
To nature's mild and gentle rays,
I bid adieu! adieu ye lawns,
Ye tender kids, ye ſportive fawns,
Farewell ye tints which gild the view,
Ye orient beams, adieu! adieu.

ANECDOTE.

A YOUNG man being lately brought before the court of Oyer and Terminer, to be diſcharged, as the witneſſes did not appear to ſupport a criminal proſecution againſt him, being aſked by the chief juſtice,—If we let you go, will you grow honeſt, and quit the ſtate? He anſwered, that *he would quit the ſtate*—but will you grow honeſt? repeated the judge——*I don't know—but I'll try*, rejoined the priſoner.

Four Dollars Reward.

LOST laſt night between the State-Houſe and New-market, a black leather POCKET-BOOK, containing between eleven and twelve pounds paper money of the late emiſſion, with ſome other papers, that are of no conſequence to any perſon but the owner. Whoever has found the ſame, and returns them to the Printers hereof, ſhall have the above reward.

Low-priced Iriſh Linens.

A few Packages juſt imported in the Dublin Packet, Capt. Alcorn, from Dublin,

FOR SALE BY

CURTIS CLAY,

In Market-ſtreet, near Second-ſtreet.
He has alſo received by the Pigou and Harmony, from London,

BROWN Ruſſia ſheetings (by the piece or package)
White ditto
Brown ſileſias, dowlas, drillings, Oſnaburgh
Printed cottons and callicoes
Printed handkerchiefs
Book muſlins, book muſlin handkerchiefs
Beſt ſpotted and flowered bandanoes
Pulicat and lungee romalls
India perſians, buff and white caſſimers
Black ſattinets and florentines
White buckrams, white, red and ſcarlet flannels
With a variety of other articles. cotf

TO BE SOLD BY

Gideon Malin,

At his Nurſery in the townſhip of Upper Providence, Cheſter county, within 15 miles of Philadelphia, 8 of Derby, and 7 of Cheſter, a large

Quantity of Apple Trees,

Of the beſt grafted fruit, of different ſorts, ſuch as Maſter's flat pippen, white vandivur, houſe apple, pinnock ditto, Crozon ditto, Prieſtly ditto, Collet ditto, early ſummer green, and divers other kinds, at one ſhilling and ſixpence per tree. The ſubſcriber can furniſh any perſons from hundreds to thouſands, and deliver them 15 miles diſtance from ſaid nurſery.

N. B. The above deſcribed trees are of a fine ſize for planting this ſeaſon, and as thriving as any in the ſtate of Pennſylvania. Orders left with James Malin, at the corner of Third and Plumb ſtreets, in the diſtrict of Southwark, will be immediately complied with.

September 21.

DOCTOR *HILL*'s

American Balſam,

IS to be ſold in Philadelphia, by Mr. *William Poyntell*, at his ſtore the corner of Black-Horſe alley, in Second ſtreet, alſo by Mr. *George Reinholt*, in Market ſtreet, the ſecond door above Fifth ſtreet; by Mr. *Steiner*, at the German Printing-office in Race ſtreet; at Germantown by Mr *Juſtus Fox*: at Lancaſter by *Ludwick Lowman*, eſquire; at New-York by *Hugh Gaine*, and by the ſubſcriber at her place in Blockley, price 6/6 per bottle, and by the dozen 6/. a bottle.

This *Balſam* is now upwards of 20 years ſo well known in America, that it is a moſt effectual and infallible medicine for colds, coughs and aſthmas; it gives great relief in the moſt painful rheumatiſm in cholics, gravel and conſumption; it is a moſt excellent cure in the whooping cough, and in moſt all the diſorders and ſickneſſes in children, and for many other diſeaſes, as may be ſeen in the printed directions in Engliſh and German on each bottle. In old diſeaſes of long ſtanding it will be neceſſary to continue the uſe of this healing medicine for a reaſonable time, by more than one ſingle bottle, and then they may expect relief from this, as thouſands of people can teſtify, who have tried other things without ſucceſs: there are indeed ſeveral balſams and preparations of medicine which gives, ſometimes preſent relief for a ſhort time in many diſorders, but ſoon after returns more furious than before, but this *American Balſam* performed perfect and effectual cures; its fame is ſpread moſt every where; it is almoſt inconceivable to hear what ſurpriſing cures this *Balſam* has performed with people who have tried and experienced its wonderful effects: each bottle is ſealed up with the repreſentation of a certain plant in a heart, and if any balſam under this name ſhould be ſold in any place not mentioned in my advertiſements, the Public may be aſſured it is not Dr. *Hill*'s Balſam, but counterfeit, becauſe no other perſon is able to prepare the genuine Balſam, for want of the principal ingredients of which Dr. *Hill*'s American Balſam is compoſed.

Since the former proprietors are deceaſed, both *William Young*, junior and ſenior, the preſent is a ſiſter to *William Young*, jun. botoniſt.

Sept. 25 *CHRISTIANA LEECH.*

Public NOTICE is hereby given

To the FREEMEN *of the City and County of Philadelphia,*

THAT a GENERAL ELECTION is to be held for the city and county aforeſaid, on Tueſday the 9th day of October next, at the State-Houſe, in the city of Philadelphia, where the freemen of the diſtrict of Southwark and of the townſhips of the Northern-Liberties, Moyamenſing, Paſſyung, Blockley and Kingſeſſing, are alſo to hold their elections. The freemen of the townſhips of Germantown, Roxborough and Briſtol are to hold their election at the Union School-houſe in Germantown, and the freemen of the other townſhips in the ſaid county are to hold their elections at the houſe of John Barnefly, in Buſtletown, in the townſhip of Lower Dublin; the judges, inſpectors, &c. for the preſent year to be choſen according to the directions of the late act to regulate the general elections; and the returns to be made as uſual. The election to be opened between the hours of ten o'clock in the morning and one in the afternoon; at which places the electors of the city and county are to chuſe

Two perſons for ſheriffs,
Two for coroners,
One commiſſioner for the county,
Five repreſentatives for the city, and
Five repreſentatives for the county, in general aſſembly.
Two commiſſioners for the ſtreets, and
Two wardens.

And the conſtables of the city and county are required to hold their elections in their reſpective wards and townſhips on Saturday the 6th day of October next, to elect townſhip and ward aſſeſſors and inſpectors, to attend at the ſaid general election, at the State-Houſe aforeſaid.

Joſeph Cowperthwait, *Sheriff.*

Philadelphia, September 24, 1787.

Wharton and Lewis

Have for SALE at their Store in Water-ſtreet, Between Walnut-ſtreet and the Drawbridge,

SHERRY and Teneriffe Wines
Antigua and Grenada Rum
Old Coniac Brandy
And an aſſortment of WOOLENS in Bales.

N. B. They continue to keep an office for the Inſurance of Shipping. 1awtf

THE partnerſhip of *Wynkoop* and *Siemen* being by the late death of Henry Wynkoop diſſolved: the ſubſcriber, as ſurviving partner, requeſts all thoſe indebted to the ſaid concern to render payment to him as ſpeedily as poſſible; and thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſame to apply for payment.

PAUL SIEMEN,

At the late ſtore of Wynkoop and Siemen, in Front-ſtreet.

Philadelphia, September 25 eet

Imported in the ſhip Dublin Packet juſt arrived from Dublin, and to be SOLD by

Conyngham, Neſbitt & Co.

At their Store in Front-ſtreet, below Walnut ſtreet,

YARD and 7-8 wide white Iriſh linens, brown 9-8 ſheetings and Drogheda linens

They have alſo for SALE

Printed cottons and linens, chintzes, 7-4, 8-4 and 9-4 diapers, fine tablecloths and napkins in ſets; with ſundry other dry goods. Alſo fine old Madeira Wines, Claret in boxes, old Coniac Brandy, and a few freſh Nutmegs——all which they will ſell on the moſt reaſonable terms.

Sept. 26. 3wf

This Day is Publiſhed, Sold by

Thomas Dobſon,

In Second-ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Market ſtreets,

THE

Magic of Art and Nature:
Or, Alphonſo and Dalinda,

A MORAL TALE.

Tranſlated from the French.—In one Volume, neatly bound and lettered, Price Five Shillings.

"It is not by walking in our cultivated fields, it is not in riding poſt through any habitable country, that the great varieties and effects of nature may be known, but in tranſporting one's ſelf from the burning ſands of the Torrid Zone to the icy mountains of the Poles."

BUFFON.

Likewiſe in the Preſs, and ſpeedily will be publiſhed by T. DOBSON,

Sacred Dramas and other Poems,

By Miſs HANNAH MORE.

T. DOBSON alſo has for ſale a very large and valuable collection of Books, in the ſeveral branches of literature, many of which are in the moſt elegant bindings; and an extenſive aſſortment of Stationary, writing paper of various kinds, blank books, ruled and plain, of various kinds and ſizes, quills, ſealing wax, common and office wafers, fine black liquid ink, ink powder, ſand boxes, &c. &c. &c. wholeſale and retail.

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On Friday the 5th day of October next, preciſely at twelve o'clock, at the Southwark Auction-Store, will be SOLD for ſpecie,

SIX Frame Tenements and Lot

or Piece of Ground, ſituate on the eaſt ſide of Third-ſtreet, between South and Shippen-ſtreets, in the diſtrict of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia; containing in breadth on Third-ſtreet 29 feet 4 inches, on the tail of it 34 feet 10 inches, more or leſs; and in length 100 feet; bounded weſtward by Third-ſtreet, northward by ground of John Hood, eaſtward by ground of John Robinſon, and ſouthward by ground of Nathaniel Richards; ſubject to a yearly ground rent of eighteen pounds, lawful ſilver money of Pennſylvania.

The conditions of ſale are—One-fourth to be paid in hand; one-fourth in ſix months; one-fourth in nine months, and one-fourth in twelve months, with intereſt from the day of ſale. When the whole of the purchaſe money is paid, a title will be given.

John Meaſe, *Auctioneer.*

September 22. 2w2w

To be Sold or Let,

And may be entered upon immediately,

A HOUSE and TANYARD,

&c. near this city, beautifully ſituated, being in good repair, and in an excellent ſtand for buſineſs — A quantity of BARK may alſo be had on the premiſes. Enquire of the printers of this paper. 3tp

Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut-ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes,

New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23. dtf

Foreign Intelligence.

LONDON.

"The Dutch boaſt of their liberty, and you will hear ſome of their politicians talk loudly of the inferiority of Britiſh freedom; but without mentioning the *torture*, which they ſtill allow—let any one read a late proclamation in that country, menacing all thoſe who ſhall wear an orange ribbon with *inſtant death*, and then find out if he can, the boaſted liberties of Holland. *John Bull* ought to be content, for he, in fact, lives in the only free country in the world.

"The Dutch ſeem to forget that it is to the great anceſtor of the preſent ſtadtholder, the firſt William, prince of Orange, to whom they owe their freedom—but they have ever been a people little remarkable for gratitude. This prince who commanded the forces of the ſeven provinces againſt the Spaniſh army, headed by the duke of Alva, was attempted to be murdered at the inſtigation of Philip the ſecond, at the price of eighty thouſand ducats.——The perpetration of the deed was undertaken by John Jauſegui, a ſuperſtitious Biſcayan, who after having received abſolution of his ſins from one Timmerman, a prieſt, ſet out for Nimeguen Caſtle, and having taken his ſtation near the door of the apartment in which the prince had dined, he watched the opportunity of his coming out, when ſtepping up to him, he diſcharged a piſtol at his head, loaded with a ſingle ball. The ball entered a little beneath his right ear, and paſſing under his palate and upper teeth, came out on the other ſide. William was deprived for a moment of his ſenſes, which he no ſooner recovered than he deſired his attendants to ſave the life of the aſſaſſin—but the guards tranſported with ſudden rage, had diſpatched him. He afterwards recovered, and lived to route the Spaniards out of his country."

THE Engliſh paragraph writers ſeeing their faction with the prince ſtadtholder in the ſeven united provinces totally annihilated, appear in their papers to reaſon like men who are quite diſappointed, as they plainly perceive they are defeated by French politics in the Netherlands, and ſee no means to prevent the alliance between thoſe naval powers, with the eſtabliſhment of liberty in Holland, by aboliſhing the ſtadtholderſhip, and ſetting it again on a permanent foundation, built upon the old conſtitution, freed from the abuſes, and amended where it is found deficient; they now find it impoſſible to ſuſtain a war through want of the Holland *real money*, which ſet their paper in England a going, and without which they cannot complete a negociation: they are like a man who fails in the ſtrength of his nerves, and content themſelves with abuſing a nation whoſe real freedom is proved in fact, by compariſon with their boaſted liberty: for inſtance, a poor man deſtitute of all conveniencies of life, is in the Netherlands as free, as the preſident of the ſtates, or a burgomaſter or counſellor in a town, and this in time of war the ſame as in peace, and may walk every where, without any danger of being in the leaſt moleſted; whereas in England in war time, the king gives orders to preſs, and ſeveral men, foreigners and patricians without diſtinction, are taken up, carried on board of veſſels, where frequently neither their relations, wiſe nor children hear of them—If this is liberty! God preſerve the republics of Netherland as well as of America, from ſuch liberty. They fondly miſrepreſent the uſe of the torture, which as done in Holland, is a thing only made uſe of from principles of humanity, for they value the life of a fellow creature much more, than on the ſeabeaten ſhore, where the ſavages of Europe reſide. For if by the evidences which are againſt a criminal they give ſentence to death, then and then only in the Netherlands with the ſame evidences, they bring the criminal to the torture, to hear by himſelf, and from the circumſtances which he relates, if he be really guilty of what he is accuſed and convicted of, or not—this is the reaſon that we find never there, a perſon puniſhed with death, if he is not ſurely found guilty; for the maxim in the Netherlands is, and is with golden letters written in every council-room, '*Rather ſet thouſand criminals free, than let one innocent perſon ſuffer.*' The difference in the number of executions in the two countries is ſo amazing, that nobody upon a ſlight view would mention it, for it would be incredible, even for a man acquainted with both countries; this ſo far is fact, that there has in the great and populous city of Amſterdam, elapſed ſeven years together, when not one perſon was executed. Further, he muſt be a man very little verſed in hiſtory, who aſſerts that the Netherlanders owe their liberty to the firſt William, prince of Orange, as there were ſeveral at that time, when danger drew near, from the approaching army ſent by Philip the ſecond, commanded by the duke d'Alba who ſuffered death, and others were deprived of all their property, when at the ſame time prince William took his own paſſport under his heels, and fled as faſt as was poſſible for him to Germany, to ſave his life and property. His death, it is true, delivered the republic from arbitrary power, which he undoubtedly aimed at, and therefore the Netherlanders ſay at this time ironically, tho' very properly, that he of all the princes died for the preſervation of their liberty—Thus, how falſe the charge of ingratitude, and the more ſo by king-murderers—But it is endleſs to anſwer ſuch men, who always talk and boaſt of liberty, and would if they had the power, oppreſs and tyrannize over every other nation, and through jealouſy in trade and commerce, abuſe thoſe whom they at this time are not able to oppoſe by force, while they plainly conceive, that the European powers communicatively are determined, and forcibly bent upon it, to make their colours reſpected at ſea as much as they were before thoſe proud iſlanders exiſted; they will ſuffer on this globe no king of the ocean, but that the waters for the inhabitants of the earth be as free, as the air and the light.

AMERICA.

AUGUSTA, Auguſt 18.

At a General Meeting of the King, Chiefs, and Warriors of the Chickeſaw Nation, in anſwer to a talk they received from William Davenport, *Eſq; Agent for this State. Received by the Executive on the* 14*th ult.*

KING's TALK.

Brothers,

WE have talked together ſeveral times, and you have informed me the day would ſoon come when our nation would be ſupplied with goods from your land, but we have not ſeen them yet.

Now you tell us the reaſon is, that the Creeks have been croſs and ſtopped up the path, which I fear will always be the caſe; and as we may not be diſappointed any longer, we give you a piece of land on the Bluff, where you may bring your goods, and the Creeks not trouble them. Generally when the red people talk to the white ones, they receive preſents, but we have heard and received a great many talks and get nothing with them; for my nation has never received a gun from your people yet to kill them a deer. Piominge ha talked ſeveral times to your beloved people, and they have promiſed him great ſupplies for the nation, and their not coming, makes him aſhamed when he ſpeaks to his warriors, as they tell him his talks has made them poor. If you mean to call us your red people, we ſhould be glad to have commiſſions, metals, and collars, as we might have all one talk, and be one people.

HOLACKTANATLEY's TALK.

My uncle Piamataha, was a man, who formerly talked to white people, and kept peace in his land. And as he is dead, I give you my talk in his room, as all my warriors are by, and I have counſelled them. Therefore deſire, if you are our friends, to ſupply the nation as ſoon as poſſible with ammunition, that we may defend our land againſt our enemies, who are daily threatening us. This is the firſt time I have ever talked, and I am in hopes you will ſupply us, that we may no longer ſuffer.

PICMING's TALK.

I have talked ſeveral times to your beloved men, and have not forgot their talk, though they have forgot mine I fear, as they have not complied with them; which makes me aſhamed, as my warriors tell me they have truſted to my talks, and have got poor; but to this talk I hope you'll give an immediate anſwer, and the goods will then come. We do not want your goods for nothing, but wiſh to pay you for them as we did before, which was the ſaving of our land.

The Cherokees have got croſs with us, and ſent bad talks to our land; if we had ammunition we would go to war with them. When our enemies formerly killed any of us, they uſed to ſay they got a good knife with our hair, but if they were to kill any of us now, they would get a very poor one.—But hope it will not be the caſe long.

The GOVERNOR's TALK.

To the Headmen and Warriors of the Chickeſaw Nation.

Friends and Brothers,

BY your beloved man Mingo, a Tuſkey, one of your Warriors, we received your talks to our beloved man, William Davenport, and we the Great Council Fire are happy to find you are diſpoſed for peace. We now embrace the opportunity of Mingo, a Tuſkey's return, to acquaint you that we ſhall always wiſh to keep the path ſmooth, and the chain bright between us, the Great Maſter of Breath made us all for this purpoſe, and we are determined to continue as friends and brothers.

We have ſmoaked the friendly pipe with our brother Mingo, a Tuſkey in the Great Council, and he goes back ſatisfied, with preſents to your two Headmen, who he ſays are above him. We have given him and his ſon preſents alſo: this we do brothers, to ſhew your we are rich and ſtrong, and are willing to impart our riches to you, becauſe we are and ought to be all brothers of one common father.

In your talks you mention that we often promiſed you goods, but never complied: This, brothers, has not been our faults; it has been owing to the Creek Indians being between you and us—but it will now be better, and as the path is ſtraight and ſmooth between us, we have no objection to your people coming in among us as friends and brothers, we ſhall ſalute you with a friendly ſhake by the hand, and ſmoke your pipe.

Should any people give you any bad talks againſt us, you muſt not believe them, and we do not wiſh you to believe any thing, but what comes from ourſelves.

As ſoon as our traders can go among you with ſafety, you will be ſupplied with goods on friendly terms; this, brothers, will tie us ſtill faſter with the ſtrong chain. We ſend your warrior, Mingo, a Tuſkey, one of our people to your line, in order that he may go ſafe to you, and give you this talk.

Now, brothers attend, we do not mean to deceive you, we wiſh to live in peace together with you, we will then ſmoke our pipe in friendſhip, and all take hold of each others hands as brothers and friends; ſhould any diſpute ariſe in future it will be your faults.

Brothers farewell. The great man Mingo, a Tuſkey, will tell you all how much we are inclined to reſpect you—he has drank the red rum out of our cup, and has eat of our corn, and in return we have ſmoked of his pipe. This, brothers, is the way we ſhould treat you all, becauſe we never treat our friends ill, we are commanded to do ſo by the great Father of the ſun. Farewell.

A letter from T. Barnard, Commiſſary for this ſtate in the Creek nation, mentions that a party of Creeks were embodying themſelves, with an intention to deſtroy the ſettlement at Cumberland, in the weſtern country.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 26.

The conduct and character of the French nation ſeem to have undergone a very important revolution within the laſt twenty years. In their military department, we find them directing their attention to a naval in preference to a land force: in the civil affairs of the nation, a ſovereign hitherto deſpotic, has deigned to conſult an aſſembly of his people upon the adminiſtration of government, while he generouſly ſupports the ſtandard of liberty wherever it is erected in foreign countries; and in the buſineſs of religion, that ſource, which, poiſoned by a miſguided zeal, produced her greateſt crimes and calamities, France has embraced the liberal doctrines of univerſal toleration.

The cloud which gathers in the European hemiſphere ſerves as a foil to ſet off the luſtre of the proſpect that opens upon America. While the ancient eſtabliſhments of the world are rent with civil diſcord and national contention, this infant empire deliberately examines her preſent wants and weakneſs, in order to provide for her future ſtrength and glory. Thus the dotage of our parent continent is ſtained with wild ambition and phantaſtic pride, while the vigorous youth of the confederated ſtates expands under the influence of reaſon and philoſophy.

We are informed that the conſtitution propoſed by the late federal convention promiſes to be highly popular with the citizens in New-York; and that the diſtinguiſhed perſon from whom an oppoſition was predicted has expreſſed himſelf in terms favorably to the plan. Perhaps there never was a ſubject indeed upon which men were more unanimous, for even thoſe who cavil at the ſyſtem itſelf are impreſſed with the neceſſity of adopting it.

We are informed, that the two captains who belong to the French squadron, and were upon a visit to this city, received a letter from their admiral, in which he mentions the impossibility of waiting for their return to Boston, and recommends it to them to proceed to some port in France, as the destination of the fleet was at present a perfect secret.

Captain Thomson, of the schooner Adams, belonging to Marblehead, on the 20th of August fell in with a ship, to appearance 350 tuns burthen, laden with cedar and cane poles: he obtained out of her shrouds, running rigging, an anchor, &c.

On Friday last was married Mr. Thomas Lea, of this city, merchant, to Miss S. Shippen, daughter of the Hon. Edward Shippen, Esq; president of the court of common pleas, &c.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

SATURDAY, September 22.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

On motion of Mr. Whitehill the bill for continuing the act for repairing the highways, &c. was taken up for a second reading, and on the question, shall it be printed for public consideration? Mr. Logan objected, that it is now too late in the sessions to mature this bill into a law, and therefore it ought to lie over in its present stage, which would probably recommend it to the immediate attention of the succeeding house. If indeed, the duration of this sessions was not so circumscribed, the bill is of an important public nature, and must be carried through all the dilatory forms prescribed by the constitution, since no pressing necessity urged its being hastily enacted. The regulation of the public roads is certainly a measure deserving the legislative attention, and the experience of travellers in every quarter of the state must point out the insufficiency of the existing plan, which it was the object of the present bill to perpetuate. Let us then be content to leave upon our records some evidence that we were aware of the propriety of systemizing this branch of our national police, and submit it to the wisdom of our successors, to devise a comprehensive and efficient plan, instead of the partial and inadequate arrangements of the bill before us. The gentlemen who anxiously introduces this measure, has indeed with equal solicitude opposed every attempt which could in the opinion of some members render our public roads extensively and permanently commodious—and as it is from the next, and not from the present representation of the people, that we can hope for a satisfactory reform, there is every reason to forbear the publication of this bill.

To these observations Mr. Whitehill answered, that the question before the house was simply whether they chose to preserve the present act for regulating the public roads and highways, or at the breaking up of the sessions to leave no provision upon so essential a point of police? The existing laws will expire as soon as the house is dissolved, and the confusion will be great indeed, if some step is not taken to prevent that event. It is true continued Mr. Whitehill, that I have opposed the expensive system which was once suggested for extending and repairing our public roads, but the opposition did not arise from an ignorance of the utility and propriety of the measure, but from a conviction that our finances were unequal to the undertaking. I still entertain the same opinion; but because it is not in our power to do the greatest possible good, will we refrain from doing the good that is within the extent of our ability? When we are in circumstances adequate to a more enlarged system, I shall readily agree to adopt it—but in the mean time, I hope the present bill will not be rejected because it is necessary, and because it is in our power to carry it into execution. The question being put, the bill was ordered to be transcribed, and in the mean time printed for public consideration.

The report of the committee on the letter from the commissioners in Luzerne, being read a second time by special order, the same committee were appointed, after a short debate, to bring in a bill for ascertaining the boundaries between that and the neighbouring counties, and for dispensing with the legal qualification of electors at the ensuing election.

Mr. Fitzsimons stated to the house that the committee on the petitions from sundry citizens interested in the Wyoming lands, conceived that they could derive useful information from a conference with the executive council, and moved for the authority of the house to enter into that conference, which was accordingly granted.

On motion of Mr. Fitzsimons, the bill for incorporating the subscribers to the Schuylkill bridge is made the order of the day for Wednesday next.

AUCTION AND VENDUE BILL.

On motion of Mr. Fitzsimons the consideration of the bill for regulating auctions and vendues, was resumed, and the clause for extending the duties on sales to the counties being read, on the question, will the house agree to it? the following debate arose.

The advocates for confining the duties to sales in the city and its suburbs, delivered the following arguments:

Mr. Speaker. When this subject was last before us, some doubts were suggested respecting the propriety of excluding the counties from the operation of the vendue law, and it was said that the exclusion would be partial, impolitic and unjust. After much reflection however we continue to entertain our former sentiments, and think that by taking off the tax upon the sale of real estates in the city, Southwark and the Northern Liberties, we shall establish this act upon a fair and eligible foundation. It must be admitted, sir, that the advantages resulting from the regulation of vendues will be monopolized by Philadelphia and its neighbourhood, and it must be admitted likewise, that it is in that quarter alone any regulation is at all necessary. To the state at large it would be beneficial were every pedlar allowed to vend his merchandize by auction in every street of the capital, for the price of goods would be thereby considerably abated; and those immoral practices which call for the controul of the legislature, are only to be apprehended in a populous and disorderly city. But arrangements which are thus salutary to the police of Philadelphia, become burthensome and inconvenient when imposed upon the scattered inhabitants of the remote counties; for the expence and labour that must attend a compliance with the law, would indirectly defeat the right which every man has to dispose of his property; or perhaps by tempting him to disregard its injunctions, introduce a contentious uncertainty respecting transfers and titles. Nor can it be with justice urged that this law is of a partial nature; for the wisdom of the legislature must necessarily provide for the different circumstances of the several districts within their jurisdiction, and our system of jurisprudence abounds with instances of a complexion infinitely more partial than what is now proposed. But sir, we must observe that, in truth, the exception of the counties in this respect amounts not to any favour or preference, for it is notorious that the owners of real estate, wherever situated, resort to this city as often as they wish to expose their property to sale; and if the public sale of merchandize ever becomes an object with the country traders, hither likewise must their goods be transported, as the only certain and productive market in the state. Hence then, it is evident that the counties will indirectly bear their proportion of the duty; and any attempt to collect it within their respective boundaries, must, as it respects the people, be oppressive; and as it respects the public revenue, will certainly be abortive. Were there indeed no other ground for opposing the extension of the law to the counties, it would be sufficient, in our opinion, that the object is trifling and visionary. Every man acquainted with the interior business of the state, must know that the sale of merchandize by public vendue, has never hitherto been practised, and, from the nature of things, probably never will be practised in the country; nor do we recollect a single instance of the sale of real estate, in that manner, unless indeed, by the legal act of the sheriff, which has been, unhappily, too frequent there as well as here. Why then, should the legislative attention be exercised in framing regulations for a thing, which is at present merely chimerical, and which probably never will have an existence? Why flatter ourselves and our constituents, with the prospect of a revenue, by the ostentatious provisions of a law, that must apparently be vain and nugatory for want of an object upon which they might operate with effect? No, sir, as this bill contains regulations peculiarly advantageous to Philadelphia and the vicinity, and as its extension to the counties would be burthensome to individuals, without contributing to the welfare of the public, we hope the clause before us will be finally rejected, and our attention confined to the only interesting and substantial object of the bill—to wit, the regulation of vendues and auctions in the city and suburbs of Philadelphia, whose inhabitants have called for our interposition in that respect.

The members who supported the propriety of extending the vendue law over the whole state, replied to the preceding arguments in the following manner——

Mr. Speaker—It was objected when this bill before engaged our attention that it would be highly inconvenient to the counties were they affected by the proposed regulations, because the business of auctions would be so trifling, that no one would be tempted to become an auctioneer, or, if there were a licenced auctioneer, it would be too expensive and laborious to travel in pursuit of him. In hopes therefore, to remove the weight of this objection, we had provided a clause, which by making the fee upon granting licences to country vendue masters very low, would induce many persons to become applicants for the appointment, or, by authorising the prothonotary of the respective courts to issue special licences to any person requiring the same, the other inconveniency would be fairly obviated. But, sir, it is become necessary to discuss this business upon general principles, and to arraign the legality and justice of imposing a partial tax; or, in other words, of compelling one class of citizens, whatever may be their circumstances or situation, to contribute more than another to the support of that government, whose protection is equally extended to every district within its jurisdiction. Let it be remembered then that upon this important occasion we do not speak the language of local attachment; it is not as members chosen by this or that county; it is not upon the narrow scale of self-interest, that we desire the attention of the house, but it is as representatives of an extensive and independent people—as patriots anxious to promote the eternal and immutable principles of justice, on which all national prosperity must ultimately depend. It is true, sir, that the regulations of public auctions will be highly advantageous to the city of Philadelphia, and as far as they contribute to establish these regulations, we are bound to acknowledge the kindness of our opponents. But what construction can we give to their conduct, when it is considered, that the advantages are accompanied with a burthensome tax, for the benefit of the state, and that upon the inhabitants of Philadelphia they are solicitous to impose the whole of that burthen? It will not perhaps, be publicly avowed, but we may justly infer from this transaction that those who oppose the clause before us, are influenced by local and interested motives, and care not by what means the public revenues are accumulated, if they can but secure the purse of the particular district to which they belong. If this bill went indeed no further than to regulate vendues, there would not be any injustice done to the other parts of the state in complying with the request of the counties, to be exempted from its operation: but when it is made a resource for the national support, the application to be exempted, becomes disreputable, and a compliance would violate the fundamental rules of society. For, sir, the history of the universe cannot furnish an instance of a social compact being formed upon a principle which would expose a part of its members to the task of defraying the expences of the whole; and in this respect, the delegated authority of the legislature must be circumscribed and repelled by the natural rights of the people. We demand therefore, Mr. Speaker, on the behalf of the citizens of Philadelphia, the evidence of that power, which we insist this house does not possess, but which nevertheless you are now required to exercise. Hereafter perhaps the demand may be made, and with greater effect, by those who will feel the injury resulting from a determination according to the wish of our antagonists. Upon the whole, we are sensible sir, that the extension of the vendue law to the counties, will not be very profitable to the public treasury, but it is not the sum that we regard as an object worthy of our consideration; it is the great political principle involved in the fate of the present question, and which is the same whether the revenue in contemplation amounts to millions of pounds, or the fraction of a farthing.

The question being put, the clause was rejected by a considerable majority.

The speakers for extending the vendue law to the counties were Messrs. Robinson, Fitzsimons, and G. Clymer. The speakers on the other side, were Messrs. Whitehill, Logan and Findley.

As soon as the clause was rejected, Mr. Robinson moved for a postponement of the bill in order to introduce a resolution, "that whereas the vendue laws tended to establish unconstitutional monopolies, and were particularly burthensome to the citizens of Philadelphia, the districts of Southwark and the township of the Northern Liberties, therefore resolved, that a committee be appointed to bring in a bill for repealing all the said laws."

This motion being seconded by Mr. G. Clymer produced a short conversation, in which those who were in favour of it, avowed that their object was now to destroy the present bill, and that they thought it yet possible in this sessions to introduce and pass another, for the purpose stated in the resolution. Those who opposed the motion, observed that it was impracticable to carry it into effect before the house broke up, and urged the impropriety of leaving the business in its present state. The question being put, the motion was rejected. Upon which Mr Robinson called for the yeas and nays, and declared his intention to enter his dissent upon the journals; but was informed by the speaker that, in the present state of the question, it would be out of order to do so, as the motion so far from being connected with the bill, was calculated to undermine and defeat it.

The clerk then proceeded to read the following clause, and Mr. Robinson persevering in his opposition, Mr. Whitehill remarked, that as the discussion of the sequel of the act would at this time, he apprehended, produce a great of altercation, he moved for an adjournment; in hopes that the members would take the opportunity of considering the subject in its proper light, and at least assemble again in a better humour with each other.

The house accordingly adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

MONDAY, September 24. P. M.

The house met pursuant to adjournment.

A petition from the inhabitants of Germantown, praying that the house would take measures for the adoption of the constitution recommended by the fœderal convention, and several other petitions were presented, and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill for erecting York-town into a borough, was compared at the table, and enacted into a law.

Mr. Findley moved, that 1500 (1000 in English and 500 in German) copies, of the plan of government proposed by the fœderal convention, should be printed for the use of the people, which being agreed to, Mr. Brackenridge moved, that a committee be appointed to make the German translation, and a committee was accordingly appointed.

On motion, the petition of Michael Everly was taken up for a second reading, and referred to a committee.

The house adjourned to meet to-morrow morning at half past nine o'clock.

SHIP NEWS.

His Most Christian Majesty's Packet Marshal de Castries, from Havre de Grace, John & Bella, Green, from Whitehaven; Mary, Deas, from Kingston; Prue, Paddock, from Port au Prince; Friendship, Burnham, from Savannah; Sincerity, White, and Ardent, Howland, from Baltimore, are arrived at New York.

The Mary Ann, Newbold, from Grenada; Recovery, Orr, from Jamaica; Southampton, Hacker, from St Croix, and Donald, Lilly, from New-York, are arrived at Norfolk.

The Lydia, Murphy, for Cadiz: Fanny, Leach, from Port au Prince; Lydia, Tucker, and Felicity, Raymond, from Martinico; Mary Ann, Hathorne, from Cape Francois, and Dispatch, Townsend, from Demarara, are arrived at Salem.

From *Lindsay's* Marine Intelligencer. *Norfolk, Sep.* 10.

Captain Orr, from Jamaica informs, that FLOUR was selling at a guinea per barrel, and that there had not been any rain for five months.

The ship Bridget, captain Woodward, from this port, arrived at the Isle of Wight the 30th of June, after a passage of 29 days.

‡ The board of Managers of the Pennsylvania Society, for the Encouragement of Manufactures and the useful Arts, are to meet at the Dispensary, this Evening at 6 o'Clock

Sept. 26 *WM. BARTON, Sec'ry.*

‡‡‡ *Petitions* to the Honorable House of Assembly for the Adoption of the *Constitution* recommended by the late *Honorable Convention*, are left at the *Old Coffee-House*, where those Citizens of Philadelphia, the Northern-Liberties and Southwark, who chuse to sign them, and have not yet had an opportunity, are requested to apply.

_ The British ship MEDIATOR, Capt. Brougham, for London, will sail on Sunday next. Her letter bag will be taken from the Post-Office on Saturday evening. dtf

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of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25. f&wtf

Six Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Sunday the 22d instant, an Irish servant man and woman, who landed this year in Philadelphia, from Cork. The man is a stout made fellow, with a red face, fair hair, stoop shouldered, about 5 feet 8 inches high, 26 years old, had on when he went away, a blue broad cloth coat and jacket, with plain silver'd buttons, an old fine hat, small brim and large crown, several shirts, and a pair of trowsers, with several other articles. The woman somewhat younger, a dark visage, very black hair, small size, walks bad: she took with her a blue cloak with a hood to it, a yellow gown, blue quilted petticoat, several lawn caps They are called Thomas and Molly Roch, he was a sailor last war, and was at New-York and Charlestown. Whoever takes up said servants, and secures them in any goal, so that I may have them again, shall have the above reward for the man.

Apply to Josiah Lockhart of Lancaster, if in Pennsylvania, or ROBERT LOCKHART.

Frederick County, Virginia, July 28, 1787.

MR. SICARD, pupil of the celebrated monf. Vestres, presents his compliments to his former employers and the public in general, and begs leave to inform them that his *Dancing School* will be opened on the first day of October.

The hours of attendance for young ladies will be from 10 till 1 o'clock every Monday, Wednesday and Friday ——and for young gentlemen from 6 till 9 o'clock in the evening of the same days.

He will devote one day in every two weeks to instruct the pupils of his dancing school, and of the boarding schools, where he attends *gratis*, in the polite accomplishments of the genteel *graces* and *manners*, on the plan that he conducted the same at Paris, in conjunction with the celebrated monsieur Gaudelle.

Mr. Sicard proposes attending private families, boarding schools, and academies, one day in every week, if required, for the purpose of instructing young ladies and gentlemen in this important part of a polite education, viz. How to come into the presence of their superiors—How to come into, and go out of a room—How to salute in the street, and walk gracefully—How to present any thing to another—and how to move the fan elegantly, &c. &c. &c.

He would esteem it a particular favour if those ladies and gentlemen who have had an opportunity of associating with the polite in the European capitals, would honor him with their company whenever he practices, in order to satisfy them of his abilities in that particular line of his profession. mtf.

To be Sold by the Subscriber,

A Genteel *House*, *Brew House*, and *Lot of Ground*; situate on the Delaware, in the city of Burlington, about 400 yards below the town wharf, commonly known and called by the name of *Green Bank*, commanding a most beautiful and agreeable prospect of the river Delaware and borough of Bristol. The *House* is well finished, two stories high, 50 feet front, two handsome parlours below, and three chambers, besides garrets with fire places for servants; each room hath a handsome tiled chimney place and marble hearths, an excellent kitchen, good cellar, a pump of good water in the yard, which is paved with brick, a very convenient milk house, smoke house, stable and carriage house (the loft of which will hold eight tons of hay) with other useful out buildings. The garden is stocked with a variety of plumb, pear, cherry English walnut, and other fruit trees, besides currants, rasberries, goosberries, strawberries, &c. The *Lot* is 50 feet front, 400 feet deep, and 73 feet back, and is now in good order. In the *Brew-House* (built only last summer) is a copper kettle which will hold upwards of 20 barrels, besides every necessary apparatus, entirely new, in compleat order and fit for immediate use. A view of the premises will give a proper idea of its value, and the most substantial recommendation that can be had. Apply to Colonel *Cox*, at Trenton, or Messrs *Richard Wells* and *William Sykes*, Merchants, in *Philadelphia*, who have lived in the house.—The terms of payment will be made easy, as the money is not immediately wanted.

JOSEPH BLOOMFIELD.

Burlington, August 30. 5:Iaw

Patrick Duffey,

B R O K E R,

Respectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Chesnut street, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL,

Certificates for the Land-Office,

With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;

Dollar Money,

STATE MONEY of the Emission of 1781, &c. &c.

And has also provided himself with

S T O R E S

To receive Merchandize, which he will sell for those who please to employ him, to the best advantage, at a moderate Commission, and will endeavour to the best of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himself that an Attention to the Interest of those for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him some Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,

On approved Security, and the greatest Secrecy and Delicacy observed in the Negociation of any Business committed to his Charge. August 7 w&stf

Philadelphia, *September* 20, 1787.

P R O P O S A L S

For Printing by Subscription,

A Geographical and Topographical

H I S T O R Y

O F

A M E R I C A,

Collected and compiled by *John O'Connor*, esq. a barrester at law in the kingdom of Ireland, and now a traveller in America

MR. O'CONNOR has returned from the southward to make arrangements for committing the first volume to press; and he assures his subscribers, that the mechanical part will be compleated with the utmost attention.

When these proposals were first published, their impression on the public mind, and their success, were equally uncertain, consequently it was judged indelicate, in such a state of apprehension, to receive any pecuniary support towards a publication which might fall—through defect of public spirit, or many local circumstances which generally existed, to repress zeal in the promotion of literary endeavours.

Experience however has proved those fears imaginary, as the most liberal and general support has been obtained for these Propositions, wherever they were communicated--This indulgence and patronage engrave on the breast of the Writer, sentiments of affection and grateful remembrance, not to be effaced; and it is with peculiar satisfaction he and his Assigns will receive a part of the price of these volumes towards discharging expences indispensibly connected to the work.

Subscriptions are taken by Messrs. *Prichard & Hall*, the Printers of this History, in Philadelphia.

Just Imported in the ship Harmony from London, a General Assortment of

Drugs and Medicines,

And for sale by

Isaac Bartram, *Chemist & Druggist*,

In Third-street, next door below the Bunch of Grapes, on the lowest terms for cash, viz.

CAMPHOR	British oil
Saffron	Haerlem oil
Cochineal	Anderson's pills
Borax refined	Hooper's pills
Saltpetre	Lockyer's pills
Glauber salts	Prussian blue
Epsom salts	Fig blue
Flour of sulphur	Rose pink
Gum arabic	Vermillion
copal	Drop lake
Godfrey's cordial	Anotto
Bateman's drops	Black lead
Fraunces's elixir	Francfort black
Daffy's elixir	Camel hair pencils

Great Allowance will be made to those who purchase by the quantity. 4t

A few beautiful Dining Setts of
Blue and White

C H I N A,

Congo Tea in Chefts—And a Quantity of

C A S S I A,

Juft imported from India, to be fold reafonably by

Pickering & Hodgdon,

Sept 5 d

Lately Imported, and for fale by

Wooddrop & Jofeph Sims,

FIRST and fecond quality St. Croix fugars in hogfheads, tierces and barrels; fweet oil in bafkets of a fuperior quality; liquers, ratifia, and beft double diftilled lavender water in cafes, Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons*, on the north fide the fubfcribers' alley, with the wharf in front; alfo, a convenient three ftory Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the fubfcriber'—*And to be fold*, A Houfe and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchafe money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&ftf.

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,
In Pipes, Hogfheads and Quarter Cafks, for fale by
w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD

An affortment of Cambricks

and Lawns, for fale by
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart.
September 21. oe

For Paper Money,

A QUANTITY OF
IRONMONGERY;
Woolen, Cotton and Silk GOODS;
Green Glafs Bottles in Hampers;
GRINDSTONES,
And a large Quantity of
S A L T;
ALSO,
TAUNTON ALE,
To be SOLD in Third ftreet, by
Richard Wells & Son.
July 16 3tnw.wtf

Juft arrived, and for Sale by

Benjamin Fuller,

A fmall Parcel of
CARRACCA COCOA,
And a few Bags of excellent
Cotton of the firft quality.
September 14 6teop

A few pipes of

FAYAL WINE

To be difpofed of on reafonable terms by
Charles P. Howard,
In Second-ftreet, four doors above Chefnut-ftreet, Philadelphia. co3t

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Rundle & Murgatroyd,

(Water ftreet, juft above Market ftreet)
Have received for fale by the Harmony from London, and other late Arrivals,

RUSSIA, Scotch and Irifh fheetings
Irifh linens, low priced
Raven ducks, ticklenburgs
Silefias, lace edgings
Elegant pier glaffes
Whiting, chalk & excellent London bottled porter

Alfo, an invoice, confifting of luftereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c. to be fold at a very low advance.

Likewife, high proof Grenada rum, and beft Burlington pork. September 17 mwf

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William Compton,

In Third-ftreet, between Race and Vine ftreets, has for fale on very low terms, for cafh or fhort credit,

LONDON pewter, in cafks, well affortcd
Englifh fail cloth
A invoice of cutlery, hardware and watches
A cafe of boys hats, of various colours
A fmall invoice of beft London plated buckles
Camblets, durants, fhalloons, tammies and wildbores
Log lines, roping twine, &c

ALSO,

Garden feeds of different kinds, rape and canary feeds, &c mwftf

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William Caldwell & Co.

At their ftore, the fouth fide of Market-ftreet wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.
Have juft Opened a Large Affortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Confifting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Affortment of the beft Goods of every kind, fuitable for country ftorekeepers, as well as for private families, and to fell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4 1787 mwf 1m

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Chefnut ftreets, have Imported in the fhips Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Veffels from Europe, and are now felling on exceedingly low terms for cafh or fhort credit, a fine Affortment of

Seafonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, fattins and perfians, black and coloured Barcelonia filk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano ditto, velverets, corduroys and thickfets, printed velverets, fuperfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white fhirting linens and fheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat affortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worfted hofiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

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Irifh Linens,

Juft arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by
Rofs and *Vaughan.*
September 15 d

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

n Cafes of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogfheads.
Lifbon Wine in Quarter Cafks;
Copper Kettles, juft arrived, and for Sale by
Rofs and Vaughan.
Auguft 22. etf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be fold by
BERTIER & Co.
Alfo *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cafes—and
A Variety of Dry Goods.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irifh linens; crates containing compleat fetts of green marine edged difhes, flat and foup plates, tureens with ftands and fpoons, fauce tureens, baking and fallad difhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 Englifh Sail Canvas,
Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cafes,
TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nefbitt.*

September 5 d

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fuftick
FOR SALE BY
ep *Ben. Mafon.*

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have juft Imported in the fchooner Fox, Jofeph Lowrey, mafter, from Kingfton, Jamaica,

JAMAICA fpirits in porter hogfheads and cafks; Coffee in barrels of a fuperior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

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Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has juft Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a fmall parcel of

G O O D S,

Which he will fell very low for cafh—they confift of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchefter ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hofe
Mens worfted Hofe, fome very fine
Ditto filk ditto
Yard wide Irifh Linens, &c. &c. etf

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingfworth,

At his ftore below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all fizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindftones warranted fuperior to any imported from Europe; Lifbon wine, Weft-India and country rum, fugar, coffee, cocoa, a fpermaceti fcrew 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expreffing fpermaceti oil, &c. in good order, genfang in cafks. Senneca, fnake root in hhds. &c &c.

Imported in the Brig Francifca,
Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,
A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY
Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,
Who have likewife for fale, at their ftores,
PORT WINE,
In pipes, hogfheads and quartercafks, of a fuperior quality, fhipped by the Royal Port Company: alfo,
LONDON PARTICULAR
Madeira and Fayal Wines,
With a few CHESTS of beft
Hyfon and Souchong TEAS.
Auguft 22. eptf

Now Landing at Race ftreet wharf,

The CARGO of the fhip Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Peterfburg—Confifting of,

HEMP
Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, affortcd Ravens duck
Ruffia fheeting—*And for fale by*

Haynes and *Crawford,*

Who have to difpofe of,
Antigua rum and fugar
Irifh linens
Irifh beef
Cork fail cloth
Claret in cafes of two and a half dozen, &c.
September 19 d

Juft arrived in fundry Veffels, and

FOR SALE BY
Willing, Morris & Swanwick,
At their *STORES* in Penn-ftreet,

MADEIRA, Lifbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and fmall cafks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Ifland rum
Frefh raifins in kegs and jars
Hyfon tea in quarter chefts
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful affortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, fuitable to the prefent and approaching feafon. dtf

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To be Seen near the new Chapel,

A young Kitten,

Of the brutal creation; the head and fhoulders like a cat, the hind parts like a rabbet, and has two tails. Children one penny, almoft grown children 2d. gentlemen and ladies what they pleafe. *Sept* 17 r

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Donnaldfon & Coxe,

In Walnut ftreet, have for Sale

FRESH fouchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white fetts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfaft and evening fetts of ditto
India luteftrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-ftands, &c.
Shone's beft London porter in cafks of 4 to 5 dozen
Beft Bourdeaux claret in cafes of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and Englifh filks, cottons and calicoes
Irifh printed linens
Ribbands and filk hofe
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different fizes

Alfo, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England foal leather d Sept 5

To be Sold at Private Sale,

A fmall and very General Affortment of Frefh

Drugs & Medicines,

With FURNITURE of every kind, painted and lettered, and in compleat order for an Apothecary's Shop. Any perfon inclining to purchafe, may have them on the moft reafonable terms, by applying to

N. DORSEY,
In Front, two doors below Walnut ftreet. Aug. 23wtf

William Sanfom

Has for fale, at his Store on the eaft fide of Second ftreet, three doors below Arch ftreet, and nearly oppofite the George tavern—A General Affortment of

MERCHANDIZE:

Confifting of the following Articles, part of which are juft opened—

RUGS and blankets, coatings, match coats and ftriped duffils, broadcloths, fpotted fwanfkins, half thicks, ftriped linfeys, worfted hofe, calimancoes, durants, moreens, tammies, fhalloons, rattinets, corduroys, filk and worfted fagathy, grazetto, buckrams, and tally gartering.

Ravens duck, 3-4 and 7-8 German and Scotch dowlas, ticklenburg, Ruffia fail canvas, Irifh fheeting, 7-8 and yard wide Irifh linen from 2/ to 6/, 7-8 and yard wide linen and cotton checks, ftriped hollands, brown quadruple filefias, chitys fantail, fine and wool hats, Hofe's fhoes, Whitechapel needles, pins, fpectacles, ink pots, twift and fewing filk, Scotch threads, pocket handkerchiefs, Wefton's fnuff, fpelling books, laces, catgut, death-head and other buttons, cambrick and lawn, kenting handkerchiefs, plain, kenting and checked lawns, long lawn, black and cloth coloured ribbon, quality binding, ivory combs, and womens purple gloves and mitts.

Read lead, filver watches, London and Briftol pewter, hard metal fpoons, window glafs, fad irons, wire, 6d nails, knives and forks, butchers and cutteau knives, penknives, fciffars, fhoebuckles, razors, money fcales, thimbles, fhoe chapes, fnuffers, fleeve links, filvered fpurs, pocket looking glaffes, curry combs, fancy buttons, fnuff and tobacco boxes, waiters and bottle ftands, and a variety of other articles; all which will be difpofed of on the loweft terms.

September 24 tuwf

A LARGE and GENERAL

Affortment of Merchandize,

Wholefale and Retail,
TO BE SOLD BY

William Beaven,

In Second ftreet, between Market and Chefnut ftreets, Philadelphia, *viz.*

SUPERFINE and fecond cloths
Caffimers
Scarlet, red and yellow flannels
Calimancoes, durants and moreens
Rattinets and fhalloons
Drab coloured double fattinet for mens breeches
Chintzes and calicoes
Silk umbrellas
Mens ribbed and plain filk and thread hofe
Mens and womens cotton ditto
Ditto ditto filk and leather gloves
Black, white and blue fattin
Brocades, mantuas and perfians
Corduroys and honeycombs
Furniture and cotton checks
Irifh linens and brown hollands
Striped and mafqueraded bengals
9-8 and 3-4 cotton and linen ftripes
Turky ditto
Fine black crape for gowns
Damafk and diaper tablecloths
Clouting diaper
Wilton and Scotch carpets and carpeting
Silk, linen, cotton and check handkerchiefs
Striped and plain muflins
Muflin handkerchiefs
Sewing filks
7-8 and 3-4 ftriped ticking
Black lace fhades
Gauze aprons & handkerchiefs
Cotton & linen ftriped linfey
White and brown buckram
White tapes
Elegant and common fans
Ditto filk purfes
Marfeilles quilting
Muflinets and dimothies
Broad and narrow worfted bindings
Quantity of filk and linen dreffed dolls
Steel collars for young ladies
Low priced knives and forks

Japanned Ware.

Elegant oval and fquare waiters
Eea urns, coffee and tea pots
Sugar and tea cannifters
Bread bafkets and muggs
Hyfon TEA of the firft quality by the cheft, doz. or pound; befides a number of other Articles not mentioned. *September* 11 w&f.th&ftf

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ALL KINDS

Of Public Securities bought and fold. Money borrowed and lent on approved fecurity, and negotiated fo as to accommodate the parties. Certificates, State and Dollar Money furnifhed for the Land-Office, on the loweft terms, by

Francis White.

Chefnut ftreet, near the Bank. d

FOR SALE, A

TWO ftory Houfe and Lot of Ground, fituate on the Bank fide of Front ftreet, nearly oppofite to the Cuftom-Houfe, late the eftate of Nathaniel Allen, deceafed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrifon, fhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the fame breadth to Water ftreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnerfhip of *Footman & Shippen* being this day diffolved: all perfons indebted to them are earneftly requefted to make immediate payment.

The remaining Stock on

Hand of faid Partnerfhip, confifting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be difpofed of on advantageous terms, for Cafh, Paper Money of the laft Emiffion, or upon a fhort Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the firft quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8-4 bath coatings
Fine forreft cloths
Blue and drab linfies
Striped cotton linfies and German ftripes
Emboffed ferges
Plain and fpotted fwanfkins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kerfies and fearnoughts
Printed linfies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Caftor and beaver hats
Superfine caffimers
Mens and womens worfted hofe
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens fpotted hofe
Mens white and brown thread hofe
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demafcus and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton fhawls
Fringed filk handkerchiefs
A large affortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarfe catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, fpotted & ftriped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and foufflee gauzes
Black taffity and perfians
Blue and rofe coloured farfnets
White and pink fattins
Rich black armozeens
White and pufe coloured mantuas
Marfeilles quilting
Ruffia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton ftripes
Womens black filk velvet
Long pile mohair plufhes

A Variety of Stuffs, viz

Dorfettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, moft colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, fhalloons & ratinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thickfetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonfopretties, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White ftitching threads
Worfted mitts
Womens black filk gloves
Coloured fans
Chineie ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twift
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glaffes
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread bafkets
Japanned bottle ftands
Womens ticking ftays
Elegant perfian carpets
Hofes fhoes

Cutlery and Hardware, viz.

Steel and plated fpurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Sciffars and fhears
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and piftol capt knives
Childrens plain & fpotted knives
Silver and brafs links
Corkfcrews, fpectacles combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
H hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candlefticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the cafk
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 f&w3m

Ifaac Hazlehurft & Co.

(In Water-ftreet, between Chefnut and Walnut ftreets)
HAVE for SALE
The Following

G O O D S;

Moft of which have been imported in the lateft veffels from the different and moft advantageous ports of exportation for the refpective articles.—

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in cafes of fuperior quality, Ditto 2d ditto, Ditto inferior do } all genuine and good of their kind.
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyfon, Green, Souchng, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per fheet
Ditto fit for fheathing a veffel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and brafs wire of different fizes
Brafs kettles in nefts, Englifh and Dutch
Briftol window glafs 8 by 10
A fmall affortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan Houfe, at Halle in Saxony
German fchool books of different forts
Ditto glafs tumblers affort.
German looking glaffes of various fizes
Nuremberg toys for children
Beft Dutch rappee & Wefton's fnuff
Table fetts of china and china plates
Boxes of Englifh glafs ware affortcd fit for country ftores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German fteel
German fcythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetftones
Frying pans
Shovels and fpades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and fhort
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glafs pint cannifters with fcrews
Englifh and French fail cloth
Pit faws of different fizes
A new copper ftill, head and neck, fit for a ftill of 8 or 900 gallons, will be fold cheap
A fhip's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca fnake-root
Womens London fhoes in trunks—

Together with a large and general affortment of
EUROPEAN GOODS,
In their original packages, and opened as may beft fuit the purchafers; they are well adapted to the feafon, and will be fold on low terms for cafh, or at the cuftomary credit.

They have alfo for fale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to difpofe of on the loweft terms for cafh;

Nail rods of different fizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and fheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and fpades
Phæton and chair tire

They have alfo on hand a quantity of large fap pine Scantling, which they will fell at a reafonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2, 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. Auguft 18. f&w tf

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A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
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The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

[Price Four-Pence.] THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1787. [No. 2697.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays and Thursdays.*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 27 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

Philadelphia, September 15, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale by public vendue, at the Merchants Coffee House, in the city of Philadelphia, on Thursday the 27th inst. at 6 o'clock in the evening, for and during the natural life of Christopher Wilson, of, in and to about ten acres of land, with a small log messuage thereon erected, situate, lying and being in Kingsessing township and county of Philadelphia (commonly called Boon's island): bounded on the south by Robert Towers' land, on the north by a road called Tinnecum road, on the west by Andrew Coxe's land, and on the east by Matthew Huston's land.

Also, about 10 acres of Meadow Ground; bounded on the south and east by Church and Bow creeks, and on the north and west by Hubbard's and Towers' land: taken in execution as the property of said Christopher Wilson, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

Philadelphia, September 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale by Public Vendue, at the Merchants Coffee House, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Thursday* the 27th instant, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a certain two story Frame Messuage or Tenement, and Lot or Piece of Ground thereunto belonging, situate on the east side of Delaware Second street continued, and south side of Catharine street, in the district of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia, containing in breadth on Second street 22 feet, and in length or depth on Catharine street 96 feet (be the same more or less) bounded westward by Second street, northward by Catharine street, eastward by a 16 feet alley, and southward by ground of E. Biddle, with the appurtenances: taken in execution as the property of Charles Kean, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

TO-MORROW,

The 28th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,

Will begin the sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are,

MANCHESTER chintzes and cottons of the first quality and patterns; Irish linens, white and brown, yard, 7-8 and 3-4 wide; a neat invoice of Scotch needle worked and plain lawn aprons and handkerchiefs; plain and striped and cross barred kentings, gauzes, lineans and catguts; superfine Irish linens, long lawns and cambricks; a few pieces beautiful sattins and mantuas, plain, jaconet, striped and cross barred muslins of different qualities; moreens, calimancoes, rattinets, shalloons, durants & tammies; garters and bindings; French, German and English cloths, coatings, &c &c. *September 27*

C. Febi er & Co. Auctioneers.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-House,* in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening.

(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore,* esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw mill, which might with much ease and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept 17* eptf

Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing; they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.

A BEACON being deemed necessary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation: Notice is hereby given, that Proposals will be received at this Office until the 1st day of October next, from such persons as may be disposed to undertake the same by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at said Office. 3taw

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankfort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a large and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence,* esq: deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont.* Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST, Broker,* in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

CAME to Harriton Farm, about eleven miles from this city, and one mile from the Buck Inn, on the Lancaster road, the 16th instant, a dark bay MARE, about 15 hands high, shod all round; the owner is desired to apply for and take her away. Philadelphia, September 18

For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY,

John Willett, Master;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,

Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

For Boston,

The Sloop BAUSTO,

DANIEL NEWMAN, Master;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to Messrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon,* at their store at the head of the wharf.

September 17 d

For Charleston,

The Brig *PHOEBE,*

John Drinker, Master;

NOW laying at Messrs. James & John Cox's wharf, will sail on Thursday the 4th October. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or

KEELEY & JENKINS,

Who have for sale at their store in Water street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, Madeira, Sherry, Lisbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines, Jamaica spirits, West India and New England rum, coffee and sugars, hyson and bohea tea, a quantity of Madeira Walnuts, &c. September 22 dt40

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For Charter,

The French Ship L'OISEAU,

J. MENO, Master,

For any part of the Mediterranean;

Now laying at Luffer's Wharf, New-York: she is a very fast sailer, and well found, burthen about 240 hogsheads of tobacco. Apply to Mr. R. J. Thebaut, on board said ship, or to JAMES VANUXEM, In Water street, below Market street.

September 20. 6fp

Wanted to Charter

For VIRGINIA,

A VESSEL from 50 to 150 Tons burthen.—Enquire of

eo2w JONES & LOWNES.

To be Let on Freight, to

Europe or the West Indies, the

British Ship Polly,

Thomas Williamson, Master;

Burthen about 180 tons.

FOR terms apply to THOMAS, SAMUEL & MIERS FISHER. A few tons of House COAL to be sold on board said ship. They have also imported in the said ship Polly, and in the Pigou and Harmony, and other vessels from Europe, for sale, on very low terms,

India and British printed calicoes and cottons
Printed linen handkerchiefs
Cambricks and lawns
Low priced drab, mixed and blue broadcloths
Blue and mixed 6-4 and 7-4 coatings
Striped and rose blankets
Blue strouds
Knit ribbed worsted hose
Ironmongery and cutlery assorted in casks
Delph and queens ware in casks and crates
} By the package, as Imported.

Allum in hogsheads
Red lead, white lead and Spanish brown
Bar lead, and shot assorted
Liverpool salt
Burr millstones of various sizes
New Castle grindstones
Sail and seine twine
Catalonia red wine in pipes
Fine old mountain in pipes and quarter casks
Malaga, sweet and dry, in pipes and quarter casks
Dry sherry in quarter casks
Almonds in frails

Together with a General Assortment of European Goods, suitable to the season, as usual. 3aw4w

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors,* for the City and County of *Philadelphia,*

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by a respectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to request the Favour of your Votes at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, as I mean to offer myself a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpose, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble Servant,
Samuel Caldwell.

Philadelphia, September 22, 1787. dtf

Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,

FOR SALE BY

Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,

In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,

Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

TOBACCO,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

American Porter

TO BE SOLD BY

Hare and Twells,

IN casks at 40s per barrel, and in bottles at 11s 3d per dozen (bottles included.)

Likewise OAT ALE, at the different prices of 35s and 25s per barrel in casks, and 8s 4d and 7s per doz. in bottles.

N. B. The bottles are received again at 3s per dozen. eo6t

Nixon and Foster

Have for SALE a Parcel of

Muscovado Sugars

Of the first and second Quality, which they will dispose of on reasonable terms for cash or short credit.

September 19. eo6w

Barclay, Brown, and Co.

Have imported in the last vessels from Ireland, and by the ship Harmony from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Water-street, three doors above Pine-street,

YARD-wide Irish Linen, assorted Brown, half white and full bleached 7-8 wide ditto

A very elegant assortment of chintzes, printed muslins and lawns, and printed handkerchiefs, in small trunks, which will be sold by the trunk on very low terms.

They have also for Sale

Antigua rum
Sherry and Malaga wine
Pewter assorted in casks——and a variety of other goods

Philadelphia, September 18. 3awtf

John B. Huron,

In Water street, eight doors above Market street, has for sale,

A LARGE and beautiful assortment of French calicoes and chintzes, dark, purple and chocolate ground
Black modes, mantuas and sarsnet
Hair and persian ribbons
With a parcel of excellent green Coffee in barrels

Sept. 22 3taw4w

Irish Linens,

Just arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Ross and Vaughan.

September 15 d

Imported in the ship Pigou, captain

Sutton, from London, by

Peter W. Gallaudet,

Now opening for sale at his store in Second street, 2d door below Chesnut street,

A Variety of seasonable Goods, *viz.*

ROSE blankets assorted	Moreens, durants and jeans
Spotted and green rugs	Black, dark blue, bottle green & drab coloured super. cloths } retail
Striped blanketing	
Blue and red duffils	
Kerseys & kendle cottons	Sattinets and florentines
Broad and narrow cloths	Scotch & coloured threads
Rattinets and shalloons	Light, cloth coloured and black sewing silks, a large assortment, at low prices
White and brown buckrams	
A variety of printed cottons	Skeleton and lb. cap wire
	Cotton checks
Calicoes and chintzes	Chinnese ribbons
Printed linen handkerchiefs	Mens beaver gloves
	Womens leather and silk gloves and mitts
Black and coloured silk dit	
Furniture cottons with fringe, tassels and line	Sattins and modes
	Glossey cypress French net, crape and striped gauzes
Bed bunts & fine tickens	
Counterpanes and Marseilles bed quilts	

Also, for Sale,

A few casks sheathing nails
Maxwell's Scotch snuff in kegs, bladders and bottles
A large, fine toned harpsichord, neatly finished
Scotch carpets of most sizes, &c. &c. Sept 12 3tf

Imported in the ship Dublin Packet, just arrived from Dublin, and to be SOLD by

Conyngham, Nesbitt & Co.

At their Store in Front-street, below Walnut street,

YARD and 7-8 wide white Irish linens, brown 9-8 sheetings and Drogheda linens

They have also for SALE

Printed cottons and linens, chintzes, 7-4, 8-4 and 9-4 diapers, fine tablecloths and napkins in sets; with sundry other dry goods. Also fine old Madeira Wines, Claret in boxes, old Coniac Brandy, and a few fresh Nutmegs——all which they will sell on the most reasonable terms.

Sept. 26. 3wf

THE Members of the Mutual Assurance Company, are desired to attend at the Court-House, on *Monday* the 1st of October next, at 3 o'clock in the Afternoon, to chuse *Trustees* and *Treasurer* for the ensuing year, agreeable to the Charter of the Incorporation.

JOHN JENNINGS, Clerk.

Philadelphia, *September 22*

Philadelphia, September 24, 1787.

RETAILERS and others who are indebted for Excise, are requested to be punctual in discharging the same on or before the 10th of October next, as no further indulgence can or will be given, but execution issue against each and every delinquent, after that time.

3taw *Edward Bartholomew,* Collector.

Philadelphia, *September 24.*

IF any person has a demand upon the subscriber, they are requested to present their accounts to him, at Mr. *Barnard's* in Front street, below the Drawbridge, or (in his absence) to Mr. B. H. Phillips, Merchant, in Second street, that they may be paid; and those indebted to him are requested to make payment as above, within two months of this date, otherwise their accounts will be put into the hands of an attorney.

3teo *JAMES COLLET.*

THE partnership of *Wynkoop* and *Siemen* being by the late death of Henry Wynkoop dissolved: the subscriber, as surviving partner, requests all those indebted to the said concern to render payment to him as speedily as possible; and those who have any demands against the same to apply for payment. PAUL SIEMEN,

At the late store of Wynkoop and Siemen, in Front-street.

Philadelphia, September 25 etf

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD,* Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet,* burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port au Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor.*

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eotf

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads,

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY

ep *Ben. Mason.*

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has just Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a small parcel of

GOODS,

Which he will sell very low for cash—they consist of

Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchester ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hose
Mens worsted Hose, some very fine
Ditto silk ditto
Yard wide Irish Linens, &c. &c. etf

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box complete for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks, Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c. &c.

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for Sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea-boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather. d Sept 5

Foreign Intelligence,

Received by the British Packet, Halifax, Capt. Boulderson, arrived at New-York, in six Weeks and four Days, from Falmouth.

VIENNA, June 30.

THIS afternoon, at about five o'clock, the emperor arrived in this capital from his journey to Cherson. His majesty was not expected before Monday, but it is imagined that the situation of affairs in the Netherlands has accelerated his return. This is the more apparent, as his majesty, immediately upon his arrival, went to the prince de Kaunitz, with whom he had a very long conference, and as may be easily imagined, the general curiosity is awake to know the result of their meeting.

July 11. In the night between the 5th and 6th inst. the council of war was assembled, and continued sitting till the break of day. On the 6th, all the encampments being countermanded, 20 regiments, including four of cavalry, received orders to march without delay to the Low Countries. On the 9th, 6 companies of artillery departed from hence. The force gone into the Netherlands is said to consist of 60,000 men.

July 15. It is true that orders have been issued for preparations for the march of an army of 40,000 men towards our Belgic provinces; but we cannot lose the idea that the orders will not be carried into effect. Circumstances will not permit the emperor to leave either Hungary, or the other hereditary estates in the neighbourhood of Turkey and Germany in a defenceless state, and in any case conciliatory will be preferable to coercive measures.

NAPLES, June 29.

Mount Vesuvius continues throwing no great quantities of scoriæ, and the lava runs briskly from a new opening a little below its crater, but does not descend so low as do any damage to the cultivated parts of the mountain.

PARIS, July 19.

The parliament of Rouen have forbidden the exportation of grain on pain of death; bread being so dear in Normandy, that if they permitted the exportation of wheat, it would be impossible for the poor to procure a sufficiency of this necessary aliment to support life.

HAGUE, July 17.

We learn, that the states of Amersfort have published a general amnesty, without exception at Wyk—but that for reasons well known, they have ordered Messrs. de Neys and Vander Kemp, to be detained under a civil arrest, and until the end of the troubles.

It is astonishing, and no one can comprehend, how the party that pretends to have the most moderation, can permit the military, and the vilest of the populace, to exercise such enormous depredations and robberies, as those committed lately at Breda, and in divers others places; those who passed through that city a few days ago, report, that it might be taken rather for a place bombarded, sacked and taken by assault, than for the residence of fellow citizens, who ought to be all bound by the same interest at least, if not by the ties of fraternal love.

What is still more inconceivable is, if it was not known that all this is done to intimidate the patriots, that the city of Amersfort, actually the head quarters or the stadtholderian army, was delivered up to pillage. It is even under the eyes of the captain general that the military are guilty of those odious excesses, which the most inveterate enemy would be ashamed to tolerate. A victorious enemy has been seen to raise contributions, but never to permit the plundering of a place subdued. This nevertheless, is what would have happened in Zealand, if the princess of Orange had arrived at the Hague; and besides the private indications which the province of Holland had had of it, the little town of Leerdam where the princess had retired on her quitting Schoonhoven, has confirmed by its conduct what had still remained doubtful.

FRANCKFORT, July 17.

We hear this moment, that 60,000 Austrian troops have received orders to march towards the Low Countries belonging to the Emperor. The regiment of Bender, which was at Brisgaw, is already on the way; and the others are getting ready as fast as possible. A camp is to be formed, in case there is not sufficient room to quarter them in the towns. The army is to be divided in four divisions; but the general rendezvous is to be in the county of Luxembourg. It is said general Haddick is to command it.

UTRECHT, July 25.

The prince, in quality of admiral general, thought proper lately to order two or three officers of the marines to attack some armed vessels fitted out by the Amsterdam patriots, and even sink them; in consequence of this step, the deputies of Rotterdam have proposed to the assembly of their noble and great powers, to write to the admiralty of Holland, to prevent the ships belonging to the state from being employed by order of the admiral general, if such orders are otherwise than for the protection of commerce. This resolution passed, and it was decreed, that the officers who should obey the prince's orders, should be cashiered, and even the officers of the admiralty suffer sequestration, if they did not comply with the request of the province.

The provincial court of Guelderland have published a placart, of which the following is the substance:—It enjoins, 1. That all the inhabitants of Guelderland who have fled to Utrecht, or other places out of the province, except the environs of Amersfort and Zeyst, shall return to their respective abodes, under penalty of exemplary punishment, and particularly those who have gone to Utrecht, taken up arms, and are incorporated with the auxiliaries.—2. That no citizen or inhabitant shall leave the province without permission given in due form and in writing. This placart has excited the rage of the patriots, who term it the last blow given to civil liberty.

The states of Holland have sent a memorial to the king of Prussia, relative to the seizure of the princess of Orange, which is every thing—but satisfactory as might be expected. It is written in an ambiguous, creeping style, which his majesty will answer by one the very reverse.

It is said the regiment of Munster, stationed at Zeist, has quarrelled with the regiment of Efferen, and that a skirmish ensued, in which a considerable loss was sustained on both sides. Great desertions continue to be made from the Amersfort army.

Advices from Berlin continue to affirm, that his Prussian majesty is preparing to invade the territories of the government of the United Provinces.

BRUSSELS, July 19.

Monday last lord Torrington, our minister from the court of London, mentioned in several companies, that he had received a letter from Germany, advising, that the Bendler regiment was on the march for the Low Countries; and that it had obtained a passage through the Palatinate. This news occasioned some sensation, which considerably increased, upon intelligence being received from different quarters, purporting that the emperor had issued orders for 40,000 men to hold themselves in readiness for marching on the shortest notice.

LONDON.

July 30. The report on 'Change was, that a number of armed burghers had made a sally from the neighbourhood of Utrecht, and attacked a number of the stadtholder's party, but that the latter in the end worsted them, and took 300 prisoners.—This news does not come through the foreign prints, though it is mentioned in two or three private letters.

It is positively asserted, that the dispatches sent with Mr. Eden to the court of France on Saturday night, announce a positive determination on the part of this country, to assist the stadtholder at all events.

At the last cabinet council, which was held on the subject of the commotions in Holland, Mr. Pitt was decidedly and violently against this country taking any part therein. His majesty, on the other hand, feels very sensibly for the degrading situation of his illustrious cousin; and indeed when it is considered that the stadtholder's unpopularity arises solely from his having detained the Dutch fleet in the Texel, whilst that of Great Britain was employed in relieving the garrison of Gibraltar, his serene highness merits every assistance that this country can afford him! What would have been the situation of our Baltic trade and the Northern colliers, if the Dutch fleet had been permitted to trade upon our coasts?

The Dutch seems to have attained to the very height of confusion!—The states general divided among themselves, fluctuating, wavering, and undetermined; doing and undoing, ordering and countermanding their own orders, rescinding them by the lump!—The council of state, or subordinate executive body, admonishing, correcting, and directing that which should be the supreme deliberative and directing body of the commonwealth!—Confusion indeed in the abstract. The burghers of Amsterdam enter into the modest resolution to banish for ever from the province of Holland, the prince and princess of Orange, and all their family! that is, they take upon them the task of expelling and deposing their chief magistrate, and driving what may be called their whole royal family out of the territories of the republic, which they have a constitutional right to govern!—And all this without consulting or advising with their co-estates of the other six provinces.

Private letters by yesterday's mail, confidently assert, that a considerable body of Imperial troops are on their march to the Austrian Netherlands. And by the same channel we learn, that the king of Prussia, dissatisfied with the answer of the patriotic Hollanders, has ordered an army of 60,000 men to the frontiers of Holland, to support the interest of the stadtholder, and obtain exemplary satisfaction for the insult offered to his sister. Yet there are those who suspect his sincerity on this occasion, from the frequent close conferences between the French and Prussian ambassadors at the Hague.

The French answer to our last memorial is said to be shorter, and more enigmatical than the former. Copies of it are handed about at the West end of the town, but in these times of political fabrication it is difficult to vouch for the authenticity of any foreign state paper.

Orders were yesterday sent off from the admiralty office to Portsmouth and Plymouth, to furnish his majesty ships now fitting at those ports with six months provisions and stores.

The board of admiralty have ordered a survey to be made of the guardships and those now upon the stocks, a return of which is immediately to be made to that board.

A gentleman lately returned from Cadiz relates a very ludicrous affair which happened in that city about the middle of June last. The Monks of the great convent of Capuchins having punished their cook a little too severely for getting drunk, he mixed a quantity of opium in their sauce at supper, and when they were fast asleep shaved their reverences beards, and made his escape before they were able to rise in the morning. The poor Monks remain confined to their convent, till their beards shall acquire a decent size to render it practicable for them to appear in public, with their friends.

Extract of a letter from Madrid, July 16.

"The king, who is indisposed with a nervous disorder, with which he is singularly affected at particular periods, has set the prince of Austrias again at the head of the eserial council, his majesty himself retiring to ease and more bodily exercise, by advice of his physicians. A journey to Barcelona, where there is a palace, has been mentioned, for the benefit of the sea air."

The princess of Orange, it is universally admitted, possesses a considerable portion of the mental bravery and resources of her late uncle, the great Frederick.

July 31.

Extract of a letter from Berlin, (by express) dated July 20

"Mr. Knight, the secretary of the marquis de Thulemeyer, his majesty's ambassador plenipotentiary, is just returned from the Hague, and brought with him the original of an answer to the memorial to his majesty of the sixth instant, it is said to be highly satisfactory.—The troops on their march to Cleves have not, however, been countermanded, which shews there is but little dependence on the report, that affairs were taking a very favourable and pacific turn in the Dutch provinces. Prince William George Frederick, eldest son of the prince of Orange, is expected here daily."

Thursday's French mails mention, that on the 12th instant a dreadful fire happened at Mewlan. The conflagration increased very rapidly, and many houses were destroyed. The fire advanced to such an alarming degree, as to threaten general devastation; but by the spirited assistance of count d'Adhemar, who was fortunately at his castle of Thun, and dispatched a number of his vassals to the aid of the distressed inhabitants, the fury of the flames was checked, and the whole was soon totally extinguished.—The count himself evinced great activity. Not content with exposing his life to the most imminent danger, he, in conjunction with the marquis of Degguvilly, displayed uncommon humanity by affording the unhappy sufferers such pecuniary gratuities, as to enable them to be re-established in their various occupations of live.—Had it not been for this providential interference, many families of great respectability would have been entirely ruined.

Yesterday the right honorable William Eden and his lady set out from Lambeth palace on their road to Dover for Paris, from whence Mr. Eden will proceed to Madrid on his embassy.

By a letter from Dusseldorff, dated the 11th inst. we learn there will be two camps of the Prussian army, the first near Ventoo, the other at Zutphen; and a train of artillery is assembling at Hoog Straat, in order to proceed to Wessel; so that by every appearance, something more than mere remonstrance is in contemplation.

By advices received on Saturday, we are informed that on the 8th instant, two imperial regiments passed through Kehl, on their way to Bruxelles: this affords something of a proof, that the emperor means not so quietly to yield to the opposition of the Brabanters, as has been generally supposed.

Letters received by the Ganges, advise us of the safe arrival at Bengal of the Intelligence Packet, captain Clifton, the 3d of January last. The Earl of Oxford—the last Bengal ship of the season is intended to be dispatched from thence in August. All accounts concur in the most favourable reports of lord Cornwallis and his government—who it seems is acting with all the firmness so great a trust demands, at the same time never departing from the liberality and elegance of an English peer.

The Antelope Packet, capt. Kempthorn, which arrived with a mail from the Leeward Islands, on Saturday last, after a passage of thirty-four days, has brought remittances to the merchants, to the amount of one hundred and twenty thousand pounds and orders for goods to a very considerable amount.

Extract of a letter from Dublin, July 23.

"Some of the convicts sent out for Botany Bay are returned, they have either surprized and destroyed the crew of the vessel which left this, or some strange accident must have happened. One of them says, that their ship was met at sea by a vessel from the South Seas, which informed the captain that island of South Wales was seized on by the Spaniards, and therefore the destination of their voyage would be fruitless, in consequence of which the ship returned, and landed them in England; but this is a very unlikely story. However strange it may appear, it is a fact that some of the convicts have returned to Dublin."

Extract of a letter from Hoorn, July 25.

"In spite of all the opposition that has been made, the magistracy of this place have, at length declared for the prince stadtholder; so that the whole province of Zealand is now in the Orange interest, which has put an end to party disturbances; even those who were most to oppose, having dropt their virulence. The states are now sitting at Middleburgh, to determine on immediately opening a negociation for a general accommodation of the confederacy."

Extract of a letter from Utrecht, July 25.

"With the auxiliaries from Amsterdam, Lewarden, and Overyssel, this place is now completely garrisoned, and in a condition to repel a siege from a much larger army than is likely to be brought against it at present. We have large store-houses filled with every article of stores, ammunition, and provision, so that we are, in all points, now prepared for the worst that may happen. The regiment of Brughen alone, amount to 2,400 men, who are all new cloathed and accoutred."

AMERICA.

SALEM, September 18.

The Eastern Convention, held by adjournment at Portland, on the 5th instant, in order to ascertain the general sense of the inhabitants of the Eastern counties on the question of separation, have recommended to them a subscription, on which to express, by subscribing their names to the word yea, or nay, whether they wish to be formed into a separate government, or not.

A letter from New-Gloucester mentions the appearance in the air, on the 30th ult. of a remarkable phenomenon, resembling a ball of fire about the size of a nine pound cannon shot; that it made an explosion, or explosions, the reports of which were not unlike those of the discharge of three or four heavy cannon at a very small distance, and in very quick succession; and that, from observations of the smoke which succeeded its explosion, its situation was beyond the clouds, somewhat below the moon's path, and about south and by east from the observer's station.

At Portland were heard three reports like those of cannon, followed by a rumbling like thunder: the buildings were sensibly shaken. The direction of the phenomenon there was observed to be nearly south west; and its elevation, more than 45 degrees.

The Portland paper says, this unusual noise is said to have been heard as far east as Frenchman's bay, and as far north west as Pigwachet.

The old women at the eastward plainly heard the firing of cannon and musketry with the regular beat of drums, and saw the ensigns of war wave in the air—and are of opinion that it is a prognostication of the Province of Main being separated from the rest part of the commonwealth, and of the other part fighting them!

Last Wednesday afternoon, the lovers of military exhibition were gratified by the public appearance of major Buffinton's company of artillery, in complete uniform. Their successful exertions to acquire the military art deserve the countenance and thanks of every one who wishes to see the hands of government strengthened, and rendered formidable to the sons of Riot and Rebellion.

WORCESTER, Sept. 19.

In consequence of the pardon lately granted by the executive department of government to those who were under sentence of death for being concerned in the late rebellion, Henry Gale was released from his imprisonment on Tuesday last.

On Thursday last, Mr. Andrew Duncan of this town, and several other persons, went on the Long Pond, in two small canoes, with a view of catching fish; one of the canoes returned about sun set; the other, in which Mr. Duncan was, continued on the pond until 12 o'clock that night, at which time Mr. Duncan came to the shore and landed the person who was with him, and then proceeded with the boat with a design of carrying it to the landing from which he sat off in the morning, but on the way is supposed to have fallen overboard, and to have drowned: diligent search was made after him the next morning without effect, and his body is not yet discovered.

On Tuesday last the supreme judicial court was opened in this town, at which time a most excellent and pathetic charge was delivered to the grand jury by his honor the chief justice; after which a well adapted prayer was addressed to the Supreme Judge of the Universe, by the rev. Mr. Bancroft.

HARTFORD, Sept. 10.

A correspondent has favoured us with the following 'method to preserve Apple Trees from worms. Take some sea weed, the salts of which are not too much exhausted by the weather, and put such a quantity in the lower crotches of the trees, as the pickle, which is made by the rains, and drains from it, may wet the body of the tree all round; let this be done in the winter, before the insects creep up to deposit their eggs, and you will have no worms the next season. This method has been found to answer very well, both to the eastward and westward of this state, when both tar and oil have failed.

'P. S. A small quantity spread round about the tree on the ground will also be serviceable; where sea weed cannot be had, perhaps a quantity of salt in a bag, lodged in the crotch of a tree would have the same effect, but of this latter method nothing can be said with any certainty, as it has not been tried; it might not be amiss, however, to try the experiment.'

NORWICH, September 4.

The burlesques which resound from one end of the continent to the other against our sister state (Rhode Island) most certainly tend to strengthen her in that ruinous system of politics she has too long been the sport of. Their proceedings in fact ought to be reprobated; however, not without a becoming propriety; reason, argumentation and reproof, ought to be the means used—while we condemn at the same time we pity them. The majority have not outdone themselves in quite so many acts of consummate villainy as has been represented; the majority have undoubtedly been some to blame: facts are seldom rightly stated in like cases—Calling them Rogue-Island, leaden headed legislators, leather-apron worthies, and the like, are epithets none but the injudicious will apply.

NEW-YORK, August 29.

The question is not, (says a letter writer) whether other countries do not surpass America in avarice, luxury and vanity; it is a poor consolation to a sick man, that his neighbour is worse. The symptoms of corruption so feelingly described by many good and wise Americans are not trifling, and they are founded on open well known facts. The civil war in Massachusetts, and the treason of Rhode-Island are alarming proofs. Early marriages are marks of national prosperity, and have been very general in America; they are not so now, especially in the great towns—because *women not worth a groat* speak with scorn of *200 a year;* and because pretty beaux and smart bucks prefer *English buttons* and Madeira wine to *the best American girl.* The patriots of America will then be sensible, that *a putrid fever is not to be trifled with;* principiis obsta; sero medicina paratur.

RICHMOND, Sept. 20

We learn from Greenbrier that a desperate person known in that county by the name of Black Mathews, who having lately been taken in execution for debt, broke the bounds, and then got about 150 or 160 people of the same stamp to sign a paper, binding themselves to stand by each other, in preventing the sheriff from taking their property for debt or taxes, was taken into custody in Botetourt and sent to Greenbrier under guard; after remaining some days in custody, he was brought to court, acknowledged his offence, and offered to take the oath of allegiance. The court therefore discharged him, and he was committed to gaol on an escape warrant. We learn farther, that he had sent copies of the association paper to the other back counties, but they were taken no notice of, and that all are quiet in that county.

By a gentleman just from Kentucky we learn that there were only two men killed by the Indians on the Cumberland settlement, and that the different families which were supposed to have been murdered by them, moved off about two hours before they arrived; on their approach they burnt a few houses, cut down a field or two of corn, and then returned.

WINCHESTER, Sept. 14.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Franklin, to his friend in this town, dated August 20.

'By general Pickens, just arrived here, we have received the following very important intelligence:

'A large body of Creek Indians, said to be upwards of a thousand, had set out from their towns in order to destroy the Cumberland settlements.

'By a friendly Cherokee, we are also informed, that as the enemy passed through the Chickamogga towns, they murdered all the American traders; and that their numbers amounted to between six and seven hundred men, about two hundred of whom were cavalry.'

From Kentucky, we learn, that a messenger, sent express from Cumberland, had arrived there, to request their assistance against a large body of Indians, who had made war against them, and were then in their country: that, previous the messenger's departure, forty three families had been murdered, and that the Indians were destroying their flocks and fields of corn, and had attacked some of the forts. Five hundred volunteers, mounted on horses, the flower of the Kentucky militia, were to set out the 13th instant, for the relief of their brethren, so that we may shortly expect to hear of a battle, and a new display of the gallantry of the mountain boys.

Among the natural phenomenons of the present day, none perhaps, are sufficient to awaken so much inquisitive curiosity as a Flowing Spring, about 12 miles from Bath, in Berkeley county. It ebbs and flows three or four times daily, and, when at its lowest ebb, does not contain more than a pint of water, but, after it begins to rise, it flows so rapidly, that the current is sufficient to turn a mill.—Many have endeavored to account for it, but hitherto without effect, so that their desire to ascertain the reason remains ungratified. They at first thought it was influenced by the moon, but, on maturer consideration, they were of a contrary opinion. The Philosophical Society, at Philadelphia, it is expected, will consider this natural miracle, and satisfy the curious with an explanation of the cause.

ALEXANDRIA, Sept. 20.

By a gentleman who has arrived from Kentucky in 20 days, we are informed, that the report of many families having been lately cut off by the Indians in Cumberland settlement, is without foundation; that in consequence of such a report being circulated in Kentucky the militia was raised, but it being authentically contradicted, they were soon dismissed.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 27.

A subscription is set on foot in the city of London, for the relief of the sufferers by the late fire in Boston, on the 31st of July one hundred and fourteen guineas had been paid into the hands of sir James Esdaile, and Co. Bankers, for the above benevolent purpose. Subscriptions were going on rapidly at several other principal banking-houses in that city. It is said that this charitable act originated among the Society of Friends (Quakers) and was followed by all denominations of people. It is thought, that by Christmas several thousand pounds will be received. Messrs Champion and Dickenson, merchants, have subscribed twenty five guineas.

The inhabitants of the old world, says a correspondent, have long been looking at America, to see whether liberty and a republican form of government are worth contending for. The United States are at last about to try the experiment. They have formed a constitution, which has all the excellencies, without any of the defects, of the European governments. This constitution has been pronounced by able judges to be the wisest, most free and most efficient, of any form of government that ancient or modern times have produced. The gratitude of ages only can repay the enlightened and illustrious patriots, for the toil and time they have bestowed in framing it.

It is remarkable, that while the federal government lessens the power of the states, it increases the privileges of individuals. It holds out additional security for liberty, property and life, in no less than five different articles, which have no place in any one of the state constitutions. It moreover provides an effectual check to the African trade, in the course of one and twenty years. How honorable to America—to have been the first Christian power that has borne a testimony against a practice, that is alike disgraceful to religion, and repugnant to the true interests and happiness of society.

George Washington, Esq; has already been destined, by a thousand voices, to fill the place of the first President of the United States, under the new frame of government. While the deliverers of a nation in other countries have hewn out a way to power with the sword, or seized upon it by stratagems and fraud, our illustrious hero peaceably retired to his farm after the war from whence it is expected he will be called, by the suffrages of three millions of people, to govern that country by his wisdom (agreeable to fixed laws) which he had previously made free by his arms.—Can Europe boast of such a man? or can the history of the world shew an instance of such a voluntary compact between the deliverer and the delivered of any country, as will probably soon take place in the United States.

Extract of a letter from a Member of Congress, dated New-York, September 23, 1787.

"I am extremely happy to find that the citizens of Philadelphia have so warmly expressed their approbation of the new Constitution and Form of Government for the United States.

"It would afford me additional pleasure, if the legislature could have an opportunity of giving the sanction of their assent, by calling a convention of the people—but I am fearful this will not happen, as it cannot pass through the necessary formalities of Congress, previous to their adjournment, which by some late accounts I find will be sooner than was expected.

"I am happy to discover no disposition in Congress to affect any alteration in the new constitution, but to give it to the states as it was received from the Convention.

"There will be some difficulty in getting it adapted in New-York—the government has already discovered strong marks of disapprobation, and its adherents are constantly employed in disseminating opinions unfavorable to its reception—but all their attempts will be unavailing, as the Body of the People will clearly view their own interests, as intimately connected with the establishment of this new government.

"In several of the eastern states, I am persuaded it will be received with a political, bordering on the warmth of a religious, enthusiasm.

"In short, I am convinced that a great majority of the people will believe it is the only remedy that can be offered to cure the numerous evils that they are politically afflicted with.

"Pennsylvania will derive great consequence and consideration from taking the lead in the affair, as being the first to call a convention of the people."

We hear from East Jersey, that a sudden and heavy fall of rain happened in those parts, particularly in Monmouth county, on Tuesday the 18th instant, by which a very considerable number of mill dams, fences, &c. were entirely carried away by the irresistable force of the water, and other considerable damage done.

The departure of the French fleet from Boston is confirmed. In twelve hours after the arrival of the cutter with dispatches, they weighed anchor and went to sea, leaving behind them, it is said, one frigate, to receive some of the officers of the fleet, who were absent in different and distant parts of the country. It is conjectured by many, that the French and English courts have at length openly declared for their respective parties in Holland, and that a war must determine whether the United Provinces are to remain a republic, or submit with the rest of Europe to the more prevalent and fashionable sway of monarchy.

SHIP NEWS.

His Most Christian Majesty's Packet, No 2. —— Coquarridoue, esq commander, will sail from New York, with the mail for Havre, the 25th of October.

His Britannic Majesty's Packet Dashwood William Roberts, esq. commander, will sail from New-York, with the mail for Falmouth, on Wednesday the 4th of October next, wind and weather permitting.

Two British Packets are constantly running between Havre, London, and Southampton, and as the French Packets for New-York are established at Havre, these two English Packets offer a great conveniency for letters and passengers.

His Britannic Majesty's Packet Halifax, Boulderson, 46 days from Falmouth: Pitt, Stephens, from Liverpool; Mary, Born, from Turks Island, and Dolphin, Carhart, from Philadelphia, are arrived at New York.

The Alexander, Boudinot, arrived at London from New-York the 31st July.

The Hercules, Green, from St. Kitts, is arrived at Alexandria.

The Recovery, Gordon, from Grenada: Hope, Adams, from Bermuda: Baltimore, Smith, from Boston, and Hawke, Bunker, from Halifax, are arrived at Baltimore.

The Britannia, Galbreath, from Virginia, is arrived at Amsterdam; and the Exeter, M'Clare, also from Virginia, is arrived at Havre de Grace.

*** The British ship Mediator, Capt. Brougham, for London, will sail on Sunday next. Her letter bag will be taken from the Post-Office on Saturday evening. dtf

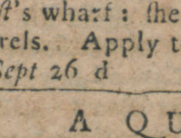
This Morning,

Precisely at 9 o'Clock,

At the City Auction Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Quantity of COATINGS; also, swankins, baizes, corduroys, calimancoes, shalloons, moreens, fustians, lawns, camblets, calicoes, mens and womens worsted hose, worsted mitts, linen handkerchiefs, cotton and silk ditto, Irish linens brown and white, &c &c. *Sept 27*

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.



FOR SALE,

The Schooner *Trial,*

Benjamin Rogers, junr. Master,

AS she came from sea, and now lays at Mr. *Hazlehurst*'s wharf: she is a good vessel, burthen about 300 barrels. Apply to

Sept 26 d DONNALDSON & COXE.

A QUANTITY OF

Souchong Tea

OF AN EXCELLENT QUALITY,

Just arrived in the ship Hope, from Canton, for sale on reasonable terms by

John Anthony,

At his Store on Webster's Wharf, near Chesnut-street.

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Just Arrived,

And Landing at Hamilton's Wharf, from the brig Munton, Capt. Alex M'Call, a quantity of

High Proof Antigua Rum;

Muscovado Sugars,

And a large Parcel of KING'S JUNK,

Which will be sold low for cash, on said Wharf. Apply to the subscribers, or the captain on board.

Knox and Henderson.

Sept. 27. etf

FOR SALE,

A NEW three story brick House, in one of the most agreeable parts of the city, compleatly finished in the modern style. The lot on which it stands is nineteen feet and a half in front, and one hundred and thirty-four feet in depth; it enjoys the benefit of a four feet alley, and other advantages. For further particulars, enquire of Benjamin Morgan, junior, Esq: in Market-street, near Third-street.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8. 3awtf

TO BE SOLD,

A Valuable Plantation and Tract of Land, situate in the township of Paxton, in the county of Dauphin, seven miles distant from Louisburg, the seat of justice in said county, and one mile from the river Susquehanna. The soil is fertile, the title indisputable, the quantity two hundred acres and allowance. There is upon the premises a dwelling house, barn, and young apple orchard, about six acres of excellent watered meadow, and more may be made; a great quantity of excellent timber for rails and fuel. There is also a Fulling Mill, in compleat repair, upon a never failing stream of water; and with the same dam an oil or other mill may be erected with convenience. The fulling mill is well situate for that business, as it commands great part of the custom from the Juniata and the branches of the Susquehannah, the carriage being so easy by boats. Any person inclining to purchase may apply to John Brown, administrator, in Whiteland township, Chester county.

Books by Auction.

Will commence on Monday Evening the First of October, at

Samuel Dellap's Book Auction Room,

In Third, next door to the corner of Chesnut-street,

A Valuable and Neat Collection of

BOOKS.

CATALOGUES to be had at the Auction Room.

By private sale at said place, the following

MEDICINES.

TOOTH-ACH.

The most violent tooth-ach cured in a few minutes, without drawing, by an essence, which gives immediate ease: it is excellent in curing all kinds of swellings in the cheek. Price 7s 6d.

The British Tooth-Powder and Tincture for the Gums.

It takes off all foulness from the teeth and gums, perfectly fastens such as are loose, prevents their decaying, and entirely cures the scurvey and all disorders of the gums. Five shillings per box, and five shillings per bottle.

The true Italian Pomade de Venus.

The excellent virtues, of it are well known to the polite world, for preventing the hair from falling, preserving it in its present vigour and colour, and even in case of baldness, it causes the hair to grow thick and strong: it is an excellent wash for the skin, making it smooth, plump and soft. Price five shillings per bottle.

Golden Medical Cephalic Snuff.

Has by long experience been found an effectual remedy for most disorders of the head. It mightily opens and purges the head, strengthens the nerves, has a grateful aromatic smell, it relieves dimness of the eyes, it is excellent in removing recent deafness, and is a great preventitive against noxious exhalation and infectious air. Price five shillings per bottle.

Fever and Ague Plaister.

This is one of the best medicines ever yet discovered for that disorder, which it effectually cures, when the bark has failed. Price ten shillings, seven shillings and sixpence, and five shillings, according to the age of the patient.

Dr. Sanxy's Anti-venerial Pills, Purging Electuary and Drops.

So well known in Europe, for entirely eradicating a certain disease in all its stages. Printed directions with the medicines will be given, setting forth every necessary to be known throughout the stages of the complaint, and in a clear distinct manner.

Turlington's Balsam of Life.

Being a specific remedy for the stone, gravel, cholic, vomiting and spitting of blood, and all other inward weaknesses.

Dr. Anderson's genuine Scots Pills,

Prepared by Dr. M'Naughton.

Dr. Walker's genuine Jesuits Drops.

Being an infallible remedy for a certain disorder, in both sexes, with directions for the use of it in all stages of the complaint.

Printed directions for the use of the above medicines.

Lecture on Heads

Just published, and to be sold at Samuel Dellap's Auction Room in Third-street.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

On *Wednesday* the 3d of October, at 7 o'Clock in the Evening (as per Draft to be seen at the *Merchants' Coffee-House*) being the Continuation of the *Sales* of 15th August last:

No. 7 to 11 FIVE Lots of Ground adjoining each other, containing in breadth on Mulberry street 18 feet, and in depth 86 feet: bounded westward by Schuylkill Front street, northward on lot *No.* 12, hereafter described, and eastward on Washington street.

No. 12 to 23, Twelve Lots adjoining each other, fronting westward to Schuylkill Front street, containing in breadth, *No.* 12, 20 feet, *No.* 13, 20 feet 8 inches, and *No.* 14 to 23, 20 feet 4 inches each, and in depth 90 feet: bounded northward by vacant ground, eastward by Washington street, and southward adjoining to lots *No.* 7 to 11.

No. 24 to 34, Eleven Lots, containing in breadth, *No* 24 to 33, each 20 feet and 4 inches, and *No.* 34, 20 feet 8 inches, and in depth 90 feet.

No. 35, containing in breadth 20 feet, and in depth 99 feet, adjoining *No* 34: bounded northward by a vacant lot, westward by Washington street, eastward by lot *No.* 2, and southward by lot *No.* 3 to 6, before sold.

The conditions of payment will be, one third of the purchase money in cash, one third in 6 months, and the other third in 9 months, with sufficient security. *Sept 26* 4t

Thomas Orr & Co.

At their store the east side of Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, have for sale, a variety of

Linen and Cotton Goods,

Suitable for town and country—Among which are the following, viz.

BROWN and white oznaburgs
Strong shirting and sheeting, and fine linens
Cotton checks
Printed linen handkerchiefs of various patterns and qualities
Ditto cotton ditto ditto
Silk and cotton ditto
Lawn ditto
4-4, 9-8 and 5-4 shawls
Printed cottons, chintzes and linens
Copperplate furnitures neat and newest patterns
Muslin handkerchiefs 4-4, 9-8 and 5-4, plain and tamboured
Ditto aprons, plain, tucked, checked, spotted and figured
Cossea, laconet, striped and cross-barred muslins, 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4, &c. &c. &c.

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FOR SALE,

EIGHTEEN Thousand Acres of valuable LAND in the state of Georgia. These lands, which consist of a number of tracts, situate in the different parts of the state, and within and near to settlements and part of them on navigable waters, are capable of great improvement, and well worth the attention of farmers who wish to remove to that country, as they are of the best quality for corn, wheat, tobacco, or indigo, and in healthy situations. Cash, tobacco, horses, bar iron or produce will be taken in payment, and a clear title made. A description of the lands may be seen, and further particulars made known by applying at the Office of

eo3t CLEMENT BIDDLE, Broker.

Philadelphia, September 26, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of *levari facias*, to me directed, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at the Coffee-House in the city of Philadelphia, on Wednesday the 10th day of October next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, a certain three story Brick Messuage and Lot or Piece of Ground, situate on the north side of Story-street, leading out of Third-street into Fourth-street, and between Vine-street and Race-street, in the city of Philadelphia (at the distance of 100 feet westward from said Third-street) containing in breadth on said Story-street 21 feet, and in length or depth 82 feet and 6 inches; bounded southward by said Story street, eastward and northward by ground of William Shippen, and westward with Peter Schwatt's ground, with the appurtenances; subject to a yearly rent charge or sum of 6 pounds and 6 shillings, current money of Pennsylvania. Taken in execution as late the estate of John Redman, and Martha his wife, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

Philadelphia, September 26, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas to me directed, will be exposed to sale, by public vendue, at the Merchants' Coffee-House, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 10th October, next at 6 o'clock in the evening, the following Messuages and Lots of Land.

No. 1. A certain two story brick house, also a two story brick bake house, and lot or piece of ground, situate on the north side of Coates' street, between Delaware Front and Second streets, in the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia, containing in breadth east and west 21 feet, and in depth north and south 57 feet; bounded eastward and westward by ground of Levi Budd, northward by ground of William Coates, esq. and southward by Coates' street aforesaid; subject to the payment of the yearly rent or sum of 21 dollars, payable in half yearly payments to the said Levi Budd, his heirs and assigns forever.

No. 2. Also, another two story brick messuage or tenement, and a two story frame messuage, and lot of ground thereunto belonging, situate on the west side of Second street continued in the Northern Liberties of the city of Philadelphia aforesaid, containing in breath on said street 19 feet, and in depth 227 feet and 6 inches; bounded northward with ground now or late of Thomas Leech, westward with lots of Isaac Leech and others, southward with ground of James Spriggs and John Hook, and eastward with Second street aforesaid, subject to the payment of the yearly rent or sum of 18 dollars, to the heirs and assigns of Samuel Leech; taken in execution as the property of Andrew Uhler, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

A Quantity of Well Assorted

CORDAGE

FOR SALE BY

Frederick W. Starman,

In Fifth street, near the corner of Market-street. 3f

Adam Hubley,

In Third-street, a few doors below Market-street,

Has for Sale,

LONDON particular Madeira Wine, 5 years old,
Old Hock in bottles
Port wine in bottles and casks
Lisbon and other wines
Spirit 3 years old
Imperial, hyson, souchong, and bohea teas
Raisins in jarrs, and Holland Gineva in casks
Syrups of capilaire, &c. nutmegs, allspice
Sweet Oil, Barbadoes Cayenne, &c. *ALSO,*
A few hogsheads high proof Jamaica spirits, and
Strong white wine vinegar. 2taw

On *HEALTH.*

AS we Life's varied zig-zag path pursue,
We meet its pleasures and its sorrows too;
Of strong contracted parts the picture's made,
Here vivid colouring, there a mass of shade;
As the high hills reflect the brightest rays,
So health's the sunshine of our fickle days;
Of that possess'd, however great the ills,
Its balm alleviates, or gilds the pills.
Then woo her closely in the rustic cell,
Where Peace and Temperance, her parents, dwell.
Trace her chaste footsteps on the upland lawn,
At evening's glow, and mild Aurora's dawn.
Howe'er attractive be the midnight bowl,
The jest, the song, the glee, the flow of soul,
To this gay phalanx firmly dare to give
This toast—'Health! 'tis with thee we wish to live.'

ANECDOTE.

WHEN the late Doctor Rock, of facetious memory, used to publish his medicines in the mountebank style; and was once extolling their virtues on Tower Hill, he observed a *porter*, who had attracted part of his audience to a separate circle. This not being very agreeable to the physical orator, he enquired what the fellow was doing?——Why, Doctor, said one of the croud, he tells us he remembers the time when you was a *porter* as well as himself. It is very true, replied Rock, but you see *he* is a PORTER still!

The several Light Companies attached to the Regiments of the City and Liberties will attend the monthly meeting on Monday next the 1st of October, being the last parade for this season. Those companies which do not attend will lose their routine of position, as established. Sept. 25 dtf

THE Managers of the City Concert respectfully inform their Friends and the Public, that the Concerts will be held in the City-Tavern, as formerly, and will commence on Thursday the 22d November. Subscriptions received by Messrs. Brown *and* Rienagle, *in Chesnut, between Fourth and Fifth streets* *Sept* 26. 3tw2w

For Baltimore,

The Sloop HANNAH,

Samuel Oakford, Master;

WILL sail the 29th instant, For freight or passage apply to *Israel Israel* at the Cross Keys Inn, or the Master on board at Bald's wharf. *Sept 26* 3tp

FOR

Norfolk, Petersburg and Richmond,

The Sloop DELAWARE, *Wm. Tanner*, Master: HAS excellent accommodations for passengers, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, laying at Chesnut street wharf, or to *Francis Knox*, in Second street.

September 26 eo3t

Philadelphia, Sept. 26, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept from Geo. Schlosser, Robert Smith and Rowland Evans, esquires, trustees of the general Loan Office of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to me directed, will be exposed to sale by public vendue, at the Old Coffee House, in the city of Philadelphia, on Wednesday the 31st day of October next, at six o'clock in the evening, A certain messuage or tenement, and tract or piece of land thereto belonging, situate partly in Moreland and partly in Lower Dublin townships, in the county of Philadelphia, containing 105 acres (be the same more or less) bounded by lands of Jacob Duffield, — Fisher, Edward Duffield, John Swift, Joseph Duffield, and by the Newton road, and the township line. Taken in execution as the property of Jonathan Scholfield, merchant, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

James Glentworth,

At his *Office* the Corner of Third and Market streets,

Procures Money on Loan,

To any amount, on deposits or satisfactory security.

LIKEWISE,

Buys and Sells on Commission,

Bank Stock, Nicholson's Loan-Office funded and unfunded Depreciation, Stelle's, Story's, and Pierce's Certificates, and every other kind of Paper issued by Pennsylvania or the United States. March 26 2aw

FOR SALE,

A valuable Plantation 19 miles from the city, in high cultivation, suitable for a country seat, or a person wishing to attend the market—Likewise, a *LOT* in Market street, a good stand for business

James Vanuxem

Has for Sale, at his store in Water-street, below Market-street,

CAmbricks and lawns, royal linens, laces and edgings, chintzes and callicoes, Barcelona handkerchiefs, gauzes, silks and silk stockings, fans, fine and second cloths, &c. &c.—A few bales of Cotton Candle Wick, an assortement of looking glasses framed, and a few plates of ditto 41 by 27, and 38 by 25 with gilt and plain moulding.

By his Last Importation from Marseilles.

Old Malaga wine in pipes, old sherry wine in quarter casks, muscat wine of a superior quality in hogsheads, soft and hard shell almonds, ratafia in boxes, sugar plumbs in Demi Jeannes, empty Demi Jeannes, dry verdigris, Alicant anniseed, liquorice ball, an assortment of grind stones. Likewise, Essences of burgamot and lavender, and a few packages of drugs.

All persons indebted to the estate of Lacaze and Mallet are desired to make payment to said James Vanuxem, who is empowered by the assignees of said house, to sue for the same. August 30. 2awtf

TO BE SOLD BY

John Telles and Co.

In Water-street, a little below the Drawbridge,

The Cargo of the Brig St. John Baptist, Capt. Jardin, from Port and Fayal: Consisting of

Port and Faval Wines;

Four years old, in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks.

ALSO,

A large Assortment of India Silks, viz.

Sattins
Silk serges
Pain and striped lutestrings } of various colours
Peelongs
Paduasoys and spotted silks
Blue and red nankeens
India fans of different qualities
A few bags of pepper, some barrels best gunpowder, and a few hogsheads of New-England Rum. 2aw

Robertſon & Smith

Have juſt Received per the Harmony and Pigou, from London, and Polly, capt. Williamſon, from Hull,

A General Aſſortment of Seaſonable

G O O D S,

Conſiſting of

SUPERFINE & ſecond cloths	Iona handkerchiefs
Hunters ditto	Printed linen ditto
Plains, fearnoughts	White and brown Ruſſia and Iriſh ſheetings
Coatings, bearſkins	Diapers
Kendle cottons	Dowlaſſes
Roſe and ſtriped blankets	Florentines
Red, green & white baizes	Sattinets
Flannels	Joans
Carpets and carpeting	Durants
An aſſortment of mens, womens and childrens worſted and cotton hoſe	Tammies
	Calimancoes
	Camblets
Aſſortment of printed calicoes and chintzes	Bird ey'd ſtuffs
Coloured and black Barcelona	Dorſettees, &c. &c.

All which they will ſell very low for caſh, or a ſhort credit, at their ſtore in Front-ſtreet, next door to the corner of Black Horſe alley. 3aw4w

Hewes & Anthony

Have for ſale at their ſtore on Cheſnut ſtreet wharf,

A CARGO of Hiſpaniola Molaſſes, New-England rum, lamp oil, beſt Boſton Bay mackrel, codfiſh, ſpermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack ſhrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of ſhad and herrings, a quantity of ſeaſoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have alſo for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 23 dtf

Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron

Nail rods, Sheet iron

Plough ſhare moulds, with and without bars

Large ten plate	STOVES
Small ditto	
Franklin, and	
Rittenhouſe	

Backs and jambs for chimnies

Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings

Jamaica ſpirit	by the hogſhead
Weſt India and country rum	

Rice by the tierce

Indigo, Indian corn

Sugar and coffee

They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,

Pipe,	Staves and Heading
Hogſhead and	
Barrel	

Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

Imported in the Brig Franciſca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewiſe for ſale, at their ſtores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogſheads and quartercaſks, of a ſuperior quality, ſhipped by the Royal Port Company: alſo,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of beſt

Hyſon and Souchong TEAS.

Auguſt 22. eptf

Now Landing at Race ſtreet wharf,

The CARGO of the ſhip Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Peterſburg—Conſiſting of,

HEMP

Cables, from 7 to 11 inches

Cordage, aſſorted Ravens duck

Ruſſia ſheeting—*And for ſale by*

Haynes and *Crawford,*

Who have to diſpoſe of,

Antigua rum and ſugar

Iriſh linens

Iriſh beef

Cork ſail cloth

Claret in caſes of two and a half dozen, &c.

September 19 d

Juſt arrived in ſundry Veſſels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-ſtreet,

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and ſmall caſks

Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto

Catalonia red and white wine in ditto

Jamaica and Windward Iſland rum

Freſh raiſins in kegs and jars

Hyſon tea in quarter cheſts

China and queens ware in boxes and crates

A large and beautiful aſſortment of light and dark French chintzes

With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, ſuitable to the preſent and approaching ſeaſon. dtf

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

STORE,

In Third ſtreet, oppoſite Church alley—A freſh Aſſortment of

Muſlins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKEY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glaſs, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Liſbon, Port, Calcavella and Weſtern Iſland Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf

WANTS a Place as Houſe-Keeper in a reputable family, a Young Woman who can be well recommended. Enquire of the Printers. Sept. 22

Robert Baſs,

HAS this day imported in the Harmony, Captain Willet, from London, a ſmall Caſe of pure, genuine

Red Peruvian Bark.

He will receive by the next veſſel from London, a full ſupply of freſh Drugs, Medicines, and Shop Furniture, to compleat his aſſortment till next ſpring.

Sept. 18 eoif

Knox & Henderſon

Have juſt received by the ſhip *Succeſs*, from Liverpool,

A Large and Elegant Aſſortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the neweſt faſhion, printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable ſilk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4 4, and yard and 3 8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton ſtockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *ſell low for Caſh*, at their Store in Front ſtreet.

Alſo, A quantity of beſt Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Iriſh

linens; crates containing compleat ſetts of green marine edged diſhes, flat and ſoup plates, tureens with ſtands and ſpoons, ſauce tureens, baking and ſallad diſhes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 Engliſh Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in caſes,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Neſbitt.*

September 5 d

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Cheſnut ſtreets, have Imported in the ſhips Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Veſſels from Europe, and are now ſelling on exceedingly low terms for caſh or ſhort credit, a fine Aſſortment of

Seaſonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, ſattins and perſians, black and coloured Barcelonia ſilk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano dit. velverets, corduroys and thickſets, printed velverets, ſuperfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white ſhirting linens and ſheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat aſſortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worſted hoſiery, &c &c. Sept. 20 d

Emanuel Walker & Co.

Have removed their Store to the eaſt ſide of Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, and nearly oppoſite to Gray's Alley,

Where they have for *Sale*,

Juſt Imported in the ſhip Harmony, captain Willet, from London, an Aſſortment of Goods ſuitable to the ſeaſon, and which will be ſold by the Package, or in Quantities, *Cheap* for *Caſh*—Among which are the following articles, *viz*

COATINGS, duffils and bearſkins	Sewing ſilks
Fearnoughts & halfthicks	Womens fine ſattin and purple gloves
Yorkſhire cloths	Mens beaver gloves
Green and white milled baizes	Liſle thread
	Hat and bonnet wire
Kendall cottons	Scots camblets
Scots carpets	Tammies, durants and calimancoes
Duffil blankets	
Shetland & Sanguhar hoſe	Laſtings, ſattinets and Moncrieffs
Womens durant and calimanco petticoats	
	Corduroys and thickſets
Buff caſſimer	Yellow, pink and crimſon moreens
Toilanet and wiltonet for winter jackets	
	Taberets and tabereens
Cottons, calicoes & chintzes	Womens ſcarlet and ſtone coloured cardinals
Copperplate furniture of the neweſt patterns	
	Plain and ſtriped lawns
Iriſh linens, low priced	Needle worked lawn aprons
Printed linen handkerchiefs	Crape, cyprus and nett gauzes
Shawls	Plain and faſhionable buttons
Ruſſia ſheetings	
Scots oznabrigs	Ribbons of the neweſt and moſt faſhionable patterns
Black and coloured India perſians	
Chocolate and flowered bandannoes	Mens fine and coarſe hats
	Bed bunts
Modes and ſattins	Cotton counterpanes
Perſians and ſarſnets	Spaniſh & ſtriped gingham
Silk ſerge for linings	Coſſac, checked and book muſlin
Black and coloured ſilk handkerchiefs	

Sept. 22 d

Philadelphia, Auguſt 27, 1787.

THE ſubſcriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requeſts that thoſe indebted to him would immediately pay their reſpective balances; thoſe who have demands againſt him will pleaſe apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for ſale, two convenient *STORES*, the ſouthweſt corner of Third and Cheſnut ſtreets, for Paper Money of the late emiſſion. d

FOR SALE, A

TWO ſtory Houſe and Lot of Ground, ſituate on the Bank ſide of Front ſtreet, nearly oppoſite to the Cuſtom-Houſe, late the eſtate of Nathaniel Allen, deceaſed, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harriſon, ſhoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the ſame breadth to Water ſtreet. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

This Day is PUBLISHED, by

Prichard & Hall,

And to be had at *Prichard*'s Book-Store and Circulating Library, in Market ſtreet,

(*Neatly bound and lettered—Price* 3/9)

THE

ALGERINE SPY

In Pennſylvania:

Being the epiſtolary correſpondence between Mehemet, the *ſecret deputy* from the ſublime Porte, reſident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the ſentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the cloſe of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully diſplayed.

The whole tranſlated from the original Arabic manuſcript. By *S. T. P.*

*** *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous cuſtomers, that he has, juſt arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Aſſortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

WHEREAS *Samuel Baker*, of the city of Philadelphia, merchant, has by aſſignment made over his Eſtate, Merchandize and Book Debts to the ſubſcribers, as aſſignees, to act for the benefit of his creditors—Thoſe having demands are requeſted to furniſh their accounts; and all who are indebted, are earneſtly deſired to make ſpeedy payment to *Arthur Collins*, acting aſſignee—Who has for ſale on the moſt advantageous terms for caſh, at James Wilſon's ſtore, Second, between Market and Arch ſtreets, a general Aſſortment of ſeaſonable DRY GOODS.

Randle & Murgatroyd,
Arthur Collins,
William Bowen.

Philadelphia, Sept. 8. 1787 3taw4w

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, ſurviving Partner of *Meaſe & Caldwell*, has made an aſſignment of his own, as well as all the eſtates, both real and perſonal, of the ſaid Partnerſhip, to *Robert Millegan*, eſq; attorney at law, and the ſubſcriber, for the uſe of their creditors—All perſons indebted to the ſaid Partnerſhip, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are deſired to ſettle their reſpective balances on or before the 1ſt of October next, otherwiſe ſuits will be commenced againſt them without further notice: alſo, thoſe who have any demands againſt the ſaid Partnerſhip, are requeſted to furniſh their accounts to the ſubſcriber in Front ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Aſſignee to *Meaſe & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, Auguſt 22, 1787. 3tawi1O

LANDS FOR *SALE*

IN MARYLAND,

THE ſubſcriber has for ſale, all that *TRACT* of *LAND* called *Beall's Plantation* and *Bateman's Field* (being part of *Snowden's Reputation Supported*) containing from a late ſurvey 676 and a half acres, ſituate on the head of South river, Anne Arrundel county, about 3 miles from navigable water, 12 from the city of Annapolis, 28 from Baltimore town, 24 from George town, and about 7 from the inſpection Houſes of Indian Landing and Queen Anne, is well adapted for corn, wheat, and particularly tobacco.

This Plantation has not been tenanted for 3 years is a moſt pleaſing and deſirable ſituation, and capable of great improvement at a ſmall expence; there are 259 acres of timber land, a greater part of which is very valuable. The ſubſcriber would prefer diſpoſing of the whole in one lot; but has no objection to make ing ſeveral of it: the timber land is conveniently ſituated for making ſuch diviſions in equal proportions, & there are many pleaſant ſituations for erecting different buildings; it is alſo well watered—A very good mill ſtream runs through it, and there is ſome meadow ground, and much more may be very readily made.

The improvements upon it are, a good dwelling houſe with three large rooms on each floor, kitchen, quarter, corn houſe, ſtables, tobacco houſe, and two very fine apple orchards, one of which contains 220 trees, together with a number of other valuable fruit trees.

A plan of this eſtate may be ſeen at Mr. *Vachel Stevens*, ſurveyor, Annapolis, who will ſhew the premiſes; alſo at Meſſ. *William Patterſon & Brother*'s, Baltimore, and further information had. For price, terms, &c. apply to *JOHN WADDINGTON*.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 15. wtf

BARNABAS M'SHANE,

WHO has for ſome time paſt kept the Inn in Black Horſe Alley; is now removed to that old and commodious tavern the *Harp* and *Crown*, in Third ſtreet. He begs leave to ſolicit the favours of his friends and the public in general, and aſſures thoſe gentlemen who formerly frequented that houſe and the Harp and Crown, that every accommodation, both for themſelves and horſes, ſhall be furniſhed in the beſt and moſt careful manner, and on the moſt reaſonable terms. 3tawtf.

Forty Dollars Reward.

RANAWAY on Sunday the 26th of Auguſt laſt, a BLACK MAN, named *SAM*, belonging to the ſubſcriber; he is about 22 years of age, 6 feet high, very ſlender for his height; walks remarkably ſtreight; is ſmooth faced, and keeps his hair well dreſſed; carried off with him a variety of cloathing, which no doubt he will change, having plenty of money in his pockets; is very talkative, and can tell a lie with a good countenance. Whoever ſecures the ſaid Fellow, ſo that his maſter may have him again, will be paid the above Reward. Maſters of veſſels and others are cautioned againſt carrying off or harbouring him.

WILLIAM M'MURTRIE.

Point no Point, near Philadelphia, *Sept.* 20 8t

WANTS employment in a public ſtore, a young MAN, who underſtands figuring, and writes a very plain legible hand: he has to produce, ſufficient certificates for his character. Enquire at Alexander Cameron's in South-ſtreet, the next door to Mr. Inniſ's brew houſe.

To be Sold or Let,

And may be entered upon immediately,

A HOUSE and TANYARD, &c. near this city, beautifully ſituated, being in good repair, and in an excellent ſtand for buſineſs—A quantity of BARK may alſo be had on the premiſes. Enquire of the printers of this paper. 3ſp

PROPOSALS

For Printing by Subſcription,

SERMONS,

On the Security and Happineſs of a virtuous Courſe,
On the Goodneſs of God,
The Reſurrection of Lazarus, &c. &c.

By RICHARD PRICE, D. D. L. L. D. F. R. S.

Conſiſting of ten Sermons.

This Work is propoſed to be printed on a good paper and type, and to be furniſhed to the ſubſcribers at *two-thirds of a dollar*, bound and lettered, in one neat pocket volume.

As ſoon as four hundred ſubſcribers have given in their names, the work will be put to preſs.

Subſcriptions taken in by *Thomas Dobſon*, and the other Bookſellers in Philadelphia: *Robert Hodge*, New-York; *William Elliot*, Charleſtown; and all others intruſted with Propoſals. Sept 13 3aw3w

John Murduck,

At his *Perfume Shop*, at the Sign of the *Roſe*, in Walnut, between Second and Third ſtreets,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Ladies and Gentlemen, that he has juſt received a variety of high ſcented POMATUM, which, with many other Articles in the Perfumery way, he will diſpoſe of on very reaſonable terms.

Said *Murduck* takes the preſent opportunity of returning thanks to thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen who have been ſo good as to favour him with their cuſtom, and flatters himſelf his conduct will be ſuch as will merit a continuance of their favours.

HAIR-POWDER of the firſt quality manufactured by HENRY & MURDUCK, to be ſold at the above Shop by the quantity, or retail, or at *Hugh Henry*'s, Cheſnut ſtreet, No. 19, between Second and Front ſtreets.

Auguſt 13 2awtf

In COUNCIL.

Philadelphia, Auguſt 29, 1787.

WHEREAS it is repreſented to this board that there are many of the line of this ſtate intitled to land that have not yet appeared by themſelves, or ſent orders, to draw for their lots—And by a reſolution of this Board, of the 31ſt day of Auguſt, 1786, they will be precluded, unleſs the time is prolonged ſo as to include one year from the commencement of drawing; therefore,

Reſolved, That the lottery continue open for applicants until the 1ſt day of October next, and that this reſolution be publiſhed, ſo that all concerned may have notice thereof.

Extract from the minutes;

JAMES TRIMBLE,
2awtO For John Armſtrong, jun. Secretary.

ALL thoſe who have any Demands againſt the eſtate of David Schaffer, jun. late of the city of Philadelphia, ſugar refiner, deceaſed, are deſired to bring in their accounts, properly authenticated, for ſettlement; and all perſons indebted to ſaid eſtate are deſired to make payment without delay.

JOHN FROMBERGER, Executor.

Philadelphia, September 13, 1787.

N. B. The ſale of loaf and other ſugars, as well as Molaſſes, is continued at the ſtore of the deceaſed, as heretofore; and there is now a large quantity on hand, which will be diſpoſed of on the loweſt terms. 2awtf

James Newport,

At his Diſtillery Store, in Front-ſtreet (weſt ſide) ſix Doors above Arch-ſtreet,

Has by Wholeſale and Retail, of very beſt Quality, at the loweſt Rates.

MADEIRA, Liſbon, Teneriffe — Wines	Shrub which makes very fine punch with only the addition of water
Jamaica Spirits	Cinnamon Water
Weſt India Rum	Anniſeed ditto
Philadelphia & New England Rum	Clove ditto
	Orange ditto
Plain Brandy	Pepper-mint ditto
Raſberry ditto	All-Fours
Cherry ditto	Spirits of Wine
Gin in caſks and caſes	

Fine flavoured Rum and Wine COLOURING.

N. B. Good Allowance is made to thoſe who buy to ſell again. Aug. 18. 2awtf

Freſh Importation by the Pigou

OPENING for SALE

At W. Poyntell's,

In Second ſtreet, the corner of Black Horſe Alley—

New Publications in 1787.

TOWN and Country, European, Univerſal and Ladies Magazine to June, incluſive; Court Calender, life of Monſieur Turgot, hiſtory of Mexico 2 volumes in 4to, by Charles Cullen, Eſquire, embelliſhed with elegant plates and charts, enquiries concerning letters de cachet, the conſequences of arbitrary impriſonment, and a hiſtory of the diſtreſſes and ſufferings of ſtate priſoners, written in the dungeon of the caſtle of Vincennes by the count de Mirabeau; the emperor's new code of laws, Paley's moral and political philoſophy, hiſtory of the campaigns of 1780 and 1781, in the ſouthern ſtates, by lieutenant colonel Tarleton, commandant of the late Britiſh legion, Bell's ſurgery volume 5, Neſbit and Howard on the venereal diſeaſe; a variety of medical pamphlets; Adair's philoſophical and medical ſketches of the hiſtory of the human body and mind, comparative view of the lives, characters and writings of the earl of Cheſterfield and doctor Johnſon, experiments on lights and colours, Cavallo on magnetiſm, LAW.—Crown circuit, Dawe's law of arreſts, the two laſt term reports, Powel, barriſter at law, on powers. NOVELS, &c.—Romance of real life, Lounger, Mrs. Baddely, Olivia, Georgina, victim of fancy, ſorrows of the heart, Louiſa, or the cottage of the Moor, exceſſive ſenſibility, Allen Fitzoſborne, Miſs Grenville, ſupplement to Cheſterfield, curſe of ſentiment, Emma Melcombe, Ruben, Spaniſh memoirs, Joſeph, village of Martindale, converſations of Emily, &c. &c.

Globes.

Adams's lateſt 12, 15, and 18 inch complete.

Muſical Inſtruments.

Guitars at various prices, violins, German flutes, beſt Roman violin ſtrings, bridges, pegs, mutes, and bows, harpſichord and piano forte wires, guitar ſtrings, &c.

New Muſic.

Amongſt which are many of the firſt authors, with a great variety of ſheet ſongs, flute, violin and guitar tutors, blank muſic books.

Maps, &c.

New and elegant four ſheet maps of North America, including the Weſt Indies, Europe, Aſia, Africa, and the world, Jefferſon's maps of Virginia, ſingle ſheet maps of the world, Europe, Aſia, Africa, and America, drawing books of all deſcriptions, a great variety of prints.

Stationary.

Imperial, ſuper royal, royal, medium, poſt and fooliſcap writing paper, extra thin and ſmall poſt, gilt and plain letter paper, London brown, blotting and cartridge paper, excellent Dutch quills and Iriſh wafers, red tape, ivory folding ſticks, India rubber or elaſtic gum, ſhining japan black ink in vials, beſt London made ink by the gallon, quart, &c. counting houſe files, ebony, japan and pewter inkſtands of all kinds, travelling port folios, paper caſes, blank books of all kinds, beſt Dutch ſealing wax, &c. &c.

Jewellery, &c.

A great variety of Ladies ſett ſhoe buckles, pins, lockets and rings, gentlemens ſett knee buckles, breaſt buckles, &c.

Hard and Plated Ware.

The largeſt aſſortment of firſt rate razors ever imported, with variety of caſes, penknives of every deſcription, ſciſſars, caſes of mathematical inſtruments, protractors, braſs compaſſes, plain and ſhifting joints, a great variety of elaſtic plated ſpurs with or without faſhionable long necks, ſome of which are on an entire new conſtruction, variety of gentlemens plated ſhoe buckles, ſnaffle, pelham and curb bitts, tea and coffee urns, cadies, tea pots, candleſticks, &c. &c.

Painting in Water Colours.

Reeve's patent cake colours in boxes at various prices, beſt camel hair pencils, ivory in ſheets, pallets, colour marbles, India ink, &c. beſt and common Crayons.

ALSO,

Ladies and gentlemens morocco pocket books of all kinds, watch chains, ſtrings, ſeals and keys, aſſortment of riding whips, ſhaving glaſſes and picture frames, patent ſhaving ſoap, ſmelling bottles of various kinds, marking types in boxes of various ſizes, tweezers, corkſcrews, ivory and aſs ſkin memorandum books, portable travelling ſhaving caſes, corals and bells, tooth bruſhes, etuits, eſſence of pearl & pearl dentifrice, Aſiatic tooth powder, Doctor Baker's antiſcorbutic dentifrice and Albion eſſence, money ſcales, cloth powder, ſpring and thumb lancets, eraſers, cypher ſeals, purſes, razor ſtrops, japan tea trays, &c. with a variety of other articles not enumerated.

PHILADELPHIA: Printed and Sold by JOHN DUNLAP and DAVID C. CLAYPOOLE;
On the South ſide of Market-ſtreet, the third Houſe Eaſt of Second-ſtreet, where Subſcriptions, Advertiſements, &c. for this Paper, are thankfully received, and PRINTING in its different Branches is done with Care, Elegance and Expedition——Subſcribers to this Paper (in the city) are ſerved with it at their Houſes early every Morning, and thoſe at a diſtance by the quickeſt Conveyance.

The Pennsylvania Packet, and Daily Advertiser.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1787.

[Price Four-Pence.] [No. 2698.]

Sales at Auction.

THIS DAY,

The 28th Instant—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction-Store,

Precisely at 9 o'Clock in the Morning,
Will begin the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandize:

Among which are,

MANCHESTER chintzes and cottons of the first quality and patterns; Irish linens, white and brown, yard, 7-8 and 3-4 wide; a neat invoice of Scotch needle worked and plain lawn aprons and handkerchiefs; plain and striped and cross barred kentings, gauzes, lineaus and catguts; superfine Irish linens, long lawns and cambricks; a few pieces beautiful sattins and mantuas; plain, jaconet, striped and cross barred muslins of different qualities; moreens, calimancoes, rattinets, shalloons, durants & tammies; garters and bindings; French, German and English cloths, coatings, &c. &c. *September* 28

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

THIS MORNING,

At 9 o'Clock, will be Sold by Public Vendue, at the southeast Corner of Second and Chesnut streets—A Quantity of

New Furniture,

Warranted sound and good (the Maker intending to remove to Pittsburgh) Consisting of,

PLAIN, claw feet and ornamented chairs of the newest pattern
Ditto tea tables of the newest fashions
Circular and square tea tables ditto
Plain and commode bureau tables
Dressing tables
Dining ditto large and small

Also, a small Quantity of the best seasoned MAHOGANY. Sept. 28 tuwf

Peter Wikoff, Auctioneer.

On Tuesday Next,

Precisely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandise.

The stated days of sale at the above store, are *Tuesdays and Thursdays*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wednesday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.
Sept. 27 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

BY virtue of two writs of Alias Lavaria Facias to us directed, will be exposed to *Public Sale*, on Saturday the 29th instant, at one o'clock in the afternoon, on the premises, two tracts or pieces of land, situate and lying in the county of Lancaster and in the county of Dauphin, in the townships of Mountjoy and Londonderry, containing 250 acres, with allowance, adjoining lands of John Duncan, Andrew Robinson and others; there is a large quantity of meadow already made, with an elegant mill-seat, and a never failing stream of water runs through the middle of the land, well known by the name of Conneawga Creek, and abounds with large timber throughout the whole of the land, late the property of William Hay. Seized and taken in execution, and to be sold by us.

JOHN MILLER, Sheriff of Lancaster County.
ANTHONY KELKER, Sheriff of Dauphin County.
Lancaster, September 6.

Public Sale of Bankrupt's Estate.

At the *Old Coffee-House*, on *Wednesday* the 10th day of October next, will be sold to the highest Bidder, the following

PROPERTY,

Belonging to the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.

No 1, A Tract of valuable patented land, containing 272 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, in Bald Eagle township, Northumberland county; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Thomas Denton*, dated the 1st day of July, 1784.

No 2, A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, and adjoining the before mentioned tract; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to *Lewis Farmer*, dated 1st July, 1784.

No 3. A tract of patented land, containing 307 acres and allowance, situate on the waters of Bald Eagle, as aforesaid, and separated from *No* 2 by a tract of about 300 acres; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to John Hughes, dated the 1st of July, 1784.

No 4, A tract of land, containing 319 3-8 acres and allowance, situate on Sinnamahoning creek, 25 miles from the mouth, and county aforesaid; was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant granted to col. *Isaac Melchor*, dated the 17th of May 1785. A patent will be obtained from the office in the name of, and delivered the purchaser of this tract, free from any expence.

No 5, A tract of patented land, containing 300 acres and allowance, in the county of Westmoreland, being lot *No* 16, in the second district of Donation lands.

Any person desirous of further information, may apply at the Bankrupts' Office, or to the subscriber, who will attend at the place of sale.

ROBERT RALSTON, Assignee of the estate of *Thomas Denton*, a Bankrupt.
Philadelphia, September 14, 1787

ALL persons indebted to the estate of the said bankrupt, are required to make immediate payment to the subscriber. R. R. 2aw

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To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-House*, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th day of October next, at six o'clock in the Evening,

(If not previously disposed of at private sale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Estate of the late *William Moore*, esquire, situate upon the river Schuylkill, in the township of Charles-Town, in the county of Chester, distant 23 miles from this city.

The Estate consists of upwards of 600 acres of most excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Mansion House is spacious, convenient and airy; it is situated upon a high and healthy spot, and commands a most delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Grist-Mill on the premises, near the Mansion House, on a never-failing stream, called Pickering, running through the estate, and watering a great body of meadow; this stream empties itself into the Schuylkill, in front of the house; it formerly supplied water for a saw-mill, which might with much ease, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Estate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any person inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premises before the day of sale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, esquire, in Arch street, or PETER MILLER, esquire, in Third street. *Sept* 17 eptf

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Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be exposed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thursday the 29th of November next, at the Court-House in Harford county, state of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilson and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-house, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a small expence by several springs, and a considerable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewise flows through a part of it, on which is a mill seat. There is on each farm a good brick house, with barn, stables, &c. a large orchard stocked with the best fruit, and a large garden paled in. The situation is high and healthy, the soil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to several merchant mills, where there is a constant market for all kinds of grain.

Those who wish to view the land, on application to Mess. Ashton and Waters, the present tenants, will be shewn it. Possession will be given the 1st of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be easy to the purchaser, and will be made known on the day of sale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

To be Sold or Let,

And may be entered upon immediately,

A HOUSE and TANYARD,

&c. near this city, beautifully situated, being in good repair, and in an excellent stand for business — A quantity of BARK may also be had on the premises. Enquire of the printers of this paper. 3sp

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THE Managers of the City Concert respectfully inform their Friends and the Public, that the Concerts will be held in the City-Tavern, as formerly, and will commence on Thursday the 22d November. Subscriptions received by Messrs. BROWN *and* RIENAGLE, *in Chesnut, between Fourth and Fifth streets.* *Sept.* 26. 3aw2w

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For London,

The Ship PIGOU,
Wollman Sutton, Master;

Now laying at Walnut-street wharf; will sail with all convenient speed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or passage apply to the said Master, Thomas Penrose, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

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For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY,
John Willett, Master;

FOR freight or passage apply to the Commander on board at Mease's wharf, or to
Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For Boston,

The Sloop BAUSTO,
DANIEL NEWMAN, Master;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will sail with all convenient speed. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or to Messrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon*, at their store at the head of the wharf.
September 17 d

For Charleston,

The Brig *PHOEBE,*
John Drinker, Master;

NOW laying at Messrs. James & John Cox's wharf, will sail on Thursday the 4th October. For freight or passage apply to the Master on board, or
KEELEY & JENKINS,

Who have for sale at their store in Water street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, Madeira, Sherry, Lisbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines, Jamaica spirits, West India and New England rum, coffee and sugars, hyson and bohea tea, a quantity of Madeira Walnuts, &c. September 22 dt40

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Island built vessel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be sent to sea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to
July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For Charter,

The French Ship L'OISEAU,
J. MENO, Master,
For any part of the Mediterranean;

Now laying at Luffer's Wharf, New-York: she is a very fast sailer, and well found, burthen about 240 hogsheads of tobacco. Apply to Mr. R. J. Thebaut, on board said ship, or to JAMES VANUXEM, In Water-street, below Market-street.
September 20. 6sp

For Baltimore,

The Sloop HANNAH,
Samuel Oakford, Master;

WILL sail the 29th instant, For freight or passage apply to *Israel Israel*, at the Cross Keys Inn, or the Master on board at Bald's wharf. *Sept* 26 3sp

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FOR SALE,

The Schooner *Trial,*

Benjamin Rogers, junr. Master,

AS she came from sea, and now lays at Mr. *Hazlehurst*'s wharf: she is a good vessel, burthen about 300 barrels. Apply to
Sept 26 d *DONNALDSON & COXE.*

Philadelphia, September 7, 1787.

To the *Electors* of the City and County of Philadelphia,

GENTLEMEN,

HAVING had the honor of holding the Office of Sheriff this two years past, which I have endeavoured to discharge according to the best of my abilities, and shall continue so to do (if continued therein) for which I humbly request your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, which shall be gratefully acknowledged by,

Gentlemen,
Your obedient, humble Servant,
Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors*, for the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

ENCOURAGED by a respectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to request the Favour of your Votes at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, as I mean to offer myself a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpose, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,
Your obedient humble Servant,
Samuel Caldwell.

Philadelphia, September 21, 1787. dtf

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors* of the City and County of *Philadelphia*,

GENTLEMEN,

MY warmest thanks are due to you for the honor you have done me, by choosing me one of your Representatives in the General Assembly these three years past; permit me now earnestly to solicit the favour of your Votes and Interest at the ensuing Election, to place me on the Return with the present Sheriff, for that Office, at the Expiration of his Time. Which Favour will be held in grateful Remembrance by, *Gentlemen*,

Your most obedient and most humble Servant
William Will.

Philadelphia, August 6, 1787

Low-priced Irish Linens.

A few Packages just imported in the Dublin Packet, Capt. Alcorn, from Dublin,

FOR SALE BY

CURTIS CLAY,

In Market-street, near Second-street.
He has also received by the Pigou and Harmony, from London,

BROWN Russia sheetings (by the piece or package)
White ditto
Brown silesias, dowlas, drillings, Osnaburgh
Printed cottons and callicoes
Printed handkerchiefs
Book muslins, book muslin handkerchiefs
Best spotted and flowered bandanoes
Pulicat and lungee romalls
India persians, buff and white cassimers
Black sattinets and florentines
White buckrams, white, red and scarlet flannels
With a variety of other articles. eotf

Just Arrived, and for Sale at

De Heyder Veydt & Co's.

In Second-street, between Arch and Race streets,

A small quantity of Cocoa;

As Likewise,

A general assortment of Goods,

Suitable for the ensuing season.
September 25. 2awtf

A Quantity of Well Assorted

CORDAGE

FOR SALE BY

Frederick W. Starman,

In Fifth street, near the corner of Market-street. 3f

Just Arrived,

And Landing at Hamilton's Wharf, from the brig Munton, Capt. Alex. M'Call, a quantity of

High Proof Antigua Rum,

Muscovado Sugars,

And a large Parcel of KING'S JUNK,
Which will be sold low for cash, on said Wharf. Apply to the subscribers, or the captain on board.

Knox and Henderson.

Sept. 27. etf

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut-street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses, New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish, spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes, excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Burlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.
Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Chesnut streets, have Imported in the ships Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Vessels from Europe, and are now selling on exceedingly low terms for cash or short credit, a fine Assortment of

Seasonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, sattins and persians, black and coloured Barcelonia silk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano dit. velverets, corduroys and thicksets, printed velverets, superfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white shirting linens and sheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, a *compleat assortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worsted hosiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

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A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart* and *Nesbitt.

September 5 d

Now Landing at Race street wharf;

The CARGO of the ship Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Petersburg—Consisting of,

HEMP
Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, assorted Ravens duck
Russia sheeting—*And for sale by*

***Haynes* and *Crawford*,**

Who have to dispose of,
Antigua rum and sugar
Irish linens
Irish beef
Cork sail cloth
Claret in cases of two and a half dozen, &c.
September 19 d

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion; printed linen handkerchiefs, black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7-8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, A quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.
Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

In pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has just Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a small parcel of

GOODS,

Which he will sell very low for cash—they consist of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchester ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hose
Mens worsted Hose, some very fine
Ditto silk ditto
Yard wide Irish Linens, &c. &c. etf

Emanuel Walker & Co.

Have removed their Store to the east side of Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, and nearly opposite to Gray's Alley,

Where they have for *Sale*,

Just Imported in the ship Harmony, captain Willet, from London, an Assortment of Goods suitable to the season, and which will be sold by the Package, or in Quantities, *Cheap* for *Cash*—Among which are the following articles, *viz*

COATINGS, duffils and bearskins
Fearnoughts & halfthicks
Yorkshire cloths
Green and white milled baizes
Kendall cottons
Scots carpets
Duffil blankets
Shetland & Sanguhar hose
Womens durant and calimanco petticoats
Buff cassimer
Toilanet and wiltonet for winter jackets
Cottons, calicoes & chintzes
Copperplate furniture of the newest patterns
Irish linens, low priced
Printed linen handkerchiefs
Shawls
Russia sheetings
Scots oznabrigs
Black and coloured India persians
Chocolate and flowered bandannoes
Modes and sattins
Persians and sarsnets
Silk serge for linings
Black and coloured silk handkerchiefs
Sewing silks
Womens fine sattin and purple gloves
Mens beaver gloves
Lisle thread
Hat and bonnet wire
Scots camblets
Tammies, durants and calimancoes
Lastings, sattinets and Moncrieffs
Corduroys and thicksets
Yellow, pink and crimson moreens
Taberets and tabereens
Womens scarlet and stone coloured cardinals
Plain and striped lawns
Needleworked lawn aprons
Crape, cyprus and nett gauzes
Plain and fashionable buttons
Ribbons of the newest and most fashionable patterns
Mens fine and coarse hats
Bed bunts
Cotton counterpanes
Spanish & striped gingham
Cossac, checked and book muslin

Sept. 22 d

Foreign Intelligence.

FLORENCE, May 15.

M. Francois Giacchi de Volcterre lately diſcovered among the ruins of Luni an Entruſcan Urn, in which was a metal caſque, three copper arrows, and one of iron, with a ſhort crooked ſword. Near this urn was a beautiful vaſe, and ſeveral inferior ones, a vieled veſtal in terra cota, together with ſome other antiquities; ſome medals of bronze, and three of ſilver, one of which is of Manilia Scantilla, one of Ælius Pertinax, and the other of Cornelia Supere.

CONSTANTINOPLE, June 25.

The laſt letters from Aleppo, dated the 31ſt ult. adviſed, that the plague raged there with ſuch violence, as to carry off from a thouſand to fifteen hundred perſons daily. This place happily continues free from the contagion.

VARCOVIA, June 22.

From Peterſburgh we hear, that an ordinance has been publiſhed againſt duelling, by which offenders are to be impriſoned or exiled to Siberia.

From the frontiers of Turkey we have received information, that the exceſſive heats which prevail there have occaſioned an epidemical complaint of an alarming nature. The commandant of the Ruſſian troops encamped in the neighbourhood of the Turkiſh provinces has taken the neceſſary precautions to prevent its ſpreading among his men; and all communication between the Turkiſh and Ruſſian ſoldiers is forbidden.

VIANEN, July 10.

Yeſterday about noon, a detachment of cavalry, infantry, and artillery, marched from hence with a piece of ordnance, accompanied with a detachment of our armed citizens and ſome volunteers, to Leerdam, where, on their approach, they found the people under arms and the gates ſhut, which, after ſome time were opened to our troops, who marched in, and the citizens retired. Our detachment ſeized the burgomaſter Knyf, the ſheriff de Man, and another perſon. They then took down the Orange flags from the Tower and Windmill, and alſo the triumphal arches which had been erected before the houſes that had been pillaged, and notifred to M. Booy, that as the regency had not oppoſ'd the injuries which had been offered to the inhabitants, they ſhould be made anſwerable for all damages which had been, or ſhould be ſuſtained by the peaceable citizens. The detachment then returned here with the colours, and the triumphal arches, and on their return apprehended Mr. Keeſden Stertog, called the captain of the Schoodderwoor, and ſome others, whom they have confined with thoſe that were taken at Leerdam.

ZEIST, July 11.

Sunday night a body of about 3 to 4000 men of the people of Salm, including burgeſſ's and auxiliaries, marched towards the bridge of Bunnick, with an intention to carry a poſt occupied by an officer and 24 men. One party marched to the right of the village; the other paſſed the Old Rhine, to attack the poſt from behind, and to cut it off from the Zeiſt. The officer ſeeing the great ſuperiority of force which came againſt him retreated, and took poſt about an hundred paces diſtance. The party from Salm not finding the officer, and imagining that he had retreated, or poſted in the village, paſſed near the bridge and met their companions, whom they ſuſpected to be our people; they immediately began to fire ſmall ſhot, and ſeveral were killed and wounded. Upon hearing the ſound of the diſcharges, 100 men were diſpatched from hence to reinforce this poſt; but when they arrived at Brunſwick, they found no perſons there, all having retired, after having broken the windows of ſome of the houſes.

Another body of about 500 men, with two pieces of cannon, had marched towards the Bill, and had placed their chaſſeurs on the right and left, in the hedges and woods near Vollenhoven. Some huſſars approached to our advanced poſts; they were immediately chaſed by our cavalry, who fell into the amboſcade, from which, however, they fortunately extricated themſelves in ſpite of a heavy fire upon them. One ſingle horſeman was wounded in the heel, and a horſe in the thigh.

LONDON.

June 19. The grand monarch has now got a prieſt to preſide over his councils, and all will be well with him. French policy always throve under ſpiritual auſpices. Somehow it ſo happens, that clerical men are as good ſtateſmen as great lawyers are bad politicians. The French have had great experience of the former, and the Engliſh too much of the latter, of theſe two caſes.

The merchants and others concerned in the export trade to America, have juſt delivered a memorial to the lords of the treaſury, ſtating the injuries that have been ſuſtained by the large duties laid upon Britiſh goods, amounting to a prohibition.

July 28. The letters received from the continent give a more flattering account of the ſtadtholder's affairs, than any that have yet been received. The number of his forces in Guelderland and Zealand are much augmented: and, to add to their ſtrength, the men who have lately joined him are not raw in their profeſſion of arms. In all, however, it ſeems the Prince ſtill bears his difficulties moſt meekly.

The Dutch having ſent four ſhips of the line to the Eaſt-Indies, is a circumſtance worthy the conſideration of adminiſtration; and is a ſtrong reaſon why our fleet ſhould be ſtrengthened in that quarter of the globe.

The duke of Rutland is expected to give up the viceroyſhip of Ireland, the enſuing winter, and the marquis of Buckingham is already pointed out as his ſucceſſor.

A ſhock of an earthquake was very ſenſibly felt on the morning of the 6th inſtant, at Penrith, Threlkeld, Keſwick, in Cumberland, and ſeveral places in the neighbourhood of the mountains. The concuſſion is ſaid to have been attended with the ſame rumbling noiſe, and, in other reſpects, to have been perfectly diſtinguiſhed as that on Friday the 11th of Auguſt laſt: but its extenſion has not been nearly ſo great. It has, however, been marked with a circumſtance more ſingular than accompanied the ſhock of laſt year. The irruption from the ſide of Helvellyn was ſome time early on Friday the 6th inſt. and was diſcovered in the courſe of that day, by a party of gentlemen travelling from Ambleſide to Keſwick. Several large ſtones, which were found laying on the turnpike road, are now naturally conjectured to have been diſlodged by the concuſſion, and many more ruſhed down the Monday following. The conjecture is further ſtrengthened by the ſhepherds not being able to account for the uncommon noiſe and trembling, till they were informed of the fall from the mountain, when, as will now appear they transferred the cauſe to what in reality was only the effect.

Thurſday major Semple, ſentenced for tranſportation, was removed from Newgate, in a coach, to Woolwich, and put on board the hulk, to remain until the ſhips are ready to carry him, with the reſt of the convicts, to Botany Bay.

Extract of a letter from Amſterdam, July 19.

'Divers letters from the Dutchy of Cleves, and particularly the French Gazette of that country, announce the greateſt movements there. According to thoſe advices, preparations for war are carrying on with the greateſt celerity; and they do not heſitate to mention the ſpeedy arrival of an army of 50 or 60,000 Pruſſians in our provinces.

'But what man can perſuade himſelf, that the king of Pruſſia, on a ſimple letter from his ſiſter, without waiting the effect of the two memorials which the miniſtry of Berlin ordered the envoy extraordinary, baron de Thulemeyer, to preſent to the ſtates general, and to the ſtates of Holland, would take a ſtep againſt the republic, that would inevitably be followed by a general war in Europe?

'The pretended inſult, complained of by her royal highneſs, and which in the firſt moment of ſurpriſe, made ſo deep an impreſſion on the Pruſſian miniſtry, will not cauſe an interruption of the peace; his Pruſſian majeſty, if not yet undeceived, will be ſo very ſoon. However, it does not require more time for an army of 100,000 French to enter the republic, to protect her againſt all foreign invaſions, than for an army of 60,000 Pruſſians to enter Gueldres, and come to attack the province of Holland, the only one among the ſeven, that ſeems to be the object of the princeſs of Orange's indignation.'

Extract of a letter from Venice, July 19.

'Letters received here aſſure, that all the differences between the Ruſſians and the Turks have been amicably ſettled, by means of the ceſſion of a territory on the confines of Beſſarabia, which the Porte has ceded to Ruſſia, the poſſeſſion of which is of no other advantage to her, than to cover her new domains in that country.'

The following fatal accident is ſaid to have happened to a Mr. Hart, of Piccadilly, who during the bathing ſeaſon, kept a milliner's ſhop at Brighton—Coming from Rotten Dean, a ſmall village ſituate on the cliff, in company with a friend, the ground giving way, he was thrown off his horſe from a deſcent of near an hundred yards from the ſea ſhore, he was taken up alive, but ſurvived only twenty-four hours.

A correſpondent, who is curious in epitaphs, and can boaſt of a very choice collection of the kind, has, amongſt others, tranſmitted to us the following ones, which, for the oddity of the conceit, appear to us not unworthy the peruſal of our readers. They are both of German growth. The firſt was copied by the writer from a monument in the pariſh church of Tangermunde, and runs thus:

"High and Mighty Lord GEORGE ERNEST DE KOHL, an Enſign in his Pruſſian Majeſty's Army, was born on the 18th of Auguſt, 1713. He had acquired great abilities for the military ſervice; but the King of Kings called him to an holy *review*, in the Paſſion-week, 1728; ſo that for three months he was unable to perform his military *exerciſe*: but after three days painful illneſs, he went well thro' the *exerciſes* of *faith, hope* and *penance*."

The other is nearly in the ſame ſtyle, but, in our opinion, more ſingular than the former. It is taken from the church of Saltzwedel, a ſmall town in Pruſſia:

"Traveller, be not in a hurry, as if thou wert journeying *poſt* haſte. The quickeſt *poſt* requireth thou ſhouldſt ſtop at the *Poſt*-houſe. Here lyeth the body of *Her Muthias Schulzen* who, for the ſpace 25 years, was a dutiful *Poſt maſter* of his Pruſſian majeſty, at *Saltzwedel*. He ſettled here in 1655. By means of the holy baptiſm, he had his name enrolled in the *poſt*-book of the hallowed Land of Canaan. He then travelled with diſtinction through the pilgrimage of life, viſiting the ſchools and univerſities. He, with care and attention, fulfilled the duties of a Chriſtian, and of an honeſt *Poſt*-maſter, when the *poſt* of misfortune arrived, and brought him a letter of divine comfort, the contents of which he followed for the regulating of his conduct. At laſt, his body growing weak, he ſtood ready for the ſignal of the *poſt* arriving from death. His ſoul *ſet out on its journey* for heaven on the 2d of June, 1711, and his remains are depoſited in this place.—Reader! in thy pilgrimage, ever think on the prophetic *poſt* from death.—*Joſ.* xxxviii. v. 1."

CURIOUS FACTS.

The two ſons of the preſent lord Petre not long ſince married two ſiſters—of theſe there ſtill remains a younger ſiſter, whom lord Petre himſelf is about to marry. To complete the perplexities of theſe intermarriages, theſe young ladies have a brother, who is engaged to marry a daughter of lord Petre's. It will be no eaſy matter to aſcertain the preciſe degree of relationſhip which the iſſue of theſe marriages will bear to each other.

There is now living at Deptford a woman, who ſerved as a ſhipwright in our different dock yards fourteen years without ſuſpicion or diſcovery; at the expiration of this time ſhe had a ſmall penſion granted, ſince when ſhe was married and had ſeveral children.

July 30. A gentleman who left Breſt on Sunday the 8th inſt. ſays, that the preparations to fit out 17 ſhips, were put a ſtop to till farther orders, and that there are now about 45 ſail of the line in the harbour, and a great number of large ſhips building, particularly the Deux Amis, 120 guns, which will be ready to be launched in a few days; the America, rebuilt upon the name, in lieu of the one preſented to France by the United States of America, which was found quite rotten and condemned; alſo a ſhip building of an extraordinary ſize, 20 feet longer than any keel ever laid, and will be pierced for 140 guns: ſhe is a preſent from the ſtates of Burgundy to the king.

The flame of revolt in Auſtrian Flanders is not extinguiſhed—it is but ſmothered. The archduke and ducheſs have temporized with the people: and the count Kaunitz, has endeavoured to ſooth them, in his late anſwer from Vienna. Still the people bread a change in their conſtitution; and the emperor's abſence from the ſeat of government, confirm them in their fears. They think he will not approve of the conciliating meaſures adopted by thoſe entruſted with the reins of government.

A gentleman juſt arrived from Madeira, by way of Cork, acquaints us, that the two frigate-built veſſels, who lately plundered an American ſhip in lat. 32, are now known to be pirates, who to diſguiſe themſelves, range the ſeas from the Weſtern Iſlands to within a few days ſail of the continent of America, hoiſt no colours, and dreſs their crews in the Barbary habit. They are ſuppoſed to be ruffians of all nations, under the command of ſome French or Portugueſe malefactors, eſcaped from the iſland of Tercera, where they were probably condemned to ſpend their lives in hard labour and chains. The inhabitants of the Canaries, as well as thoſe of Madeira and Gracioſa, have ſolicited ſuccours from Portugal, as no veſſel dare ſtir out of their ports, and they are conſtantly in dread of an invaſion in ſome defenceleſs place. They are ſhips of force, carrying 35 or 40 guns on one deck, and manned with above 300 deſperate villains each.

The duke of York, ſince his late viſit to the court of Berlin, has become more enamoured than he was before of the princeſs royal of Pruſſia. His royal highneſs will certainly come to England this ſummer, and perſonally ſolicit their majeſties approbation to wed the royal fair.

The late daring attempt on the life of Miſs Boydell, is another inſtance of the fatal effects of paſſion. The deluded perſon, whoſe miſguided love, produced a phrenzy in the brain, expected a ſympathetic feeling in the breaſt of the lady; at the moment his every effort and device, tended to create an abhorrence. Fortunately his cruel intentions did not take effect, elſe a ſacrifice ſimilar to that of Miſs Ray, and the Rev. Mr. Hackman muſt have enſued.

July 31. The court of France, a correſpondent remarks, ſeems at preſent to have nothing in her demeanour towards this country but peace. It is, however, neceſſary to the welfare of Great Britain, that ſhe be prepared to repel by force any violence offered to her moſt diſtant ſettlements, or any infraction whatever of the late treaties of peace and commerce. There are ſome territories in the neighbourhood of the French dominions, and not far diſtant from this iſland, which it would certainly be very much their intereſt to annex to the Gallick crown, and it is our buſineſs to ſuppoſe, that they would, notwithſtanding their profeſſion of friendſhip, take the firſt favourable opportunity of doing ſo.

Wedneſday an order was ſent from lord Sydney's office, to Mr. Akerman, keeper of Newgate, for the immediate removal of 30 convicts ſentenced for tranſportation, who behaved very riotous in Newgate; in conſequence of which they were removed to Black-friars bridge, and from thence conveyed in a lighter to Woolwich, there to remain on board the hulks till the ſhips are ready to take them to Botany Bay.

Extract of a letter from Helvoerſluys, June 18.

'The fleet which has been fitting out here for ſome time, has juſt failed from this port for the W. Indies, and for the coaſt of Africa, under the convoy of the Rupart and the Vandſladt frigates, of 30 guns each. The fleet conſiſts of 32 ſail, laden with military, naval and other ſtores, for the different ſettlements. Twenty are deſtined to the coaſt, and the remainder, with the frigates, for St. Euſtatius. In this fleet a number of engineers and other military artificers were embarked for the erection and repairs of forts in different places.'

Extract of a letter from Gaybrook, near Mullingar, July 20.

'Yeſterday, about twelve o'clock, a ball of fire, nearly as large in appearance as an hogſhead, ran either from Dyſart Iſland, in Belvedere-lake, or from the water cloſe to it, took its courſe north-eaſterly over the wood of Belvedere, and cloſe to Mr. Dennis's houſe, proceeded in that direction till it was out of ſight, not above forty or fifty feet from the ground. In about ſeventeen minutes it returned, though with very diminiſhed velocity, and fell into the lake juſt under Mr. Lyons, where it is ſuppoſed it burſt, as its effect upon the lake for ten minutes after was amazing—fiſh thrown thirty yards on ſhore, and Mr. Dennis's boat was thrown out of a deep dock two yards upon the dry land. I have ſince heard, that the ball ſtruck againſt a tree in Clonmoyle, about two miles from the lake, which is ſhivered to pieces, but which, however, was the cauſe of its turning. Its whole courſe was about ſeven miles. Though an eye-witneſs of the above, I would hardly venture to relate it, if it could not be authenticated by ſome of the moſt reſpectable men in the county—Mr. Lyons, the two Mr. Rochforts, Rev. Mr. Dennis, Mr. R. Swift, Mr. Nugent, Dr. Naughton, were preſent along with me at this truly wonderful and awful ſight.'

At the late ſeſſions held for Glouceſter, three young men were convicted of getting drunk, and beating the keeper of an ale houſe, who refuſed to draw them more liquor. For this offence the magiſtrates ſentenced them to a month's confinement in ſeparate cells, where they are denied all intercourſe with their friends, and no other ſubſiſtance allowed them than the half of what they can earn by beating hemp. One of theſe fellows refuſed to work; he would rather ſtarve than work; however, his appetite at length got the better of his obſtinacy.

The ſettlers on the Muſquito ſhore being to withdraw from thence in the preſent month, to pleaſe the pride of Spain; and few perſons underſtanding the nature of this ſettlement, a correſpondent deſires us to inform the public, that it is an extenſive tract of land on the continent of America, inhabited by the moſt friendly and hoſpitable Indians in the known world. The Spaniards and the Engliſh have ſeverally been permitted to ſettle upon their coaſts, and the latter had conſiderably increaſed their trade, which conſiſted in mahogany and ſarſaparilla, with a ſmall quantity of tortoiſeſhell, &c. but the ſoil being in many parts as luxuriant as any near the tropics, the induſtry of enterpriſing traders like the Britiſh, would in a few years, have rendered it a trade of no ſmall conſequence as they were much beloved by the native Indians; the Spaniards, on the contrary, are as much hated by them; and the averſion is ſo ſtrong, that they never will be permitted quietly to enjoy what they have invidiouſly driven us from. Thus circumſtanced, it is a queſtion in the law of nations, as well as general policy, by what right one country can require of another to quit territories, over which there is no ſovereign authority in either of the contending parties. There is a ſort of diſgrace in the ſubmiſſion to ſuch conditions that no words can palliate; every perſon muſt agree, that it is far better to maintain a valuable ſettlement once gained, than to be roving in ſearch of new ſettlements at great expence, and riſque in remote and newly explored parts of the globe.

DUBLIN, Auguſt 2.

It is much to the honour of ſome of the Scotch nobility and gentry, that they are traverſing the coaſts and iſlands of different parts of their native country, in order to find out ſome effectual means of rendering it eſſential ſervice, by ſearching out for proper places to eſtabliſh fiſhing ſtages. Inſtead of waſting their time in ſloth and inactivity, as is but too much the cuſtom with thoſe who figure in the exalted ſpheres of life, thoſe truly patriotic perſonages are endeavouring to point out ſuch modes as may effectually conduce to the welfare of their fellow ſubjects, promote population, and render the hitherto wretched inhabitants of the Weſtern Iſlands and the northern parts of Caledonia comfortable. Would our landed proprietors in this kingdom act in a ſimilar manner, it would prove of the higheſt advantage to the people in general.

A gentleman arrived here laſt week from the Eaſt Indies (via London) ſays, that ever ſince the concluſion of the laſt war, the Dutch in that quarter of the world have been indefatigably employed in putting their ſettlements there in the beſt poſture of defence, by repairing all the old fortifications, and making a great number of new works. The engineers employed in all thoſe parts, Ceylon excepted, are French, but in that iſland the works are under the direction of an Iriſh officer, late a colonel in the Auſtrian ſervice, named Molony.

Yeſterday about 1 o'clock, a moſt melancholy accident happened at the New Cuſtom-Houſe. Mr. Edwards, architect, having occaſion to go on the roof, and walking on the parapet, a ſudden guſt of wind blew him down, by which fall he was daſhed to pieces.

Yeſterday, as being the anniverſary of the firſt of Auguſt, 1714, when the illuſtrious houſe of Hanover aſcended the throne of theſe kingdoms, and re-eſtabliſhed this happy conſtitution, which had been ſhaken, and almoſt deſtroyed under the weak and miſguided race of Stuarts, was as uſual uſhered in with the ringing of bells, and kept as a feſtival by the banks and all other public offices.

A parcel of port wine, conſiſting of ſeventy pipes, are juſt landed on our Cuſtomhouſe quay, ſaid to be a return for manufactures ſhipped from this kingdom.

As the public prints of all Europe are now full of the affairs of Holland, and that in reading the ſeveral prints it is not eaſy to underſtand why the ſtates general oppoſe the proceedings of the ſtates of Holland, and ſo *vice verſa*, we preſume the following ſummary account of their conſtitution will reconcile ſuch ſeeming contradictions:—

The United Provinces conſiſt of a confederacy of ſeveral independent ſtates, united together for their common defence, but on condition that they ſhall, every one of them, enjoy their own reſpective laws and privileges; and as they are thus allied together, it is requiſite that they ſhould meet, in order to conſult about the moſt proper methods for promoting their common intereſt; accordingly each particular ſtate appoints ſome perſon to repreſent it, and the aſſembly is called the Aſſembly of the States General, who are ſtiled High and Mighty Lords, or their High Mightineſſes. As this aſſembly cannot make war, peace, alliances, or impoſe taxes without the conſent of every province and city, ſo neither can the particular ſtates of any province determine upon any thing of this kind, without the conſent of every city and petty republic in it.

The ſtates general ſit conſtantly at the Hague, among whom neither governor nor ſtadtholder, captain general, nor any officer in the army is ſuffered to have a ſeat. Each province appoints alternately a weekly preſident, who ſits in the centre of the aſſembly.——Each province deputes what number of repreſentatives it pleaſes, but all from one province have only a ſingle voice.

The States of Holland are compoſed of the repreſentatives of the nobility, who have one voice, and of eighteen cities, which have alſo one each. The ſupreme authority in the city of Amſterdam is lodged in the city, conſiſting of thirty-ſix members, and the dignity of a ſenator is for life, unleſs forfeited by mal-adminiſtration or removal of habitation, when another is elected in his room.

By the above ſtatement it may be ſeen how endleſs muſt be the jars of the Dutch, when thrown into ferment by internal diviſions.

When Peter the Great and his empreſs Catherine, in 1710, travelled with an army of 40,000 troops into Weſtern Tartary, and onwards to the borders of Perſia, he had the object of conqueſt in view, as he ſubdued all before him—but it was really ſurprizing what occaſioned the late expedition of the late imperial and royal perſonages to Kiow, the capital of the Ruſſian Ukraine, where not a ſingle purpoſe ſeems to have been anſwered, but merely that puppet ſhew greatneſs which Mr. Stretch has heretofore exhibited at his theatre in Capel-ſtreet, when the court of the black king of Morocco, the royal family at St. James's, his moſt chriſtian majeſty, and the princeſs of the blood, were all ſeen bowing to one another, and then went off in a very ſtately manner, attended by St. George and the Dragon.—Catherine was guarded by 50,000 men, who ſeemed to have raiſed their hands little higher than their mouths, which reminds us of that celebrated diſtich.

The king of France and 40,000 men,
March'd up the hill, and then march'd down again.

Tueſday Timothy Dunn, a ſervant who had been ten months out of place, threw himſelf into the Liffey at Aſton's-quay. He was ſoon taken out, but expired in a few hours afterwards. Deſpair, and the abſolute preſſure of want, are ſaid to have been the cauſe of his having committed ſo raſh an act.

The lanes which encircled the Four Courts Marſhalſea, are now in a fair way of being rendered paſſable, a thorough ſewer having been made to carry away the filth and ſludge, and the pavement undergoing a thorough repair—for this kind attention of the commiſſioners of paving, to the ſituation of the unfortunate debtors, and the convenience of their friends coming to ſee them, they return their ſincere thanks.

As the wetneſs of the ſeaſon may be productive of worms which deſtroy corn, particularly thoſe deſtructive kinds the black and white, a correſpondent throws this uſeful hint out to the farmers:——He adviſes them at this very time, to pull up the plant called *Nummaria*, or Shepherd's Purſe, which is full of grains like turnip-ſeed, and is known to grow commonly among white turnip. This plant is to be ſtacked with its ſeed in pod, until the corn is put in granary. When it is ſurrounded with the Shepherd's Purſe, and the ſeeds and ſtalks treſhed and trampled on, ſuch a ſtench will be produced as will make it diſagreeable to the workmen; but this ſmell will effectually deſtroy the worms and their maggots, and preſerve the corn. Boiled water that flows from dunghills, and ſtrown in granary floors, will have the ſame effect.

M. de la Nux, of the Iſle of Bourbon, a correſpondent of the academy at Paris, adviſed the celebrated Reaumur to make uſe of tobacco, either green or in rolls, as a preſervative againſt Weevils. Theſe animals who are apparently liquoriſh, will come to the tobacco from all parts, and as ſoon as they have eaten of it they certainly die.

A correſpondent has deſired us to communicate to the public an eaſy remedy againſt apoplexies or palſies, which he has found ſalutary:—When any perſon is ſtruck with either of thoſe diſorders, the putting of ſome ſalt in their mouths will bring them

to their senses. It has been tried upon a man that dropped down in the street, and seemed quite dead—but in about five minutes after the salt was put in his mouth, he moved his arm and was raised up—and by giving him some cordial drink, in half an hour after the man walked home without any assistance.

LONDONDERRY, July 24.

A few days ago this city was honoured with a visit from the celebrated Mr. Howard, whose name, as a friend to the unfortunate, is pronounced with veneration in every country in Europe. The object of his present tour through this kingdom is to examine into the state of the Protestant Charter-schools in the management of which, we understand, he has found too much cause for reprehension. During his stay here he paid particular attention to the situation and plan of our new goal, both of which, but particularly the latter, he expressed much dissatisfaction. We sincerely hope the gentlemen of our county will listen to his objections, and avail themselves of his abilities and experience. Though the last fourteen years of his life have been employed in a ceaseless round of visiting prisons, hospitals, lazarettos, and places infected with the plague, he at the age of sixty retains a sound and vigorous constitution.

A gentleman whom he favoured with much of his conversation, asked him what precaution he used to preserve health and prevent infection?—"Sir, (he replied) precautions which would render physicians endeavours useless—temperance and cleanliness."

BELFAST, July 27.

Mr. Howard, the general benefactor of the human race, is at present in this town, on his route to England. He visited the poorhouse and infirmary, and paid very particular regard to its present situation.

Mr. Howard, before his arrival here, visited Londonderry, Downpatrick, and other parts in the north of this kingdom, and yesterday went to Carrickfergus. He was invited to partake of the entertainment to be given on Monday by the inhabitants of Belfast to his grace the lord lieutenant; but his unabating attention to the great object of his tour prevented him from complying with any invitations expressive of the gratitude of the public.

AMERICA.

BOSTON, September 18.

It is not surprising that so many bad voyages are made of late, when it is considered that a *Jonas* is in fact imported in every vessel—Rum (for seven eights of the molasses is turned into the same commodity) is, comparatively speaking, the only article brought, and it is indeed a ten fold child of the devil; for it is manufactured by slaves, and it either reates slaves, or reduces its votaries to slavery's twin sister, viz beggary.——It keeps out the necessary article of *cash*, the want of which stagnates trade and manufacturies, promotes insurrections; ruins our credit as individuals and as a nation; creates dishonesty, distrust, with all their attendant evils; the particularizing whereof would create a volume, and the dismal narration a melancholy spectacle.

We hear, that two vessels from Halifax, British property, have been seized, by the officers of the customs, since our last, for making false entry.——Very good! very good!

Thursday, the 25th day of October next, is the time fixed by the supreme executive, for the execution of John Shean, for the crime of burglary.

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 13.

The Honourable General Assembly of this state, are convened at Newport, on special business, by warrants from his excellency the governor.

It is generally expected, says a correspondent, that the General Assembly, at their present session, will order a review of the militia of this state to take place some time the present month.—Postponing this necessary measure till after the session in October will make it very inconvenient.

PITTSBURG, August 18.

On the third instant, a small party of Indians came down to the banks of the Ohio river nearly opposite Coxe's fort, and killed and scalped a certain Israel Osburn, who had crossed over that morning to the Indian shore; after doing this mischief they retired. The same day a small party of militia collected, followed the Indians some distance up Cross-creek, but returned that evening without making any discovery.

On the fifth, captain M'Mechen, at the head of 25 volunteers, of which 21 were on horse-back, crossed the Ohio river, took the Indians track, followed and came up with them near the Muskingum, killed and scalped one of the three that was in the party, leaving behind them all their baggage, among which was several articles belonging to Osburn.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 28.

Various letters from France mention, that the neutrality of the French court, in respect to Holland, depends entirely upon the steps which the powers immediately connected with the stadtholder, as to family interest and connexions, may take; and that his Most Christian Majesty's ambassador at the Hague had declared authoritatively, that the king his sovereign would religiously fulfil his engagements with the republic of Holland, &c.

A letter from Versailles, dated July 1. (extracted from a late Leyden Gazette) says, 'In viewing the connexion between the court of England and the stadtholderian house of Holland, it was naturally to be expected, that the former could not quietly see a stadtholder forfeit all his power and consideration in the republic, on account too of an attachment to England. In consequence thereof, George III. persists, in spite of the representations of Mr. Pitt, to grant his protection to the prince of Orange; but if we find this protection enforced by any active measure, we are ready to assist Holland, by forming a body of 12 or 15,000 men on the Maese, to support that country in any emergency. It is besides in agitation to form another camp near Dunkirk; the command of which, if considerable, will be given to Marechalle de Stainville, otherwise to the duke de Guines. But the conduct of the British cabinet, with that of the stadtholder's party, must determine whether France shall assume any other part than that of a mediator. Since the orders for equipping the Brest fleet, directions have been also sent to Rochfort and Toulon to get ready 25 sail of the line immediately, which are to be amply equipped in the most warlike manner. Frigates are also dispatched to our different colonies, to put them on their guard; and that which is bound to India carries directions to reinforce the garrison of Trincomale with a detachment of 4000 men from Pondicherry.'

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Cumberland county, West-Jersey, dated the 19th Sept. 1787.

"The sale of our excise-office took place yesterday afternoon. In the morning previous thereto, a very large and respectable number of freeholders convened at the court-house, to devise such measures as should answer the law, at the same time obviate its pernicious effects. Jonathan Elmer, Esq; was chosen chairman. After a short but pertinent address from the chair, we proceeded to the election of a committee, in whom we vested full power to negociate the business. The persons chosen were colonel David Potter, major Daniel Maskell, and Dr. Thomas H. M'Calla. Had you been present, there was sufficient latitude to exercise your risible faculties. It was put up at one penny by the Dr. the second bidder made it sixpence, the third two and sixpence. No person offering higher, it was struck off, for the sole use and behoof of the county. Notwithstanding the ill reception this law has met amongst us, there are no set of people to be found who are greater friends to good order, more attached to the constitution and government, than we are here. The design or spirit of the law created no uneasiness: the mode of collecting was the only stumbling block. Should our assembly at their next sitting expunge that clause which *farms* the *office*, and appoints officers with low and fixed salaries, it would be received with the greatest satisfaction. Whilst writing this, I have just received information by a gentleman of veracity, that the office in Salem county was struck off at fourteen pence. We are anxious to hear what our convention of patriots have done. Our fervent and most sanguine wishes are, that they may have framed a government which will make the United States in reality *One.*"

Extract of a letter from Princeton.

'The office of exciseman upon imported liquors, &c. has lately been put up at public auction in the different counties, and was bid off at very disproportionate prices. In Hunterdon it was struck off at three thousand odd hundreds pounds, in Morris six hundred, in Middlesex seventeen hundred, in Monmouth at one thousand—but in Burlington at only *three solitary shillings.* The mode of raising a state tax from imports by excise, seems to be generally disagreeable to the people, and it is thought will not ultimately take place.'

Extract of a letter from Hudson, August 31.

'Notwithstanding the immensely superior commercial advantages of this place, the citizens of Albany are still endeavouring to persuade themselves and others that our town is already come to its maturity, and that their own will be the great trading mart, as soon as the obstructions in the river are removed. Time can only determine whether these obstructions can be as easily removed as some interested persons imagine. Upon a supposition, however, that vessels of three or four hundred tons burthen may hereafter take in full loads at Albany, the consistory of their Dutch church have advertised for sale the ground contiguous to the city on the river side, commonly called the Church Pasture. This they have laid out into 125 house lots, bounded to low water mark. Perhaps, after all, no good reason can be brought why both may not become considerable commercial towns, without one envying the prosperity of the other.'

STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA,
In General Assembly,
Thursday, September 27, 1787. A. M.

The Bill entitled, "An Act to enable the Sheriff and Justices of the Peace for the County of Luzerne to confine Prisoners in the common Gaol of the County of Northampton, and to empower the Commissioners to run the Line from the Mouth of Nescopeck Creek, dividing the County of Northumberland from the County of Luzerne, and for other Purposes therein mentioned," was read a second time, and debated by paragraphs.

Ordered, That it be transcribed, and in the mean time printed for public consideration.

Extract from the Minutes,
PETER ZACHARY LLOYD,
Clerk of the General Assembly.

An ACT, *entitled "An Act to enable the sheriff and justices of the peace for the county of Luzerne to confine prisoners in the common gaol of the county of Northampton, and to empower the commissioners to run the line from the mouth of Nescopeck creek, dividing the county of Northumberland from the county of Luzerne, and for other purposes therein mentioned."*

WHEREAS the justices of the peace for the county of Luzerne have set forth to this house, that in the present unsettled state of the said county, there is no goal at present wherein to confine persons who might be arrested for debt or offences: For remedy whereof:

Be it enacted, and it is hereby enacted by the representatives of the freemen of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania in general assembly met, and by the authority of the same, That in all cases wherein it would be lawful for the sheriff of the county of Luzerne, to hold in close custody the body of any person in the common gaol of the county of Luzerne, if such prison were at this time provided in and for the said county of Luzerne, that all such persons shall be delivered to, and kept in close custody by the sheriff of the county of Northampton, who upon delivery of such prisoners to him at the common gaol of the said county of Northampton, shall be answerable in like manner as if the persons so delivered were liable to confinement in the common gaol of the county of Northampton.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, That the sheriff of the county of Northampton shall receive all such prisoners as aforesaid, and shall provide for them according to law, and shall be entitled to the fees for keeping them, and also to such allowance as ought by law to be made for the maintenance of the same prisoners, which allowance shall be defrayed by the commissioners of Luzerne out of the county levies.

Provided always, That the prisoners of the said county of Luzerne to be conveyed through the said county of Northampton, shall not be at the charge or risque of the sheriff or other officer of the county of Northampton during their passing or repassing.

And whereas it appears by the supplement to the act, entitled "An act for the erecting the northern part of the county of Northumberland into a separate county," that the line from the mouth of Nescopeck shall be run northwestwardly until it entersects the line which divides the waters of the east branch of the Susquehanna river from those of the west branch thereof, which term being indefinate,

Be it therefore enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the said line from the mouth of the Nescopeck shall run north, one degree west, until it intersects the line which divides the waters of the east branch of the Susquehanna river from those of the west branch thereof.

And be it further enacted by the authority aforesaid, that Timothy Pickering, William Montgomery and Stephen Balliott, esquires, or any two of them, shall, and they are hereby authorised and empowered to cause the surveyor (by them appointed) to survey the lands claimed by the settlers at Wyoming to the said line, as is hereby directed. And whereas by reason of the peculiar situation of the country now erected into the county of Luzerne, there have been no assessments made by the commissioners, and therefore returns of the taxable inhabitants therein cannot be made to the judges of election, whereby doubts may arise, whether the said judges can hold the election according to law: for remedy whereof,

Be it enacted, and it is hereby enacted by the authority aforesaid, that the election which shall be made in the county of Luzerne, in pursuance of the said supplementary act, shall be deemed valid to all intents and purposes, any law, usage or custom to the contrary notwithstanding. Provided, that in all future elections which shall be holden in the said county of Luzerne after the ensuing general election, the same rules shall be observed as have been or shall be prescribed, for the regulating the elections in the other counties of this commonwealth.

SHIP NEWS.

Captain Tucker, in the Sea-Flower, lately arrived at New-York from Charleston, in lat. 39. 30. N. saw a sloop upset, with a red bottom, white stern, yellow sides, and black wales, burthen between 60 and 70 tons, no person on board.

*** The British ship MEDIATOR, Capt. Brougham, for London, will sail on Sunday next. Her letter bag will be taken from the Post-Office on Saturday evening. dtf

The several Light Companies

attached to the Regiments of the City and Liberties will attend the monthly meeting on Monday next, the 1st of October, being the last parade for this season. Those companies which do not attend will lose their routine of position, as established. Sept. 25. dtf

ALL persons having demands against the estate of the late Henry Cress, of Chesnut-Hill, Germantown township, Philadelphia county, deceased, are requested to render them to the subscribers; and those who are indebted to the said estate, are desired to make payment in eight weeks from this date, to *Amelia Cress,* Administratrix. *George Cress,* Administrator.

Sept. 25. 1787.

This Day is Published, and Sold by

W. YOUNG,

At the corner of Second and Chesnut-streets, (price bound 3/9, being one fourth less than the British price,)

HYMNS, &c.

Composed on various subjects, by

J. HART.

With the Author's Experiences, the Supplement and Appendix.—The Tenth Edition.

Also just Published,

The Beauties of Johnson:

Consisting of Maxims and Observations, moral, critical and miscellaneous, by

Dr. SAMUEL JOHNSON.

To which is prefixed, the Life of Dr. JOHNSON, With some papers written by him in behalf of a late unfortunate character.—Price neatly bound 5s. 3tp

For DUBLIN,

The SHIP DUBLIN PACKET, ROBERT ALCORN, Master;

WILL sail the 15th November. For freight or passage apply to the captain at Race-street wharf, or to HAYNES & CRAWFORD.

Who are landing out of said ship yard-wide and 7-8 wide low-priced Irish linens, which they will sell on moderate terms.

There is also some COAL on board for sale.

September 28. dtf

For Savannah,

The Brigantine *GEORGIA PACKET,* *Harding Williams,* Master;

WILL sail in 10 or 12 days. For freight or passage apply to the said Master on board at Clifford's wharf, or to *WILLIAM SYKES,*

Who hath old Coniac brandy in pipes, and a few hogsheads of the best white wine vinegar for sale.

September 27 8tp

Philadelphia, September 26, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept from Geo. Schlosser, Robert Smith and Rowland Evans, esquires, trustees for the general Loan-office of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, to me directed, will be exposed to sale by public vendue, at the Merchants' Coffee-house, in the city of Philadelphia, on Wednesday the 31st day of October next, at six o'clock in the evening, A certain Lot or Piece of Ground, a little to the southward and near to the city of Philadelphia, in Moyamensing township, and county of Philadelphia, beginning at a post for a corner, on the west side of a lane two perches wide, leading to the said city, and from thence extending by William Shippen's land north, and seventy-four degrees and a half west forty five perches, to a post in the line of Margaret Jekyl's land, and from thence by the same line south twenty-eight degrees west, forty-eight perches to a post thence by land of William Shippen south, seventy-four degrees and a half east, eight perches and two tenths to a post, thence by land of Edward Shippen north, twenty six degrees east, nineteen perches and seven-tenths to a post, and south seventy-four degrees and a half east, forty-six perches and one-tenth to a post by the said lane, thence along the same north, nine degrees east, twenty-seven perches and six-tenths to the place of beginning, containing nine acres and a half, under and subject to the payment of forty good coined Spanish silver milled dollars, each weighing seventeen pennyweights and six grains, yearly and every year after the first day of March, 1782, to a certain Grace Fisher, widow of John Fisher the elder, during her natural life, as the dower of the said Grace Fisher, chargeable and charged upon the premises, clear of all taxes whatsoever. Taken in execution as the property of John Seiler, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, Sheriff.

Philadelphia, *September* 27, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to me directed, will be exposed to sale by public vendue, at the Old Coffee house in the city of Philadelphia, on Wednesday the 17th day of October next, at 6 o'clock in the evening, the following Messuages and Lots of Land:

No. 1. A certain large two story brick messuage or tenement, and a two story brick kitchen and lot of ground, situate on the north side of Queen-street, between Front-street and Water (or Swanson) street, in the district of Southwark and county of Philadelphia; containing in breadth on Queen-street aforesaid 20 feet, and in length or depth 54 feet, bounded on the east partly by the next described lot, and by ground of Thomas Penrose, on the west by ground of Thomas Hall, on the north by ground belonging to the heirs of Joseph Knowles, deceased, and on the south by Queen-street.

No. 2. A large brick shop and lot of ground, situate on the west side of Water-street; containing in breadth on said street 18 feet, and in length on the south side thereof 71 feet and 10 inches, and on the north side thereof 67 feet and 6 inches or thereabouts; bounded on the east by Swanson or Water-street, on the south by ————, on the west by the above described lot, and on the north by ground late of said J. Knowles, deceased: the whole subject to the payment of the yearly rent or sum of nine pounds and seven shillings, lawful money of Pennsylvania, on the first day of January in each and every year for ever hereafter, unto Thomas Penrose his heirs or assigns. Taken in execution as late the estate of Charles Woolsal, deceased, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

The HAPPY SWAIN.

A PASTORAL.

WHEN o'er the green meadows I stray,
With Phillis, my shepherdess fair;
What thought can imbitter the way,
When all that I wish for is there.

Her features simplicity speak,
Not more so the lambkins she tends;
And with the soft rose on her cheek,
True beauty with innocence blends.

The first time I saw the dear maid,
In sorrow she dropt a sad tear;
For late from her flock was then stray'd
A lamb, and she could not tell where.

I said to the fair one, awhile
Rest here, and the pastures I'll roam;
And sure you will grant me a smile,
Should I bring you the wanderer home.

When soon the stray'd bleater I found;
But found him, alas! in a brook;
Who sure in the stream had been drown'd,
But I sav'd the poor thing with my crook.

Quick back to my Phillis I ran,
To thank me I saw she would speak;
But e'er the dear charmer began,
I stole a sweet kiss from her cheek.

For sweet as the morn-scented rose
Is Phillis, the gentle and kind;
Her beauty's but equall'd by those
Rich virtues which dwell in her mind.

ANECDOTE.

WHEN the Rev. John Clarke, late master of the Charter-House in Hull, was curate of St. Trinity there, four couple were married by him at the same time, and the following odd circumstances attended each, viz. With regard to the first couple, the bridegroom had forgot to bring a ring, in consequence of which he was obliged to borrow one—the bride of the second had lost that finger upon which the ring is commonly put—a man, violently shaking the iron gate leading into the choir, said aloud, that the third bride had already a husband—and with regard to the fourth, one of the bridemaids begged the parson for God's sake to be quick, as the bride was in labour.

For CORK,

The BRITISH SHIP HOPE, JOHN AYRE, Master;

HAS excellent accommodations for passengers; is expected to sail 14th October. For passage only, apply to the master on board, at Huddell's wharf, or to

Sept. 27 eo DEAVES, BAKER & ABELL.

Holmes and Rainey

BEG leave to inform their friends and the public, that they have removed from their late store on Market-street wharf, to Water-street, 3 doors above Market street, where they are opening for sale, just landed out of the brig Two Brothers, from Dublin—

9-8 and 10 8 white sheetings
3 4, 7-8 and yard wide ditto
Brown and half bleached ditto
Printed ditto
Also, Superfine and second cloths
Forest and hunters ditto
Ratteens, coatings and beavers
Corduroys and velverets, silk handkerchiefs, &c.

September 27, 1787.

Twenty tons of smiths COAL to be sold out of the above brig, at Mr. Carson's wharf. eotf

Philadelphia Bottled Porter

WIRED.

WARRANTED equal to any imported from Europe, for sale by the subscriber, in Second-street, between Union and Spruce streets, at 8/4 per dozen, bottles returned.

Orders for exportation, warranted to stand any climate, executed with punctuality and dispatch.

All sorts of malt liquor, wine, cyder, &c. fined, bottled and wired in the best manner, on moderate terms. CHARLES ROBINSON.

The subscriber having been regularly trained to the business of a wine cooper, flatters himself that those gentlemen who favour him with their commands will meet with the utmost satisfaction, as no exertions in his power shall be wanting to accomplish it. 2awtf

Philadelphia September 14, 1787.

BY virtue of a precept from *David Rittenhouse,* esq. sole trustee of the general loan-office of (the late province, now state of) Pennsylvania, to me directed, will be exposed to sale by Public Vendue, at the Old Coffee-House, in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wednesday* the 17th of October next, and 6 o'clock in the Evening—A certain two story Brick Messuage or Tenement, and Lot or Piece of Ground thereto belonging, situate near the southern bounds of the said city, on the west side of Water-street, continued southward beyond the said city, containing in breadth 18 feet and a half, and in length 65 feet; bounded (at the distance of 30 feet to the southward of Argyle-street) northward by a lot now or late of William Hodge, westward by Edward Shippen's lot, southward by John M'Intire's lot, and eastward by Water-street aforesaid; Also, the sum of 200 pounds insured on the messuage or tenement, together with the instrument or policy whereby the said sum is insured. Taken in execution as the property of Samuel Cory, and Ann, his wife, and to be sold by

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.

Wardens-Office,

September 8, 1787.

A BEACON being deemed necessary on Cape May, for the further improvement of the navigation: Notice is hereby given, that Proposals will be received at this Office until the 1st day of October next, from such persons as may be disposed to undertake the same by contract. Particulars may be known by applying at said Office. 3taw

On Friday the 5th day of October next, precisely at twelve o'clock, at the Southwark Auction-Store, will be SOLD for specie,

SIX Frame Tenements and Lot or Piece of Ground, situate on the east side of Third-street, between South and Shippen streets, in the district of Southwark, in the county of Philadelphia; containing in breadth on Third-street 29 feet 4 inches, on the tail of it 34 feet 10 inches, more or less; and in length 100 feet; bounded westward by Third-street, northward by ground of John Hood, eastward by ground of John Robinson, and southward by ground of Nathaniel Richards: subject to a yearly ground rent of eighteen pounds, lawful silver money of Pennsylvania.

The conditions of sale are—One-fourth to be paid in hand; one-fourth in six months; one-fourth in nine months, and one-fourth in twelve months, with interest from the day of sale. When the whole of the purchase money is paid, a title will be given.

John Mease, *Auctioneer.*

September 22. 2w4w

Black Pepper in Bales

To be Sold by

BERTIER & Co.

Also *BRANDY* in pipes, *GIN* in cases—and

A Variety of Dry Goods.

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY

ep *Ben. Mason.*

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

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EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Donnaldson & Coxe,

In Walnut street, have for sale

FRESH souchong and tonkay tea
Blue and white setts of table china
Enamelled and pencilled breakfast and evening setts of ditto
India lutestrings, handkerchiefs and fans
Japanned tea boards, ink-stands, &c.
Shone's best London porter in casks of 4 to 5 dozen
Best Bourdeaux claret in cases of 3 dozen
Ditto of an inferior quality
Copper bottoms
French and English silks, cottons and calicoes
Irish printed linens
Ribbands and silk hose
Superfine cloths
Gauzes and kentings
Bindings, threads and tapes
Scotch carpets of different sizes

Also, Carolina rice in tierces, and New-England soal leather d Sept 5

FOR SALE BY

Levi Hollingsworth,

At his store below the Draw-Bridge,

ANCHORS of all sizes, from 100 to 1000wt. bar iron by the ton, pots and kettles, grindstones warranted superior to any imported from Europe; Lisbon wine, West-India and country rum, sugar, coffee, cocoa, a spermaceti screw 7 inches diameter, with box compleat for expressing spermaceti oil, &c. in good order, gensang in casks. Senneca, snake root in hhds, &c &c.

Imported in the ship Dublin Packet just arrived from Dublin, and to be SOLD by

Conyngham, Nesbitt & Co.

At their Store in Front-street, below Walnut street,

YARD and 7-8 wide white Irish linens, brown 9-8 sheetings and Drogheda linens

They have also for SALE

Printed cottons and linens, chintzes, 7-4, 8-4 and 9-4 diapers, fine tablecloths and napkins in sets; with sundry other dry goods. Also fine old Madeira Wines, Claret in boxes, old Coniac Brandy, and a few fresh Nutmegs——all which they will sell on the most reasonable terms.

Sept. 26. 3wf

Irish Linens,

Just arrived in the Harmony and Pigou from London, and for SALE by

Ross and Vaughan.

September 15 d

Madeira Wine,

OF A GOOD QUALITY,

In Pipes, Hogsheads and Quarter Casks, for sale by

w&ftf JOHN CLIFFORD

An assorment of Cambricks

and Lawns, for sale by

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart.

September 21. ce

Just arrived, and for Sale by

Benjamin Fuller,

A small Parcel of

CARRACCA COCOA,

And a few Bags of excellent

Cotton of the first quality.

September 14 6teop

Mordecai Lewis and Co.

HAVE FOR SALE,

HYSON and souchong tea,
A few boxes Bourdeaux claret
Shone's porter in hampers
French and Spanish brandy
White lead ground in oil
Dry red lead and Spanish brown
Vermilion and a variety of other paints
Ground red wood
A few barrels of saltpetre
Refined borax
Whiting, chalk, copperas
English and Swedish steel
6d, 8d & 24d nails
Cutting knives
Hardware assorted in packages
Tin ware in hogsheads
Grindstones
A parcel of gold and silver watches
Russia matts and oacum
Ditto sailcloth
Haircloth for malsters
A quantity of feathers

And a very large Assortment of DRY GOODS.

August 29 2aw6w

Just Imported in the ship Harmony,

captain Willet, from London—A Quantity of

Well assorted Shot,

And for SALE by

Forbes and Morris;

Also, to be Rented, a compleat Compting-House—likewise a Store or two, if wanted. Apply as above.

September 15 mftu F. & M.

Bohea & Souchong Teas

Of the last importation from the East-Indies,

To be Sold by Charles Wharton,

At his Store near the Drawbridge,

Who has also for sale, a large assortment of

Figured and Plain MUSLINS

By the bale or piece, a quantity of excellent old Lisbon Wine in quarter casks, West-India Rum, Muscovado Sugars. Cotton, &c. &c. 2aw5w

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James Lockwood & Co.

Between Arch and Race, in Water-street,

HAVE FOR SALE

A Quantity of SHEEP's WOOL;

ALSO,

BOurdeaux Claret, of the first quality, in cases
Port wine
West India and New England rum
4d, 10d and 20d nails, manufactured in this country
Iron shovels, ditto
Pork Beef
Hogs lard
Tallow
Candles in boxes, extraordinary good
Hams
Albany peas
White beans
A few casks of rice
Salmon
Lynn shoes
Boston iron tea-kettles 2awtf
Brass kettles
And a number of articles of DRY GOODS, &c. &c.

CLEMENT BIDDLE,

Notary Public, Scrivener and Broker,

At his Office, in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets,

Has for Sale,

A VERY Valuable Plantation on Delaware river, and Neshamany creek, about 17 miles from this city, containing about 280 acres, of which 80 acres are woodland, 50 acres of marsh meadow secured with a good bank, and laid down in timothy grass, and 16 acres of fine orchard; a neat kitchen garden, of near an acre, inclosed with cedar pales, and dwelling house, barn, stables, and other out houses.

Two valuable tracts of unimproved Land in Mount Bethel township, Northampton county; one of 362 acres, the other of 479 acres.

A large and commodious House and Lot of Gronnd in the town of Louisburg, Dauphin connty.

A Farm of 216 acres of Land in Falls township, Bucks county, situate on the river Delaware, near the 24 mile stone, on the road from Bristol to Trenton.

everal Valuable unimproved tracts of Land in the county of Northumberland.

Three tracts of Land in Sussex county, in New Jersey.

To be let on ground rent forever,

A Lot of Ground on South-street, between Second and Third streets from the river Delaware, in this city, containing in front 19 feet, and in depth 88 feet.

For Freight or Charter,

To any part of Europe, or the West Indies, a *SHIP* now in this port, that will carry upwards of 300 hogsheads of tobacco.

THE SUBSCRIBER

Most respectfully acquaints the Public, that he has commenced the Business of a

Notary Public, Conveyancer & Broker,

And has also opened an *Office* for the purchase and sale of *Real Estates*. He flatters himself, that the utility of uniting those several branches is obvious, and will render his endeavours useful.

As the business of a *Broker* has in a great measure been hitherto confined to that particular part of its duties which more immediately relates to the purchasing and selling of *Stock*, the subscriber has seen the inconveniencies which both citizens and strangers experience from the want of a *Broker* in the particular line of *Commerce*: to remedy this as much as in him lies, it is a considerable part of his present plan to pay particular attention to the duties of a *Mercantile Broker*, in which line he flatters himself he shall prove a useful instrument to the merchants of this city, as well as to such foreigners and strangers as may have occasion for his services. He has therefore prepared himself for the receiving, buying and selling every kind of *Merchandize* on commission, for procuring freight for vessels, and hiring vessels on charter. He will also purchase and sell, on commission, bills of exchange, bank stock, and all kinds of public securities; in which several transactions his employers may implicitly rely on his best endeavours for their interests, on the most inviolable secrecy, and every possible dispatch.

Third-street, below Market-street, June 2. } EDWARD FOX: tutsfmtftf

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Edward Fox,

NOTARY PUBLIC, CONVEYANCER & BROKER,

West side of Third-street, the first House below Market-street,

BUYS and SELLS on Commission, every Kind of

Merchandize, Bills of Exchange,

Public Securities, Bank Stock,

And all the different Species of PAPER MONEY of this or of any of the United States.

He procures Freight for Vessels,

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Lets out and procures MONEY on Loan:

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By a punctual attendance on the several duties which he undertakes, and a scrupulous regard to the interests of his employers, he expects to merit the confidence of those gentlemen who may from time to time have occasion for his services, in any or all of the above branches.

☞ Excellent Stores are provided for the reception of either Wet or Dry Goods.

A Wet Nurse.

A healthy Young Woman with a good breast of milk, of an unblemished character, and who can be well recommended, would engage on moderate terms. Enquire at the Buck in Chace, in Market-street. 2

Just arrived, and now landing from on board the sloop Apollo, Wm. Place, master, from St. Vincent's and Grenada, now lying at Walnut-street wharf,

A parcel of excellent Rum,

And a few hogsheads and barrels of

Muscovado Sugar,

Which will be disposed of on reasonable terms, by

Conyngham, Nesbitt & Co.

August 25

IF *George Carl Frederick Hartmann*, formerly a corporal in the service of the Duke of Brunswick, and who in the year 1780, resided in Loudon county, state of Virginia, would apply to the subscriber in Third street, he will be informed of an event in which he is particularly interested.

SAMUEL M. FOX.

To be Let,

A LARGE commodious SCHOOL-HOUSE in Videll's Alley, between Chesnut and Walnut-streets. Enquire of James Whitehead, corner of New and Third-streets. September 19. eotf

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TO BE LET,

A convenient three-story Brick

HOUSE,

In UNION-STREET.

Also, a small TENEMENT in Pine street. The present tenants term will expire on the 25th September next. Enquire of the Printers.

August 1. 2awtf

ALL persons indebted to the estate of *JOHN HOOD*, Merchant, in Front street, late deceased, are requested to make immediate payment; and those who have demands against said estate, are desired to bring in their claims properly attested.

The remaining STOCK on hand, consisting of a Variety of DRY GOODS and HARD-WARE (part of them in original packages) will be sold very low for Cash.

Also—The BRIGANTINE *Carolina Packet*, burthen about 1700 barrels flour, built in Philadelphia in 1784, and is now in complete order, and may be seen at Mr. Gerard's wharf—She has a Cargo Port-au-Prince MELASSES on board for sale.

HANNAH HOOD, *Executrix.*
WILLIAM M'MURTRIE, *Executor*

Philadelphia, August 15, 1787. eptf

THE partnership of *Wynkoop* and *Siemen* being by the late death of Henry Wynkoop dissolved: the subscriber, as surviving partner, requests all those indebted to the said concern to render payment to him as speedily as possible; and those who have any demands against the same to apply for payment.

PAUL SIEMEN,

At the late store of Wynkoop and Siemen, in Front-street:

Philadelphia, September 25 etf

Philadelphia, August 27, 1787.

THE subscriber expects in a few weeks to leave this place: therefore requests that those indebted to him would immediately pay their respective balances; those who have demands against him will please apply for payment, to

JOHN STRAWBRIDGE,

Who offers for sale, two convenient *STORES*, the southwest corner of Third and Chesnut streets, for Paper Money of the late emission. d

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FOR SALE, A

TWO story House and Lot of Ground, situate on the Bank side of Front street, nearly opposite to the Custom-House, late the estate of Nathaniel Allen, deceased, and now in the tenure of Thomas Harrison, shoemaker—The lot is 25 feet front, continuing the same breadth to Water street. For terms apply to

Aug 18. 3mf JOSIAH HEWES.

Stop Thief!

LAST evening the Five following WHEELBARROW MEN knocked down their Keeper and made their escape, viz.

Thomas Knight, about 25 years of age, 6 feet high, a stout well made fellow, a little knock-kneed, brown hair, has a remarkable deceitful countenance, and born in England.

Casper Kirkessel, born in Germany, about 26 years of age, red hair, 5 feet 5 inches high, and knock-kneed.

John O'Brian, about 25 years of age, born in Ireland, 5 feet 5 inches high, has several scars on his head, and dark hair.

Joseph Humfreys, born in East Jersey, about 25 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high, dark hair, and slightly marked with the small pox.

James M'Gee, about 29 years of age, born in Ireland, 5 feet 7 inches high, sandy hair, pitted with the small pox, and has lately cut off a wart that was on his face, is particularly well known to almost every person that was in the Pennsylvania line during the war, in which he was a corporal.

Their hair is off, which is the most remarkable circumstance, as they will doubtless change their cloaths.

A Reward of *Ten Pounds* will be paid by the Sheriff or Gaoler of Philadelphia, for securing all of them, or in proportion for one or more of them.

Joseph Cowperthwait, sheriff.
John Reynolds, gaoler.

Philadelphia, September 21. 5t

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN-AWAY last evening, an Indented German *SERVANT*, named *John Christian Hubner*, a baker by trade, about 21 years of age, 5 feet 6 or 7 inches high, an active good-looking fellow, fair complexion, and light sandy hair, but having lately been sick, looks pale, and of thin visage. He had on and took with him an old round hat, a surtout coat of dark brown coating, an olive coloured fustian coatee, vest and breeches, with figured metal buttons thereon, short spotted vest, white dimity ditto, two white Russia sheeting shirts, one pair of sheeting trowsers, new buckskin breeches, brown thread stockings, one pair of new and one pair of old shoes, buckles not particularly known. He carries his cloaths in a bag, made of English twilled bagging, and marked in large letters N L. He speaks tolerable good English, and writes well in German, is a civil well behaved fellow, not addicted to drink to excess, but is averse to servitude, and ready to embrace any scheme for obtaining his liberty, expecting to fix himself at some employment in a remote neighbourhood of Germans, in this state, or perhaps in New York Government.

The above reward will be paid to any person who will deliver the said servant to the subscriber in Philadelphia, and reasonable charges.

NATHANIEL LEWIS.

Philadelphia, August 22. 1awtf

Fayette County Taxes for the Year 1787.

A TRANSCRIPT of the returns and assessment of the lands of non-residents in the county of Fayette, agreeably to an act of assembly, passed Sept. 11, 1786, is now published in the Freeman's Journal, No. 334. Printed by Mr. *Bailey*, Sept. 12, 1787.

ALL persons concerned are hereby required to pay the taxes for the present year, on their lands in said county, into the state treasury, before the 12th day of November next; when the names of the delinquents will be transmitted to the commissioners of the county, that they may proceed to enforce the payment as the law directs.

DAVID RITTENHOUSE, State Treasurer.

Philadelphia, *September* 12, 1787. 1aw4t

Berks & Washington County Taxes For 1787.

RETURNS of all the taxes on the lands of non-residents in the counties of Berks and Washington are published in the Freeman's Journal, No 335, printed by Mr. Bailey. All persons indebted are required to pay into the state treasury before the 19th of November next. DAVID RITTENHOUSE, Treasurer.

September 19, 1787.

N. B. There are still arrears due of the taxes for 1785 and 1786 on ward and company lands in Washington county; unless these are paid very shortly, the lands will certainly be sold. 4w

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The MENAGE,

At the Center-House, will be opened on the 17th instant, by the subscriber, for the instruction of Gentlemen in that manly, useful and heathy exercise, the Art of Horsemanship in all its different branches. The days of exercise will be on *Monday, Wednesday* and *Friday*. He proposes to begin each morning at six, and close at 8 o'clock. JACOB BATES. 2aw3w

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In Pennsylvania:

Being the epistolary correspondence between Mehemet, the *secret deputy* from the sublime Porte, resident in Philadelphia, to his friends in Algiers, Gibraltar, &c. in which the sentiments of an Algerine on American occurrences from the close of the year 1783 to the meeting of the Convention, are fully displayed.

The whole translated from the original Arabic manuscript. By S. T. P.

*** *Wm. Prichard* informs his friends and generous customers, that he has just arrived in the Harmony, from London, an elegant Assortment of New Publications, Stationary, &c. which will be landed in a few day. *Sept* 17 d

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For Grist Mills & other Water Works

On an extensive Plan,

One of the best situations in America is offered

FOR SALE,

Together With

Batsto Iron-Works,

At the forks of Little Egg-Harbour river, one of the most healthy spots in New Jersey, 38 miles by land from Philadelphia, and within a few hours sail of New York.

THE river, communicating with the sea by the best inlet on the Jersey coast, is navigable for vessels of 200 tons within a few miles of the works; those of 100 tons may approach within one mile; flats and scows, carrying 10 or 12 tons, load and unload at the works. The usual freight to New York or Philadelphia is 10 shillings per ton. The furnace stream affords plenty of water, in the dryest season, for 3 or 4 pair of mill stones, besides supplying the iron works.——An excellent dam, which has been increasing in strength many years by the cinder from the furnace, is well secured from the danger of freshes, and the works are scarcely ever injured or delayed by either ice or backwater, though the tide swells to the foot of the dam: mills may therefore be erected at a moderate expence. This being a part of the country in which many people and many teams are necessarily employed in collecting and preparing for market the iron and lumber with which it abounds, and at the same time illy adapted to the raising of grain for their support, there is, and must continue to be, a demand for large quantities of midlings, cornell, shorts and bran, at advanced prices; and the conveniency of conveying flour at a light expence, either to New York or Philadelphia, or to more distant markets, will not be overlooked nor considered as of small importance, especially as there are few mill seats of any considerable capacity equally adapted to the New York market, which is not unfrequently supplied with superfine flour from Philadelphia. A choice of the various kinds of wheat may be drawn to this seat from Virginia, Maryland, Delaware, New Jersey, and New York with greater ease and convenience than to almost any other mills now in being.

The *FURNACE*, which by the extensive lands annexed to it, is abundantly supplied with wood and ore, is now in blast, and is noted for producing the best hollow ware in America, the metal being peculiarly well adapted to the making of castings of all kinds, as well as excellent bar iron.

A *FORGE*, with four fires and two hammers, belongs to the estate, and stands about half a mile from the furnace, on another fine stream which affords plenty of water.

A *SLITTING* and *ROLLING MILL*, having been disused for the last two or three years, may want some repairs to prepare it for use; but the forebays and gates are in perfect order, and being in the proper spot for grist mills, may be appropriated to that use.

Two *SAW MILLS* in good order, and a small Grist Mill.

The *MANSION HOUSE* is elegantly situated about 100 yards from the furnace, on an height which commands a view of the whole works, and of the two villages formed by the surrounding buildings belonging to the estate, such as barns, stables, coal houses, workshops, storehouses and dwellings for work men. Adjoining the mansion house is a large and fruitful garden, affording plenty of vegetables, and well stored with chosen fruit trees: also a young bearing orchard, containing near 2000 apple trees, mostly grafted.

These excellent accommodations for extensive and profitable manufactories, are offered to sale at a very low rate, and on terms of payment calculated for the ease of the purchaser, who may pay the greater part in the produce of the Iron Works, at a price to be agreed upon; and they are capable of producing more in one year, than will pay the whole price demanded.

For particulars, apply to WILLIAM RICHARDS, at the said Works, JOHN COX, at Bloomsbury, near Trenton, or CHARLES PETTIT, in Philadelphia.

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The Pennſylvania Packet, *and Daily Advertiſer.*

[Price Four-Pence.] SATURDAY, September 29, 1787. [No. 2699.]

Sales at Auction.

Philadelphia, Sept. 17, 1787.

BY virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas, to be directed, will be expoſed to ſale, by public vendue, at Joſeph Grover's tavern, at the ſign of the King of Pruſſia, in Germantown, on Saturday the 29th inſtant, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, a large two ſtory Stone Houſe, and Lot or Piece of Ground, ſituate, lying and being in Germantown and county of Philadelphia; containing 26 acres, 15 perches and 11 feet; bounded by lands of Paul Krepner, Logan, Baltzer Traut, John Frederick Ax, Jacob Traut, and by Germantown Main-ſtreet, and a lane or croſs ſtreet, which makes it very convenient for public buſineſs. Taken in execution as late the eſtate of Jeremiah Traut, deceaſed, and to be ſold by

Joſeph Cowperthwait, ſheriff.

On Tueſday Next,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

At the Southwark Auction-Store,

Will commence the ſale of a Large and Freſh

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

JOHN MEASE, Auctioneer.

N. B. All kinds of Merchandiſe

On commiſſion, diſpoſed of at private ſale. *Sept.* 25

On Tueſday Next,

Preciſely at 9 o'clock,

At the City Vendue-Store,

Will commence the ſale of a Large and General

Aſſortment of Merchandiſe.

The ſtated days of ſale at the above ſtore, are *Tueſdays* and *Thurſdays.*

Houſhold and Kitchen Furniture

On every *Wedneſday Morning* from 9 to 12 o'clock.

Sept. 27 PETER WIKOFF, Auctioneer.

To be Sold by Public Vendue,

At the *Old Coffee-Houſe,* in the city of Philadelphia, on *Wedneſday* the 17th day of October next, at ſix o'clock in the Evening,

(If not previouſly diſpoſed of at private ſale)

MOORE-HALL,

THE Eſtate of the late *William Moore,* eſquire, ſituate upon the river Schuylkill, in the townſhip of Charles-Town, in the county of Cheſter, diſtant 23 miles from this city.

The Eſtate conſiſts of upwards of 600 acres of moſt excellent land, 300 of which are arable, the remainder is woodland and meadow.

The Manſion Houſe is ſpacious, convenient and airy; it is ſituated upon a high and healthy ſpot, and commands a moſt delightful view—The Barn is large; the Stables and Offices are commodious. There is a very valuable Griſt-Mill on the premiſes, near the Manſion Houſe, on a never-failing ſtream called Pickering, running through the eſtate, and watering a great body of meadow; this ſtream empties itſelf into the Schuylkill in front of the houſe; it formerly ſupplied water for a ſaw-mill, which might with much eaſe, and at a little expence, be replaced, and carried on to great advantage.

This Eſtate may, with great convenience, be divided into three compact Farms, with a competent portion of arable land, woodland and meadow to each farm.

Any perſon inclining to treat for the whole or a part of Premiſes before the day of ſale, may know the terms by applying to LEWIS WEISS, eſquire, in Arch ſtreet, or PETER MILLER, eſquire, in Third ſtreet. *Sept* 17 eptf

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Valuable Land for Sale.

Will be expoſed to Sale by Public Vendue, on Thurſday the 29th of November next, at the Court-Houſe in Harford county, ſtate of Maryland,

TWO very valuable and well-improved FARMS, late the property of Henry Wilſon and Son, about two miles and a half from the Court-houſe, 24 miles from Baltimore, 9 miles from Joppa, and 8 miles from a landing at Otter-Point, near the Bay. The two farms together contain 929 acres, but will be divided nearly equal. One half the land is cleared, the remainder in timber; about 60 acres of meadow made, and about as much more may be cleared, and a large proportion of the whole may be watered at a ſmall expence by ſeveral ſprings, and a conſiderable run, that flows through the centre of the land; the winter's run likewiſe flows through a part of it, on which is a mill ſeat. There is on each farm a good brick houſe, with barn, ſtables, &c. a large orchard ſtocked with the beſt fruit, and a large garden paled in. The ſituation is high and healthy, the ſoil good for either farming or grazing: they are convenient to ſeveral merchant mills, where there is a conſtant market for all kinds of grain.

Thoſe who wiſh to view the land, on application to Meſſ. Aſhton and Waters, the preſent tenants, will be ſhewn it. Poſſeſſion will be given the 1ſt of January, if required. The title good and free of all incumbrances. The terms will be eaſy to the purchaſer, and will be made known on the day of ſale, by Wm. WEST.

Baltimore, September 6, 1787. dtf

Thomas & Joſeph Potts

Have for Sale at their Store (lately occupied by Baker, Potts, & Co.) in Third, near Arch ſtreet,

PENNSYLVANIA refined bar iron

Nail rods, Sheet iron

Plough ſhare moulds, with and without bars

Large ten plate } STOVES
Small ditto }
Franklin and }
Rittenhouſe }

Backs and jambs for chimnies

Window weights, pots, Dutch ovens, and a variety of other caſtings

Jamaica ſpirit } by the hogſhead
Weſt-India and country rum }

Rice by the tierce

Indigo, Indian corn

Sugar and coffee

They will alſo deliver upon very reaſonable terms, and on the ſhorteſt notice, at any wharf in this city,

Pipe, } Staves and Heading
Hogſhead and }
Barrel }

Pine and cedar Boards, Scantling, &c.

For *LONDON,*

The Ship HARMONY,

John Willett, Maſter;

FOR freight or paſſage apply to the Commander on board at Meaſe's wharf, or to

Sept 15 d *MORDECAI LEWIS & CO.*

For London,

The Ship PIGOU,

Wolman Sutton, Maſter;

Now laying at Walnut-ſtreet wharf; will ſail with all convenient ſpeed, having part of her cargo engaged. For freight or paſſage apply to the ſaid Maſter, Thomas Penroſe, or JOHN FIELD. dtf

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For DUBLIN,

The Ship DUBLIN PACKET,

Robert Alcorn, Maſter;

WILL ſail the 15th November. For freight or paſſage apply to the captain at Race-ſtreet wharf, or to

HAYNES & CRAWFORD.

Who are landing out of ſaid ſhip yard-wide and 7-8 wide low-priced Iriſh linens, which they will ſell on moderate terms.

There is alſo ſome COAL on board for ſale.

September 28. dtf

For Savannah,

The Brigantine *GEORGIA PACKET,*

Harding Williams, Maſter;

WILL ſail in 10 or 12 days. For freight or paſſage apply to the ſaid Maſter on board at Clifford's wharf, or to *WILLIAM SYKES,*

Who hath old Coniac brandy in pipes, and a few hogſheads of the beſt white wine vinegar for ſale.

September 27 8ſp

For Boſton,

The Sloop BAUSTO,

Daniel Newman, Maſter;

NOW laying at Mifflin's wharf, and will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or to Meſſrs. *Pickering & Hodgdon,* at their ſtore at the head of the wharf.

September 17 d

For Charleſton,

The Brig *PHOEBE,*

John Drinker, Maſter;

NOW laying at Meſſrs. James & John Cox's wharf, will ſail on Thurſday the 4th October. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, or

KEELEY & JENKINS,

Who have for ſale at their ſtore in Water ſtreet, between Cheſnut and Walnut ſtreets, Madeira, Sherry, Liſbon, Malaga and Teneriffe wines, Jamaica ſpirits, Weſt India and New England rum, coffee and ſugars, hyſon and bohea tea, a quantity of Madeira Walnuts, &c. September 22 dt40

FOR SALE,

The Sloop Sally,

A Fine Rhode-Iſland built veſſel, burthen about 500 barrels, well found, and may be ſent to ſea at a trifling expence. For terms apply to

July 23. dtf BENJAMIN MASON.

For Baltimore,

The Sloop HANNAH,

Samuel Oakford, Maſter;

WILL ſail the 29th inſtant. For freight or paſſage apply to *Iſrael Iſrael* at the Croſs Keys Inn, or the Maſter on board at Bald's wharf. *Sept* 26 3ſp

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FOR SALE,

The Schooner *Trial,*

Benjamin Rogers, junr. Maſter,

AS ſhe came from ſea, and now lays at Mr. *Hazlehurſt's* wharf: ſhe is a good veſſel, burthen about 300 barrels. Apply to

Sept 26 d *DONNALDSON & COXE.*

Wanted to Charter

For VIRGINIA,

A VESSEL from 50 to 150 Tons burthen.——Enquire of

eo2w JONES & LOWNES.

FOR

Norfolk, Peterſburg and Richmond,

The Sloop DELAWARE, *Wm. Tanner,* Maſter;

HAS excellent accommodations for paſſengers, and will ſail with all convenient ſpeed. For freight or paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, laying at Cheſnut ſtreet wharf, or to *Francis Knox,* in Second ſtreet.

September 26 eo3t

To be Let on Freight, to

Europe or the Weſt-Indies, the

Britiſh Ship Polly,

Thomas Williamſon, Maſter;

Burthen about 180 tons.

FOR terms apply to THOMAS, SAMUEL & MIERS FISHER. A few tons of Houſe Coal to be ſold on board ſaid ſhip. They have alſo imported in the ſaid ſhip Polly, and in the Pigou and Harmony, and other veſſels from Europe, for ſale, on very low terms,

India and Britiſh printed calicoes and cottons } By the package, as imported.
Printed linen handkerchiefs }
Cambricks and lawns }
Low priced drab, mixed and blue broadcloths }
Blue and mixed 6-4 and 7-4 coatings }
Striped and roſe blankets }
Blue ſtrouds }
Knit ribbed worſted hoſe }
Ironmongery and cutlery aſſorted in caſks }
Delph and queens ware in caſks and crates }

Allum in hogſheads

Red lead, white lead and Spaniſh brown

Bar lead, and ſhot aſſorted

Liverpool ſalt

Burr millſtones of various ſizes

New-Caſtle grindſtones

Sail and ſeine twine

Catalonia red wine in pipes

Fine old mountain in pipes and quarter caſks

Malaga, ſweet and dry, in pipes and quarter caſks

Dry ſherry in quarter caſks

Almonds in frails

Together with a General Aſſortment of European Goods, ſuitable to the ſeaſon, as uſual 3aw4w

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A few REAMS of excellent

HATTERS PAPER,

For Sale by the Printers hereof.

To the *Freeholders* and other *Electors,* for the City and County of *Philadelphia,*

Gentlemen,

ENCOURAGED by a reſpectable number of my Friends and Fellow Citizens, I beg leave to requeſt the Favour of your Votes at the enſuing Election, to place me on the Return with the preſent Sheriff, as I mean to offer myſelf a candidate for that Office when his time by law expires.

Your Suffrages for this purpoſe, will be thankfully acknowledged, by

Gentlemen,

Your obedient humble Servant,

Samuel Caldwell.

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July 18 w&ſ JOHN ANGUS.

Foreign Intelligence.

MADRID, July 6.

THE frigate le Dauphin arrived at Cadiz the 22d of June, and brought the agreeable news that all the differences which subsisted between the court of Madrid and the emperor of Morocco are absolutely terminated. The Morocco corsairs which have put to sea, will no doubt pay respect to the Spanish flag.

ANTWERP, July 21.

Our hopes are renewed since the states general of the Belgic Provinces, have resolved to pay a deference to the emperor's desire of sending deputies to Vienna. The resolution was taken at Brussels, and the states having demanded an audience of their imperial highnesses, our serene governors general, that audience was given them in the afternoon of the 18th. This resolution of the states having been notified to their imperial highnesses, they departed for Vienna on the 19th. There is every reason to hope, that the emperor contented with this satisfaction, will give counter-orders to the troops now on their march to the Low Countries, and that our affairs will be arranged in such a manner at Vienna, as to restore tranquility to our country.

UTRECHT, July 25.

Our garrison having been augmented, so as not to fear an attack from the stadtholderian army, the council of Regency has come to the resolution, to order the commanding officers of the different batteries established for the defence of the city, to fire upon the enemies troops as soon as they approach within gun shot; it has been further resolved, in case the city was really attacked, not to enter into any capitulation with the enemy, and that those who shall go out of the city to speak with them, shall be regarded as enemies to the country, if they have not been expressly commissioned by the council to do so. It has further been resolved, that the council cannot of itself make any capitulation tending to deliver up the city to the enemy, without the concurrence and express approbation of the corps of Burgesses, and of the commission established to regulate the operation of defence. This last precaution has been judged necessary on account of the examples of the cities of Hattem and of Wyk, whose regencies surrendered the places to the enemy contrary to the advice of the burgesses, who would willingly have defended them.

It has been reported for some days past, that a numerous detachment of the army of Zeist had marched towards Bunick and Waart; in consequence of which, a considerable detachment from our garrison was sent towards those places, which the enemy perceiving, put themselves upon their guard, and judged it adviseable to make a retreat, and return to their camp: a numerous party of our chasseurs were close under the feeble ramparts of Wyk: they did not fire a single cannon, nor did any body appear to give them battle.

The desertions still continue to the camp of Zeest; our new regiments form and complete themselves with astonishing celerity. It is positively known that a piquet of Van Effeten endeavoured to join our troops, and that without the greatest vigilance, the major part of the troops, who have deserted from the Holland line, will return in the end to implore pardon, and repair their fault by an inviolable fidelity to their sovereign.

LONDON.

July 26. The divisions in the Netherlands are rather patched up than healed, and it is generally apprehended will yet take a very serious turn. The Brabanters, say the best informed, are resolutely bent on preserving the constitution and laws inviolate, while the emperor is merely temporising till he can recover the advantages taken of his long absence from the capital, and make the necessary arrangements for enforcing his new established edicts sword in hand. The next mails are impatiently expected, as likely to produce some decesive and authentic information on this important and alarming business.

Extract of a letter from Brussels, July 8.

The following is a copy of a letter from their royal highnesses the governors general to the states, viz.——

'Dear well beloved,

'We send you this to inform you, that prince Kaunitz, the chancellor of state, has made known to us by an express, dated the 29th of last month, that he has given an account to his majesty of the different reports of the government general, including that of the 18th of the same month, all relative to the important affairs which are now carried on with the states of the Belgic Provinces, and that his majesty has not thought proper to adopt the method which the said chancellor proposed to him, according to the advice and propositions of the said government; but that he promised they should attain the same end by the means which were prescribed to them from Lemberg, dated the 24th.

'That his majesty's intention then is, that all the provinces send chosen deputies from every order of state, and particularly of the third state; that those deputies are to be furnished with all the complaints and apprehensions of their respective corps, and that his majesty will enter into an explication with them concerning them, which will be a more expeditious mode of understanding matters than if the affairs were carried on by writing; and in order that the deputies may likewise examine and inspect all the establishments intended for that country, his majesty intends going himself into the Low Countries when he has spoke to the said deputies; but that in the mean time every thing must rest in suspence. For the rest, his majesty considering the just confidence we have acquired in the Low Countries, intends we should come to him as soon as possible, particular orders for which his majesty has given us in a letter wrote by his own hand, that we may be found by that means to be the mediation between the sovereign and the states; and finally, his majesty desires that count Belgioso, his minister plenipotentiary, will likewise come to Vienna. In communicating his majesty's intentions to you, we expect that you will all conform to them for the reasons which concern us all.

Signed, MARY ALBERT.

Countersigned, DE REUIL.'

Brussels, July 8, 1787.

Extract of a letter from Bimlepatnam, November, 1786.

'On the 4th, in the morning, we had here the most dreadful tempest ever known in this part of the world. It began from the North. At 2 A. M. long before break of day, it was terrible; but at 6, the wind coming round by the West, settled at S. S. E. and was then dreadful beyond description; a terraced house, belonging to Mr. Plait, upwards of 100 feet in front, and situated half a mile inland, was washed down by the sea, which broke over all bounds; the sea and river became one, and rose to a height never before known. The vessels, which lay at the usual places of repair, were driven by the wind and tide out of their docks—some against the houses, which they crushed—others were dashed to pieces—not a house in the place but has received some damage. Hundreds are blown down, likewise thousands of trees. The country now presents the most wretched scene imagination can picture. My garden which flourished on the 3d, could not boast a leaf on the 4th. A large portia tree, in front of my house, was, in the first of the gale, blown down; and then the wind shifted to the South, it blew it up again, and it now stands the firmest in the place.'

Yesterday died in Newgate, Mr. Elliot, who at the last session was tried for shooting at Miss Boydell, but acquitted, and ordered to give security of the peace. It is generally imagined that he perished through want of food. Mr. Akerman provided every thing necessary for his sustenance, but he obstinately persisted in a refusal to partake of any nourishment for some days prior to his dissolution.

July 27. The Dutch faction has certainly sent some ships of the line to the East Indies, to guard their spice islands; and the motive assigned for this proceeding is, that it was feared, had the islands been left unguarded, they might have been taken by the English, and made the condition for the restoration of the prince of Orange to the states.

The subjects of the emperor are nearly in rebellion. The people of Holland are actually engaged in a civil war. France prones by her land and marine manœuvres, that she will not be an idle looker on, and therefore it behoves England to be vigilant, and prepared against the worst that may happen.

It is said by the prince of Orange's enemies, that his highness has not talents equal to his situation.—He is said to delight more in the pleasures of the table, the bottle, and the chace, than in politics. But on the other hand it is said, that his consort, bred up in the school of her uncle, the late king of Prussia, is a pupil worthy of such a master, and is certainly a most consummate politician.

Though it is certain that his most Christian majesty has demanded permission from the prince bishop of Liege for the passage of the French troops through the territories of his highness, that are intended, in case of need, for the assistance of Holland, yet it is generally hoped that an accommodation will take place without farther bloodshed.

The French have long bent their view towards the East Indies; they have long wished to have a secure footing there; and the Dutch spice islands will amply repay for what services this great and good ally may perform in favour of the disunited states.

It will be deemed extraordinary that such a character as the emperor of Germany should give up the ordinances and rules he lately imposed on the Flemings. But let it be remembered, that the Austrian Netherlands, and the Hungarians, secured the empire to the present family. On the first of June, 1775, the states of Lower Austria granted Maria Theresa one million of florins, and one hundred thousand crowns for carriages to support the war. What part of her dominions could do as much? The Brabanters are therefore the brightest jewels in the Imperial crown.

Letters from the south of France say, that the grapes are in greater abundance there this season than has been remembered for many years past.

A letter from Nancy, in Lorraine, informs us on the first of July, Mr. Blanchard ascended with two balloons, amidst an incredible number of spectators?—In less than three minutes, he rose to an extraordinary height, and piercing the clouds, totally disappeared for about five minutes; when Mr. Blanchard, as he had previously announced, opened the valve of his balloon, which rapidly descended; and getting out of the boat, he opened his large parachute, by which he descended one league from the place where he set out. In the evening he went to the theatre, where he received the greatest applause, and a crown of laurels from a lady of the first distinction, for which he politely returned his acknowledgments. The next day, in the afternoon, he promised another ascension; but the wind being too violent, he sent up a little dog in a basket, about three thousand feet high, when the parachute opening, let it down with ease unhurt.——Mr. Blanchard made one hundred cubic feet of gas, without vitriolic acid, only with water and steel filings; and it was with the gas that he filled the small balloon that supported the parachute, which let him down on the 1st of July.

According to letters received by the last ship from Quebec, a very large colony have settled upon Beaver Island, which is situated on the north, i. e. the British side of Lake Ontario, with leave of the governor-general of America, Lord Dorchester; where they have every prospect of carrying on a most extensive trade for furs, &c. with the Indian nations, who prefer a traffic nearer home than coming over the falls to Montreal or Quebec. Very large quantities of goods are preparing to be sent off from Quebec to the new settlers for trafficking with the Indians.

The removal of the minor lord viscount Gormanston, from Ireland to Liege, has been thought a measure of sufficient magnitude to call for the interference not only of the government of Ireland, but also of the cabinet of Great-Britain. The marquis of Carmarthen having written in his majesty's name to the prince bishop of Liege, to desire that his highness would cause the young lord to be delivered into the hands of such persons as his majesty shall commission to receive him. But his highness returned for answer, that though he was the sovereign of Liege, he was bound by the laws and constitutions of his principality, and therefore could not take upon himself finally to determine in such a matter without the advice and concurrence of his grand Chapter and his government; that he would however immediately communicate the affair, together with his majesty's wishes, to his council, and without delay make the marquis acquainted with the result of their deliberations. Accordingly the affair was maturely considered and debated in the prince's council, and it was at last resolved that his highness could not consistently with the laws of the state, force a Catholic out of his dominions, for the purpose of putting him into the hands of those who would bring him up a Protestant.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman in Philadelphia, to his friend in London, dated June 12.

'Dr. Franklin exhibits daily a spectacle of transcendant benevolence, by attending the convention punctually, and even taking part in its business and deliberations. He says, 'it is the most august and respectable assembly he was ever in in his life; and adds, that he thinks they will soon finish their business, as there are no prejudices to oppose, nor errors to refute in any of the body.' Mr. Dickinson, who is one of them, informs me that they are all united in their objects, and he expects they will be equally united in the means of attaining them. Mr. Adams's book has diffused such excellent principles amongst us, that there is little doubt of our adopting a vigorous and compounded federal legislature. Our illustrious minister, in this gift to his country, has done us more service than if he had obtained alliances for us with all the nations in Europe.'

A letter from the Hague says, it is a positive fact that the king of Prussia has refused his august sister the princess of Orange, a sanctuary in his dominions, owing, it is said, to her having given her signature to some improper papers.

The Royal Society of Agriculture at Paris, having proposed prizes of different value for the best dissertation on artificial grasses, and their culture, as applied to the local peculiarities or the *generalite du Paris*, the prize of 1000 livres, and the gold medal were given to Mr. Gilbert, the professor.

To a common farmer, a gold medal was also adjudged, for his successful growth of potatoes, and use of them in feeding cattle—particularly cows—whose milk became more abundant, better flavoured and more productive of butter, than from any other feed.

Prizes are offered to the best answers to the following questions:

1. From what natural-growing trees and shrubs, may be obtained thread?

2. For a new manufacture of coarse woolen cloth—at once stronger, warmer, more weather proof and cheaper than any yet in use.

3. For that series of husbandry which shall never leave any lands fallow.

4. On the artificial hatching all sorts of the domestic birds called poultry.

5. How to destroy the insects found in Lucerne?

6. On the naturally growing-vegetables which may furnish a blue colour?

The invention of any new implement in husbandry; or the improvement of any utensil that is old?

August 1. Late on Monday night, a gentleman of the name of Bennet arrived in town from New York, in an American ship, that put into a port in the Channel where he landed, who reports at the time of the above vessel sailing from New York, it was generally said, that Sir J. Temple, the English Consul, had the preceding day exchanged papers, relative to the treaty of commerce between Great Britain and Congress.

It is positively assured, that the dispatches sent with Mr. Eden to the court of France on Saturday night, announce a positive determination on the part of this country, to assist the stadtholder at all events.

Authentic accounts are just arrived from Wezel, with intelligence that the government there had received a letter from the king of Prussia to the following purport:——

'Whereas the situation of affairs in the Seven United Provinces has now necessitated me to take an active part in them. I have resolved to march an army from 60 to 70 000 men thither; and I desire you will immediately cause the necessary preparations to be made against their arrival. For your regulation, have further to inform you, that they march the 18th of July from Madgdenburgh, and will be in your parts on or about the 30th of the same month.'

The Dutch men of war which have lately come into Leith roads from the North, belong to the admiralty of Zealand; by whom they have been recalled from that station, to be employed nearer home, which in the present situation of affairs is become necessary.

Orders were on Monday sent off from the admiralty office to Portsmouth and Plymouth, to furnish his majesty's ships now fitting at those ports with six months provisions and stores.

The Brest preparations are countermanded—all is peace again at Paris.

M. Neckar is not returning into the councils of finance—on the contrary, he is the declared opponent to the objects of new taxation, so generally unpopular through France.

An Englishman in the Rue de Bons Enfants, was lately taken up, by *Lettre de Cachet*, and confined, nobody can tell where. His alledged offence, nothing done, but too much said, at a table d'Hote, on the new taxes!

Extract of a letter from Boulogne, July 20.

"M. de Winter, commissary of his imperial majesty's army, is arrived here in five days from Vienna, being ordered to form the necessary magazines for the subsistence of the Austrian army, who have received orders to march into the Low Countries. The count de Metternich, minister from the emperor, has presented requisitorial letters for the passage of these troops, which was immediately granted."

August 2. An order from the navy board to the contractor, to provide thirty thousand beds, in addition to the twenty thousand we mentioned before, which will equip above 60 sail of the line.

The navy board have also wrote to the masters and surgeons that are out of employment, to leave their addresses, to be found when called for.

There is also an order sent down to the master attendant, for all the officers in ordinary to keep on board their respective ships.

Forty extra-labourers have been entered in Deptford yard, as well as other yards, to assist in the stores.

The sailors belonging to the ships in the River Thames, dread sleeping on board at night, fearing a sudden press.

Mr. Grenville, on Saturday set off for Harwich, and there embarked on board a packet for Holland. Whether his errand thither is of a political nature, we have not been able to learn. Report says that it is.

Not a mail arrives but brings over dispatches for the Prussian ambassador residing in London. Count Lusi received three packets on Monday, which occasioned the meeting of the foreign Ambassadors the same night, at his house in Pulteney-street.

Extract of a letter from Madrid, July 9.

'We feel more and more, the little probability there is of making peace with the Algerines. The last accounts we have had, were dated the 25th of June. The squadron of Don Juan de Langara, which cruized upon the coast of that Barbary regency, has given very great umbrage; and the dey has been so much disturbed about it, that Mr. de las Heras, charge des affairs from Spain at Algiers, has been constrained to make the most pressing instances to our court, to obtain the recall of that squadron—He has even been threatened to answer for it, with his head!—In consequence of which, he sent here the chancellor of the consulate, with dispatches to that effect: and the squadron is already re-entered our ports. The chancellor is still under quarantine, but his dispatches have been sent to the ministry. Many individuals have received letters at the same time, all confirming the little appearance of solidity in the Algerine system, and the uncertainty of peace. Mr. de Landreset, whom the court of Lisbon had charged with a similar negociation, has already quitted Algiers, and is expected to be now at Marseilles. In the mean time, a Portuguese ship of the line, and a frigate, sailed from Malaga, the 3d of this month, to cruize agaist the Algerines. Mr. d'Espilly appears every where, except at court.'

August 3. The following is the postscript of a letter from Ostend, dated July 25: We have this moment received an account from Bruges, that the lower class of people had rose, and stopt every person going in and coming out of that town, enquiring who they were for; and if they said for the Brabant states, they gave them cockades to wear, but if for the emperor, they used them very ill. Most of the Flemish people in this town would be as riotous as the rest, only there are almost as many English and other nations as themselves, which keeps them a little in awe.

HARWICH, July 30.

The two last packets have brought over a prodigious number of persons, some of them of rank and condition, from Holland, which looks as if the troubles in that country were far from being bro't to a crisis or conclusion. The Excellent, a new ship of 74 guns, mentioned in the London papers to have been launched, remains still on the stocks, but is expected to be launched shortly. A messenger is just now come down to go off by the next packet for Holland.

AMERICA.

NEW-YORK, September 27.

Extract of a letter from a gentleman at Montreal, to his friend in Albany, dated the 10th instant.

"Last Tuesday arrived here lord Dorchester, our governor in chief. His arrival has caused a deal of trouble to the army and militia—nothing but being under arms, reviews and firings going forward. On the evening of his lordship's arrival the city was illuminated.

"On the 8th instant, his royal highness prince William Henry arrived here, and will set out in a few days for Niagara Falls.

"As for other news I have none worth mentioning, except that the people here are turning *militia mad*—exercising every day, and regimentals are making as fast as possible, from 6 to 10l. per suit, Halifax currency."

TRENTON, September 25.

On Thursday last came on the public examination of the scholars in the academy in this place, in every part of which they acquitted themselves with reputation, and discovered not only their own industry and application, but the capacity and attention of their teachers. We cannot help expressing, in a particular manner, the satisfaction we felt at the improvements made in arithmetic and English grammar, in both of which the students were numerous, and stood a critical examination, allowed, by judges who were present, to exceed any thing they had ever seen; those in the languages, natural philosophy, astronomy and chronology, had the highest merit; and we cannot pass over the students in geography, especially the young ladies, of whom there was a large class, without particular expressions of approbation.

On Friday evening the young gentlemen exhibited specimens of public speaking, which made the hearts of their parents, guardians and instructors glow with pleasure.

On Monday, the 8th of October, the schools will open again.

PETERSBURG, Sept. 26.

Since our last, several most daring and villainous attempts have been made to break open a number of stores in this town. On Friday the villains found means to get into a lumber house of Mr. William Kellock's, and stole a considerable quantity of dry goods; they also got into a lumber house of Mr. Hector M'Neil's. It is hoped every citizen will interest himself to bring these robbers to justice, as no person's property is secure from so dangerous a combination which now infest this town.

Extract of a letter from Quebec.

"Numbers of emigrants are flocking to this colony; among them a *whole Scotch Parish*, with their *Parson*! They came in the ship M'Donald (steerage passengers) and consist of 520 persons."

We are informed that the state of Franklin has sent, or is to send, two deputies to Kentucky, to meet a convention of all the western settlement, for the purpose of consulting on proper measures respecting the navigation of the river Mississippi.

"*Hereditary passion*" *for a halter.*

A young woman was lately convicted at Paris of a trifling theft, barely within the law which decreed a capital punishment. There were circumstances too which greatly alleviated her fault—some things in her behaviour that seemed innocent and modest;—every spectator, as well as the judges, was affected at the scene, and she was advised to petition for a pardon, as there was no doubt it would be granted. "No," says she, "my grand father, father, and brother, were all hanged for stealing—it runs in the blood of our family, to steal and be hanged—if I am pardoned now, I shall steal again in a few months more inexcuseably; and therefore I will be hanged now."——This is a strange instance, to be sure, and cannot be very common: But something like it too often descends, in certain breeds, from generation to generation. Adams's Defence, &c.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 29.

On Thursday the brig Georgia Packet, captain Williams, arrived in 44 days from Bourdeaux—by whom we learn, that, though political affairs in Europe, for some time since, wore the strongest appearances of hostility, yet no fleet had sailed from any of the ports of France. Captain Williams left Bourdeaux about the 15th of August—the general opinion then was, that the unhappy disputes in the *United* Netherlands would be compromised by the mediating powers.

Three of the wheelbarrow-men, who lately escaped from their keeper, were a few days ago retaken by some country people on the Lancaster road. They were discovered in a barn, hiding under a parcel of hay, secured and brought to town. They had provided themselves each with a bridle, no doubt intending to procure horses the first *convenient* opportunity. Tom Knight, one of their companions, got off after he was discovered, being well mounted.

On Friday evening the 14th inst. a severe storm of wind, rain, thunder and lightning was felt in this city and different parts of the country. At Chesnut Hill several trees were struck, and an house slightly injured by lightning. A frame house and part of a new brick house in Fourth-street, near the play-house, were blown down, and other damage was sustained in different parts of the city.

We are informed that the lands in the Western Territory of the United States, lately sold at New-York, pursuant to advertisement for that purpose, brought, on an average, eighteen shillings and nine-pence per acre.—Some of them were struck off at six pounds per acre.

Three men lately received sentence of death at Burlington, having been found guilty of the murder of an old woman near that city, as mentioned in the newspapers some time since.

Extract of a letter from Brussels, July 19.

"The general assembly of states of all the Austrian Low Countries could not be held on Tuesday, the day appointed, as many of the members were still wanting; but the said assembly took place the next day before noon, at the town-house. The magistrates placed a guard of volunteers at every avenue, to prevent tumult and confusion, yet the concourse of people was very considerable.

"The issue of this assembly was, to name a deputation to be sent to Vienna, as the emperor desired. The states, although firm in their design of maintaining the ancient privileges of the country, intend nevertheless to yield to the emperor in every thing which does not directly tend to the violation of their rights, and to shew him in every respect, that there is nothing his majesty may not expect from their submission to him as their sovereign, except the renouncing the clauses of their mutual oath. In consequence of which this deputation will set off immediately for the capital of Austria.

"The fermentation is absolutely at its height; all the citizens are in arms to support their regencies; they have ordered 11,000 fusils to be purchased at Liege, for the county of Namur, and nothing can equal the animosity which shews itself in Hainault and Flanders."

On Friday morning early, the 21st instant, died of a wound he received by the discharge of a fowling piece, Mr. JOSEPH OGDEN, junior, of the Middle Ferry. The occasion of his death should be a warning to those who are in the use of fire arms. Mr. Ogden going out with a friend to shoot on the Schuylkill, one of the pieces accidentally went off, and its contents unfortunately lodged in Mr. Ogden's knee. He languished till the next morning.

SHIP NEWS.

On the 4th inst. arrived at Charleston, S. C. the ship Friendship, captain Causer, from Larne, with 200 passengers. Also arrived at Charleston, the Nancy, Hall, 13 weeks from London.

The Dispatch, Seed, and Rover, Morat, from Dublin; Ceres, Travers, and Essex and Samuel, Mitchell, from London; Mary, Robinson, from Antigua; Virginia and Boston Packet, Moffat, from Charleston, and Sally, Blake, from Gloucester, are arrived at Baltimore.

NAVAL-OFFICE, Sept. 20 to 27.

Inwards.

Ship Ann, Ramage	St. Petersburgh
Hope, Ayre	Cork
Polly, Williamson	Hull
Brig Kitty, Atkinson	Aux Cayes
Munton, M'Call	Antigua
Aurora, Rice	Cape Francois
Schooner Bess, Davis	St. Vincents
Hector, Field	Maryland
Tryal, Rogers	St. Thomas
Seaflower, Howland,	Dartmouth, N. E.
Fredericksburg Packet, Bangs	Virginia
Sloop Sally, Davidson	ditto
Venus, Morgan	ditto
Polly, Davenport	ditto
Dove, Curtis	Connecticut
Caroline, Conklin	Charleston
John, Evington	ditto
Industry, Rich	Boston
Friendship, Eldridge	North Carolina
Washington, Noram	ditto
Hannah, Oakford	Baltimore
New-York Packet, Bayley	New-York
Philadelphia Packet, Bird	ditto
Susan, Mills	New-London

Outwards.

Ship Charles, Pitt	West-Indies
Brig Lovely Betsey, Stiles	Hispaniola
Nancy and Fanny, Davis	Lisbon
Robert, Ashmead	Charleston
Philadelphia, Strong	ditto
John, Darby	Ireland
Schooner Amity, Watson	Virginia
Bess, Davis	St. Vincents
Sloop Liberty, Wainwright	Antigua
Newport Packet, Lawton	Rhode-Island

Cleared.

Brig Matty, Wade	Barbadoes
Sally, Bunker	St. Eustatia
Jenny, Griffing	Surinam
Schooner Ceres, Basden	Bermuda
Good Hope, Donaldson	North-Carolina
Eleanor, Burke	Virginia
Mary, Boyd	ditto
Sloop Little Betsey, Miner	ditto
Speedwell, Stoutsbury	ditto
Alcey, Paul	St. Eustatia
Molly, Gamble	ditto
Betsey, Williams	Connecticut
Friendship, Dagget	Boston
Suckey and Polly, Dunscomb	Dominica
Welcome Return, Place	ditto
Resolution, Connell	Egg-Harbour
Dove, Snow	Boston
Rebecca, Whitteman	ditto
Nancy, Newbold	North-Carolina
Providence, Arthur	New Providence
Maria, Welsh	Madeira
Philadelphia Packet, Price	New-York

*** The British ship MEDIATOR, Capt. Brougham, for London, will sail To-Morrow. Her letter bag will be taken from the Post-Office this evening.

The several Light Companies

attached to the Regiments of the City and Liberties will attend the monthly meeting on Monday next, the 1st of October, being the last parade for this season. Those companies which do not attend will lose their routine of position, as established. Sept. 25. dtf

Fayal Wines,

Landing at Sims's wharf;

IRISH LINENS,

Sheetings, Osnaburgs—For sale by

Ross & Vaughan.

September 29 4sp

For ANTIGUA,

The SLOOP HARRIET, Captain ROSS.

FOR freight or passage apply to

Sept. 29. 4sp ROSS & VAUGHAN.

For Sale or Charter,

The American Ship

FLORA.

Apply to MILLERS & EMLEN. Sept 28. 3eo

FOR SALE,

A Fine, stout, family Bay Horse: he is remarkable gentle, goes well in chair or saddle; he is 7 years old, and warranted sound, and will be sold cheap. To be seen at Mr. *Dennison's* stable, No. 1, Moravian alley.

To be Let on reasonable Terms,

THAT old noted TAVERN, known by the sign of the *White Swan*, the upper end of Third street, Philadelphia, with sufficient sheds and stabling for 16 horses; in good order, and an excellent place for a store. Enquire of *PETER GILL*, in Plumb street, Southwark. Sept 28 swf

FOR SALE,

THE noted Tavern, sign of the Crooked-Billet, pleasantly situated in Pittsgrove, Salem county, state of New Jersey, on the stage road leading from Cooper's ferry to Bridgetown in Cumberland county, containing 6 acres of land fenced into small lots, and between 4 and 5 acres of woodland adjacent thereto. There are on the premises, a good frame house with two rooms on a floor, a good cedar log kitchen, and cellar, the whole well finished, also a frame barn and stables, with a shed, a young bearing apple and peach orchard, with sundry other fruit trees, and about one acre thereof is mowing meadow; the whole in good tenantable repair, and suitable for any kind of business. For terms apply to *Stephen Collins*, merchant, in Second street, opposite the Cathedral church, Philadelphia, or to the subscriber, living on the premises. Sept 28 3teo

JOHN SHARP.

Sixpence Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, on Wednesday the 19th instant, an Apprentice Lad, named David Buchanan, about 20 years of age, dark complexion and short hair; had on when he went away, a yellow stripped coattee, and trowsers of the same, other apparel not known. Whoever takes up said apprentice, and delivers him to his master, shall be intitled to the above reward. THOMAS CARSTAIRS.

Philadelphia, Sept. 24.

Philip Nicklin

Has removed from his warehouse in Front, near Arch street, to the west side of Front, near Chesnut-street; where he has for sale, on the lowest terms, (imported in the Pigou from London, Polly from Hull, and John from Liverpool) a general

Assortment of Goods,

Suited to the present and approaching season, in which are contained

SUperfine, second and common broad cloths	Plain, striped and checked muslins
6-4, 7 4 and 8-4 beaver coatings and duffles	Book ditto and needle worked aprons
Yorkshire plains and blue half-thicks	Black and white silk and thread gauzes
6 4. 7-4. 8 4. 9-4 and 10-4 rose blankets	French and Scotch clear lawns and cambrics
Stripped duffil ditto	Checked, striped and needle worked lawns
Tufted ruggs & coverlets	Huckaback and diaper tabling
Scarlet and dove-coloured cloth and nap cloaks	Damask ditto in sets and 9-8 clouting diaper
Cloaking cloths of different breadths & shades	Ladies black and coloured beaver riding hats
Striped linseys	Mens and boys castor and felt ditto
Joan's spinnings and durants	Mens fine and coarse shoes
Plain and striped wildbore camblets	Womens stuff and childrens Morocco ditto
Camblettees, rattinets and shalloons	Tapes, bindings, gartering and shirt buttons
Moreens, callimancoes & tammies	Pins No. 4, 4 1-2, 5 and 12
Lastings, sattinets and moncriefs	Sewing silk and twist
Plain and printed velverets	Scotch oz. and coloured threads
Honeycombs & corduroys	A large assortment of the most fashionable gilt & plated buttons
Lasting ribs & stockinets	Death head and basket do
Checks and striped hollands	An elegant and extensive assortment of the most fashionable jewelry and plated ware
Striped ticken and bed bunts	Morocco pocket books
Low priced Irish linens	Steel & gilt watch chains
Yard wide brown ditto	Gilt and gold trinkets
3 4 and 7-8 British shirtings	Pistols and fowling pieces
9-8 white and brown sheetings	Hand and hunting whips
German dowlas & brown silesias	Saddles
British osnaburgs	Sadlery assorted and spurs
White and brown buckrams	Harness for one or a pair of horses, with brass or plated furniture
Mens grey and marble, plain and ribbed worsted hose	Ironmongery and cutlery, very generally assorted, among which are
Youths and boys ditto	Brass case, iron, rim and stock locks
Mens yarn ditto	Cupboard and chest ditto
Women's blue worsted do	Hinges, gimblets, screws and hammers
—— Cotton & silk ditto	Steelyards, files and rasps
Black and coloured worsted mitts	Virginia hoes, broad and narrow, in casks
Womens black and coloured silk gloves and mitts	Spades and shovels
A general assortment of black laces	Saw-mill saws and others of various kinds
Lace cap cawls and lappeting	Edge tools assorted, in casks
1-2 ell, 3-4 and yard wide black modes and sattins	Sad irons, vices and bick irons
Rich 1-2 ell black florentines	Barlow and other pen-knives, and cutlery in general
Sattin, persian and durant quilts	Elegant square and bow front grates, with furniture compleat
A great variety of printed cottons, callicoes and chintzes	Iron chests and anchors
Rich morea gowns	Queens ware, in hogsheads and crates
Cotton and linen handkerchiefs	Pewter assorted, in casks
Black, drab, white and fancy silk ditto	
Bordered muslin & kenting ditto	

N. B. Also for sale, Burlington pork, ginsang, butter in firkins and London bottled porter. mwstf

TO BE SOLD BY

Pickering & Hodgdon,

At their STORE on Mifflin's Wharf,

OLD Madeira wine in pipes and half pipes, Port wine in hogsheads, Antigua rum, Muscovado sugars in hogsheads and barrels, congo tea in small chests, a few boxes of blue and white Nankeen china, containing compleat dining setts, cotton in bags, gin in cases, spermaceti candles in small boxes, New-England soal leather, and spirits of turpentine and varnish in barrels, Sept. 28 w&s3w

Watches and Clocks

Made & carefully repaired—Also, all kinds of Work in

Gold, Silver and Jewellery,

Done in the neatest manner, and at the lowest prices,

By *John Carrell,*

In Front street, six doors below Market street.

He has for Sale,

GOLD, silver and pinchbeck watches	sizes
Patent second and day of the month ditto	Buckle chapes by the doz. or pair
Eight day and 30 hour clocks	Plated bitts, stirrups and spurs
Cast clock, brass forged, iron and slit pinions	Silver mounted swords and belts
Watch main springs, pendants, glasses, keys, chains, &c.	Ladies and gentlemens pocket books
Black lead crucibles of all	Penknives, plated buckles, &c. &c.

A small Invoice of Clock and Watchmakers tools and Files to be sold very low.

Any person wanting a Watch of any quality or description, may be furnished at as low a price as he could purchase it in England. Sept 28 s&w3w

This Day is Printed and Published, by

ROBERT AITKEN,

And sold by him in Market street, and *THOMAS DOBSON*, in Second street near Chesnut street,

Brief ANIMADVERSIONS on the

Doctrine of Universal Salvation:

In which it is proved to be utterly repugnant to the principles of moral government, and inconsistent with the Word of God.

To which is added,

The connexion stated betwen civil government and religon.——*Price* 1s3.

Likewise, just Published, and sold by said AITKEN *and* DOBSON,

The CONFLAGRATION:

A POEM ON THE *LAST DAY*, in *Four Parts.*

By the Rev. *Benjamin Francis* ——Price 1s6.

Likewise, just Published, and sold by *Aitken, Prichard, Seddon,* and *Jesse Waterman,* Booksellers—Price 5s. neatly bound—A

Compendious History of the World,

From the creation to the dissolution of the Roman republic—2 vols. embellished with a variety of copperplates. Sept 28 6t1aw

Three Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber, living in Middletown township, Chester county, on the night of the 26th instant, a short thickset Irish servant GIRL, named Margaret Jones, about 18 or 19 years of age, broad faced, light brown hair, held up by a pewter and wire comb: had on and took with her a black silk plain pasteboard bonnet, several red and white handkerchiefs, a blue and white striped bed-gown, one ditto of brown flannel, one blue and red worsted long gown, one blue and brown drugget petticoat, one ditto striped blue and brown linsey petticoat, two new check aprons, one pair of white thread stockings and calf-skin shoes. It is likely she went away in company with a man. Whoever takes up and secures said servant, so that her master may have her again, shall have the above reward, and reasonable charges, paid by

9 mo. 28. 1aw3 ABRAHAM PENNELL.

Thomas Orr & Co.

At their store the east side of Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, have for sale, a variety of

Linen and Cotton Goods,

Suitable for town and country—Among which are the following, viz.

BROWN and white oznaburgs
Strong shirting and sheeting, and fine linens
Cotton checks
Printed linen handkerchiefs of various patterns and qualities
Ditto cotton ditto ditto
Silk and cotton ditto
Lawn ditto
4-4, 9-8 and 5-4 shawls
Printed cottons, chintzes and linens
Copperplate furnitures neat and newest patterns
Muslin handkerchiefs 4 4, 9-8 and 5 4, plain and tamboured
Ditto aprons, plain, tucked, checked, spotted and figured
Cossea, jaconet, striped and cross-barred muslins, 4-4, 5 4 and 6-4, &c. &c. &c.

Sept 26 2tw mws4w

John M'Elwee,

PAINTER AND GLAZIER,

INFORMS his Friends and the Public, that he has removed to the store lately occupied by Messrs. Bache & Shee, on the west side of Front, the 5th door south of Chesnut street, where he has for sale on the lowest terms——

WINDOW GLASS

of every size from 9 inches by 7 to 28 by 22 inches; likewise, Linseed Oil, Painters Colours, Varnish, Rosin, Spirits of Turpentine, &c. &c. His utmost abilities will be exerted to merit a continuance of the very great encouragement he has received since his commencement in business. Philad. Aug. 25 s&wtf

Andrew Clow and *Co.*

The Corner of Front and Chesnut streets, have Imported in the ships Harmony and Pigou, from London, and other late Vessels from Europe, and are now selling on exceedingly low terms for cash or short credit, a fine Assortment of

Seasonable Dry Goods:

CONSISTING of printed calicoes and chintzes, modes, sattins and persians, black and coloured Barcelonia silk handkerchiefs, and India Bandano dit. velverets, corduroys and thicksets, printed velverets, superfine and common broad and narrow cloths and coatings, calimancoes, moreens and durants, Scotch white shirting linens and sheetings, Scotch white and coloured threads, *a compleat assortment of gauzes*, black and white laces and edgings, cotton and worsted hosiery, &c. &c. Sept. 20 d

WHEREAS *Samuel Caldwell*, surviving Partner of *Mease & Caldwell*, has made an assignment of his own, as well as all the estates, both real and personal, of the said Partnership, to *Robert Millegan*, esq; attorney at law, and the subscriber, for the use of their creditors.——All persons indebted to the said Partnership, or to *Samuel Caldwell*, by bond, note, or book debt, are desired to settle their respective balances on or before the 1st of October next, otherwise suits will be commenced against them without further notice: also, those who have any demands against the said Partnership, are requested to furnish their accounts to the subscriber in Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets.

JAMES MILLER, Acting Assignee to *Mease & Caldwell.*

Philadelphia, August 22, 1787. 3taw1stO

On *DEFAMATION.*

MY soul, what pen can draw, what tongue explain
The baseness of that mind—prone to defame;
The baseness of that tongue, which loves to dwell
On characters—and blow the fire of hell;
With breath malign—fair reputation spot,
And throw at purest innocence a blot.

ANECDOTE.

WHEN General Boyd was in Gibraltar, he wrote an order to his agent, whose name was Brown, for a quantity of garrison stores; but in his haste forgot an order for his own private stores, until the letter was sealed, and the vessel which was to carry it on the point of sailing; when he wrote on the outside of the letter the following laconic order, '*Brown, Beef, Boyd.*' The agent understood the purport, obeyed the order, and with his consignment sent a *private letter* to the general with his own words transposed as follows, *Boyd, Beef, Brown.*'

On Monday Next,

The 1st October—At the

Northern-Liberty Auction Store,

Precisely at 9 o'clock in the Morning,

Will begin the Sale of a Large and General

Assortment of Merchandize.

The stated Days of Sale are *Mondays* and *Fridays.*

Houshold and Kitchen Furniture,

and other out door Goods, will be received and sold every *Monday Morning*, and at no other time. Sept. 29

C. Febiger & Co. Auctioneers.

Just PUBLISHED *and to be* SOLD *by*

William Prichard,

At his Book-Store and Circulating Library, in Market-street, the ninth door from the Coffee-house, and midway between Front and Second-streets,

THE young gentleman and lady's monitor, or the teacher's assistant, being a collection of select pieces from the best modern writers, by Hamilton Moore. Price 5s.

The Algerine spy in Pennsylvania. A new work, of great entertainment and information. Price bound and lettered, 3 9.

The letters of the celebrated Junius, 2 vols, 12/6.

Capt. Cook's last voyage, with plates, 3 vols 40s.

Adam Smith's inquiry into the nature and causes of the wealth of nations, 3 vols. elegantly bound. Price 45s.

Scott's lessons in elocution, last edition. Price 6s.

Hart's Baptist hymns. Price 3/9.

Also just imported by said PRICHARD in the Harmony from London, and the Dublin Packet, an universal collection of Modern Books in all arts and sciences, viz. law, medical, divinity, history, memoirs, voyages, new novels, magazines &c &c. stationary, jewelry, cutlery, prints, musical instruments and music.

A catalogue of the new books, &c. will be published in a few days

Thomas Mackie & Co.

Have just Imported in the schooner Fox, Joseph Lowrey, master, from Kingston, Jamaica,

JAMAICA spirits in porter hogsheads and casks; Coffee in barrels of a superior quality; Limes and Cocoa-Nutts. Sept 7 d

Emanuel Walker & Co.

Have removed their Store to the east side of Front street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets, and nearly opposite to Gray's Alley,

Where they have for *Sale,*

Just Imported in the ship Harmony, captain Willet, from London, an Assortment of Goods suitable to the season, and which will be sold by the Package, or in Quantities, *Cheap for Cash*—Among which are the following articles, viz

COATINGS, duffils and bearskins	Sewing silks
Fearnoughts & halfthicks	Womens fine sattin and purple gloves
Yorkshire cloths	Mens beaver gloves
Green and white milled baizes	Lisle thread
Kendall cottons	Hat and bonnet wire
Scots carpets	Scots camblets
Duffil blankets	Tammies, durants and calimancoes
Shetland & Sanguhar hose	Lastings, sattinets and Moncriefs
Womens durant and calimanco petticoats	Corduroys and thicksets
Buff cassimer	Yellow, pink and crimson moreens
Toilanet and wiltonet for winter jackets	Taberets and tabereens
Cottons, calicoes & chintzes	Womens scarlet and stone coloured cardinals
Copperplate furniture of the newest patterns	Plain and striped lawns
Irish linens, low priced	Needle worked lawn aprons
Printed linen handkerchiefs	Crape, cyprus and nett gauzes
Shawls	Plain and fashionable buttons
Russia sheetings	Ribbons of the newest and most fashionable patterns
Scots oznabrigs	Mens fine and coarse hats
Black and coloured India persians	Bed bunts
Chocolate and flowered bandannoes	Cotton counterpanes
Modes and sattins	Spanish & striped gingham
Persians and sarsnets	Cossac, checked and book muslin
Silk serge for linings	
Black and coloured silk handkerchiefs	

Sept. 22 d

A FEW TONS OF

Choice Braziletto,

Nicaragua Wood & Fustick

FOR SALE BY

ep *Ben. Mason.*

Imported in the ship Dublin Packet, just arrived from Dublin, and to be SOLD by

Conyngham, Nesbitt & Co.

At their Store in Front-street, below Walnut street.

YARD and 7-8 wide white Irish linens, brown 9-8 sheetings and Drogheda linens

They have also for SALE

Printed cottons and linens, chintzes, 7-4, 8 4 and 9-4 diapers, fine tablecloths and napkins in sets; with sundry other dry goods. Also fine old Madeira Wines, Claret in boxes, old Coniac Brandy, and a few fresh Nutmegs——all which they will sell on the most reasonable terms.

Sept. 26. 3ws

Philadelphia, September 24, 1787.

RETAILERS and others who are indebted for Excise, are requested to be punctual in discharging the same on or before the 10th of October next, as no further indulgence can or will be given, but execution issue against each and every delinquent, after that time.

3taw *Edward Bartholomew*, Collector.

American Porter

TO BE SOLD BY

Hare and Twells,

IN casks at 40s per barrel, and in bottles at 11s 3d per dozen (bottles included.)

Likewise OAT ALE, at the different prices of 35s and 25s per barrel in casks, and 8s 4d and 7s per doz. in bottles.

N. B. The bottles are received again at 3s per dozen.
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Low priced 7-8 and yard wide Irish

linens; crates containing compleat setts of green marine edged dishes, flat and soup plates, tureens with stands and spoons, sauce tureens, baking and sallad dishes, mugs, &c. crates containing different kinds of Liverpool ware;

No. 1 to 7 English Sail Canvas,

Fine white Liverpool Salt, old Holland Gin in cases,

TO BE SOLD BY

Stewart and *Nesbitt*.

September 5 d

Now Landing at Race street wharf,

The CARGO of the ship Ann, captain Ramage, from St. Petersburg—Consisting of,

HEMP

Cables, from 7 to 11 inches
Cordage, assorted   Ravens duck
Russia sheeting—*And for sale by*

Haynes and *Crawford*,

Who have to dispose of,

Antigua rum and sugar
Irish linens
Irish beef
Cork sail cloth
Claret in cases of two and a half dozen, &c.

September 19 d

Knox & Henderson

Have just received by the ship *Success*, from Liverpool,
A Large and Elegant Assortment of Printed

Cottons, Calicoes and Chintzes,

All of the newest fashion, printed linen handkerchiefs black and changeable silk ditto, black modes, morea gown patterns, 7 8, 4-4, and yard and 3-8 cotton checks, corduroys, velverets, womens cotton stockings of all prices, &c. &c. &c. which they will *sell low for Cash*, at their Store in Front street.

Also, a quantity of best Halifax BEAVER.

Philadelphia, *September* 1. dtf

Just arrived in sundry Vessels, and

FOR SALE BY

Willing, Morris & Swanwick,

At their *STORES* in Penn-street,

MADEIRA, Lisbon, Malaga, and Teneriffe Wines in large and small casks
Oil and Holland proof brandy in ditto
Catalonia red and white wine in ditto
Jamaica and Windward Island rum
Fresh raisins in kegs and jars
Hyson tea in quarter chests
China and queens ware in boxes and crates
A large and beautiful assortment of light and dark French chintzes
With a Variety of other DRY GOODS, suitable to the present and approaching season. dtf

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Imported in the Brig Francisca,

Capt. Power, from LISBON, and landing this day at Sims's Wharf, below the Drawbridge,

A CARGO OF

Salt, Wine and Lemons,

FOR SALE BY

Joyce Brothers & J. Palyart,

Who have likewise for sale, at their stores,

PORT WINE,

in pipes, hogsheads and quartercasks, of a superior quality, shipped by the Royal Port Company: also,

LONDON PARTICULAR

Madeira and Fayal Wines,

With a few CHESTS of best

Hyson and Souchong TEAS.

August 22. eptf

Duncan Ingraham, jun.

Has just Received by the Harmony, capt. Willet, from London, a small parcel of

G O O D S,

Which he will sell very low for cash—they consist of
Red, green and white drapery Baizes
Flannel Baizes
Six quarter Colchester ditto
Mens, womens and childrens cotton Hose
Mens worsted Hose, some very fine
Ditto silk ditto
Yard wide Irish Linens, &c. &c. etf

Just Arrived,

And Landing at Hamilton's Wharf, from the brig Munton, Capt. Alex. M'Call, a quantity of

High Proof Antigua Rum,

Muscovado Sugars,

And a large Parcel of KING's JUNK, Which will be sold low for cash on said Wharf. Apply to the subscribers, or the captain on board.

Knox and Henderson.

Sept. 27. etf

Hewes & Anthony

Have for sale at their store on Chesnut street wharf,

A CARGO of Hispaniola Molasses,

New-England rum, lamp oil, best Boston Bay mackrel, codfish spermacæti candles, chocolate in boxes excellent old Batavia arrack and arrack shrub, New England beef and Borlington pork, a few barrels of shad and herrings, a quantity of seasoned mahogany, and a few tons of chipped logwood, &c. &c.

They have also for Sale or Charter,

A very fine SLOOP,

That will carry between 6 and 700 barrels.

Philadelphia, August 23. dtf

TO BE SOLD,

THE time of a Dutch Servant GIRL who has two years and 4 months to serve: she is a hearty, strong, industrious girl, and would suit for either town or country: she is sold for no fault but want of employ. Enquire of the Printers.

August 30 eotf

Patrick Duffey,

B R O K E R,

Respectfully informs the Public, that he has REMOVED his OFFICE to the fourth Door below Third, in Chesnut street, where he continues to PURCHASE and SELL,

Certificates for the Land-Office,

With every other Species of Paper Securities now in Circulation;

Dollar Money,

STATE MONEY of the Emission of 1781, &c. &c.
And has also provided himself with

S T O R E S

To receive Merchandize, which he will sell for those who please to employ him, to the best advantage, at a moderate Commission, and will endeavour to the best of his abilities, to give general Satisfaction.

He flatters himself that an Attention to the Interest of those for whom he has been heretofore concerned, will give him some Claim to their future Confidence.

Money procured on Loan,

On approved Security, and the greatest Secrecy and Delicasy observed in the Negociation of any Business committed to his Charge. August 7 w&stf

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Kitefoot Tobacco,

Of a very excellent Quality,

FOR SALE BY

Thomas Leiper, Tobacconist,

In Water street, the seventh door above Market street,

Also, as Usual,

SCOTCH SNUFF,

Rappee, Pigtail, Plug, and Cut

T O B A C C O,

From 16d per pound to 6d. Sept 6 3tawtf

Nixon and Foster

Have for SALE a Parcel of

Muscovado Sugars

Of the first and second Quality, which they will dispose of on reasonable terms for cash or short credit.

September 19. e66w

Barclay, Brown, and Co.

Have imported in the last vessels from Ireland, and by the ship Harmony from London, and to be sold on the most reasonable terms, at their store in Water-street, three doors above Pine-street,

YARD-wide Irish Linen, assorted
Brown, half white and full bleached 7-8 wide ditto
A very elegant assortment of chintzes, printed muslins and lawns, and printed handkerchiefs, in small trunks, which will be sold by the trunk on very low terms.

They have also for Sale

Antigua rum
Sherry and Malaga wine
Pewter assorted in casks—and a variety of other goods

Philadelphia, September 18. 3awtf

John M. Huron,

In Water street, eight doors above Market street, has for sale,

A LARGE and beautiful assortment of French calicoes and chintzes, dark, purple and chocolate ground
Black modes, mantuas and sarsnet
Hair and persian ribbons
With a parcel of excellent green Coffee in barrels

Sept. 22 3taw4w

Imported in the ship Pigou, captain

Sutton, from London, by

Peter W. Gallaudet,

Now opening for sale at his store in Second street, 2d door below Chesnut street,

A Variety of seasonable Goods, *viz.*

ROSE blankets assorted
Spotted and green rugs
Striped blanketing
Blue and red duffils
Kerseys & kendle cottons
Broad and narrow cloths
Rattinets and shalloons
White and brown buckrams
A variety of printed cottons
Calicoes and chintzes
Printed linen handkerchiefs
Black and coloured silk dit
Furniture cottons with fringe, tassels and line
Bed bunts & fine tickens
Counterpanes and Marseilles bed quilts
Moreens, durants and jeans
Black, dark blue, bottle green & drab coloured super. cloths } retail
Sattinets and florentines
Scotch & coloured threads
Light, cloth coloured and black sewing silks, a large assortment, at low prices
Skeleton and lb. cap wire
Cotton checks
Chinnese ribbons
Mens beaver gloves
Womens leather and silk gloves and mitts
Sattins and modes
Glossey cypress French net, crape and striped gauzes

Also, for Sale,

A few casks sheathing nails
Maxwell's Scotch snuff in kegs, bladders and bottles
A large, fine toned harpsichord, neatly finished
Scotch carpets of most sizes, &c. &c. Sept 12 3tf

FOR SALE AT

Jeremiah Warder, Parker, & Co's

S T O R E,

In Third street, opposite Church alley—A fresh Assortment of

Muslins, Teas, Pepper and

TURKY COFFEE;

A Great Variety of DRY GOODS & HARDWARE,

Copper in Sheets and Bottoms;

China, Glass, and Queen Ware; Madeira, Lisbon, Port, Calcavella and Western Island Wines; Pickles, Matts, Corks, Salt, Soal, Gunpowder, Burr and Cologn Mill-Stones, Chalk, Whiting, Painters' Colours; &c. &c. May 28. 3tawtf,

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TO BE SOLD,

A FARM in the Northern-Liberties, midway between Germantown and Frankort, consisting of 150 acres of Land, on which is a arge and commodious dwelling house 50 feet front, with a stone spring house, coach house, stables, &c. 40 acres of excellent orchard, and a well laid out garden with choice fruit; the estate of the late *Thomas Lawrence*, esq; deceased, known by the name of *Cler Mont*. Any person inclining to purchase, may know the terms by applying to Mr. *THOMAS FORREST*, *Broker*, in Market street, near Fourth street, who will at any time shew the premises, and also give a more particular description of them. July 30 eotf

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Robert Bass,

HAS this day imported in the Harmony, Captain Willet, from London, a small Case of pure, genuine

Red Peruvian Bark.

He will receive by the next vessel from London, a full supply of fresh Drugs, Medicines, and Shop Furniture, to compleat his assortment till next spring.

Sept. 18 eotf

A large variety of plain mahogany and ornamental frame

LOOKING GLASSES,

Of all sizes, just arrived in the Harmony from London, and for SALE at

John and James Oldden's

Store in Second-street, opposite Black Horse Alley, Who have likewise on hand

SCOTS Carpets of every dimension

1-2, 3-4 and yard-wide carpeting
Tin in boxes N° 1 and 2
Red lead, white lead ground in oil
Russia sheetings, powder, &c.
Together with a general assortment of other goods, calculated for the approaching season

September 18. thsw

Sellers's American made Trunks.

ARE SOLD BY

John & James Oldden,

A N D

WILLIAM ZANE,

In Second, between Market and Chesnut streets, and near Black-Horse alley,

WHERE, at all times, a capital assortment of the most elegant sealskin, hair, and black leather portmantua and other travelling trunks, of all dimensions, may be obtained for the complete accommodation of the Public—Possessing every advantage in procuring materials and conducting their factory, they flatter themselves with being able to vend the various preceding articles on terms more favourable than any other person in this country. estf

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Robertson & Smith

Have just Received per the Harmony and Pigou, from London, and Polly, capt. Williamson, from Hull, A General Assortment of Seasonable

G O O D S,

Consisting of

SUPERFINE & second cloths
Hunters ditto
Plains, fearnoughts
Coatings, bearskins
Kendle cottons
Rose and striped blankets
Red, green & white baizes
Flannels
Carpets and carpeting
An assortment of mens, womens and childrens worsted and cotton hose
Assortment of printed calicoes and chintzes
Coloured and black Barcelona handkerchiefs
Printed linen ditto
White and brown Russia and Irish sheetings
Diapers
Dowlasses
Florentines
Sattinets
Joans
Durants
Tammies
Calimancoes
Camblets
Bird ey'd stuffs
Dorsettees, &c. &c.

All which they will sell very low for cash, or a short credit, at their store in Front-street, next door to the corner of Black Horse alley. 3aw4w

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William Caldwell & Co.

At their store, the south side of Market-street wharf, Lately occupied by Mr. Paul Beck, jun.

Have just Opened a Large Assortment of

GROCERIES,

WHOLESALE and RETAIL,

Consisting of a variety of Wines, Spirits, Rum, Brandy, Teas, Coffee, Chocolate, Cotton, Dying Stuffs, &c &c &c.

As they are determined to keep up a General Assortment of the best Goods of every kind, suitable for country storekeepers, as well as for private families, and to sell on very moderate terms, they hope to merit the encouragement of the Public.

Philadelphia, *Sept.* 4, 1787. mwf 1m

Rundle & Murgatroyd,

(Water street, just above Market street)
Have received for sale by the Harmony from London, and other late Arrivals,

RUSSIA, Scotch and Irish sheetings
Irish linens, low priced
Raven ducks, ticklenburgs
Silesias, lace edgings
Elegant pier glasses
Whiting, chalk, & excellent London bottled porter

Also, an Invoice, consisting of lustereens, moreens, durants, poplins, camblets, &c. to be sold at a very low advance.

Likewise, high proof Grenada rum, and best Burlington pork. September 17 mwf

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Lately Imported, and for sale by

Wooddrop & Joseph Sims,

FIRST and second quality St. Croix sugars in hogsheads, tierces and barrels; sweet oil in baskets of a superior quality; liquers, ratifia, and best double distilled lavender water in cases, Cork canvas, &c. &c.

To be Rented—That commodious Stack of Stores now occupied by *Robert Lewis & Sons*, on the north side the subscribers' alley, with the wharf in front; also, a convenient three story Dwelling in good repair, next door but one to the subscriber'—*And to be sold*, A House and Lot of Ground of about four acres, in Bowman's lane, half a mile from Germantown. A credit will be given for the purchase money. Apply to W. and J. Sims. September 8 w&stf.

EXCELLENT

Bourdeaux Claret,

In Cases of Three Dozen each, of the Vintage 1774.
Ditto in Hogsheads.

Lisbon Wine in Quarter Casks;

Copper Kettles, just arrived, and for Sale by

Ross and Vaughan.

August 22. etf

Isaac Hazlehurst & Co.

(In Water-street, between Chesnut and Walnut streets)

HAVE for SALE

The Following

G O O D S;

Most of which have been imported in the latest vessels from the different and most advantageous ports of exportation for the respective articles.—

FRENCH Brandy four years old, in pipes
Bourdeaux claret in cases of superior quality } all genuine and good of their kind.
Ditto 2d ditto
Ditto inferior do
Zant currants in barrels
Cocoa
Chocolate in boxes
Hyson, Green, Souchng, Bloom, Binglo, Bohea } TEAS
Red lead in kegs of 1cwt each
Sheet copper from 12 to 20 lb per sheet
Ditto fit for sheathing a vessel of 250 tons
Rudder materials, nails, &c. for ditto
Iron and brass wire of different sizes
Brass kettles in nests, English and Dutch
Bristol window glass 8 by 10
A small assortment German patent medicines, put up at the Orphan House, at Halle in Saxony
German school books of different sorts
Ditto glass tumblers assort.
German looking glasses of various sizes
Nuremberg toys for children
Best Dutch rappee & Weston's snuff
Table setts of china and china plates
Boxes of English glass ware assorted fit for country stores
Ditto tumblers, pint and half pint
German steel
German scythes, 8, 9 and 10 hands
Whetstones
Frying pans
Shovels and spades
Pipes in boxes and kegs, long and short
Crates queens ware with green and blue edges
Glass pint cannisters with screws
English and French sail cloth
Pit saws of different sizes
A new copper still, head and neck, fit for a still of 8 or 900 gallons, will be sold cheap
A ship's longboat 27 feet
Black and Seneca snake root
Womens London shoes in trunks—

Together with a large and general assortment of

EUROPEAN GOODS,

In their original packages, and opened as may best suit the purchasers; they are well adapted to the season, and will be sold on low terms for cash, or at the customary credit.

They have also for sale the following Articles, manufactured at Delaware Works, which they continue to dispose of on the lowest terms for cash:

Nail rods of different sizes
Nails, 10d, 12d, and 20d
Flooring brads, 12d and 20d
Deck and sheathing nails
Scythes
Shovels and spades
Phæton and chair tire

They have also on hand a quantity of large sap pine Scantling, which they will sell at a reasonable price.

N. B. They continue to buy good barr iron 2 1-2 inches broad, and 1-2 inch thick, well drawn and free from fag ends. August 18. f&w tf

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Philadelphia, September 1, 1787.

THE Partnership of *Footman & Shippen* being this day dissolved: all persons indebted to them are earnestly requested to make immediate payment

The remaining Stock on

Hand of said Partnership, consisting of the following *ARTICLES*, lately Imported from the different Manufactories, will be disposed of on advantageous terms, for Cash, Paper Money of the last Emission, or upon a short Credit, viz.

SUPERFINE broadcloths of the first quality
Middling and low priced broadcloths
7-4 and 8-4 bath coatings
Fine forrest cloths
Blue and drab linsies
Striped cotton linsies and German stripes
Embossed serges
Plain and spotted swanskins
Blue and red halfthicks
White kersies and fearnoughts
Printed linsies, blue, green and red
Diaper coverlets and bed quilts
Twilled blankets
Castor and beaver hats
Superfine cassimers
Mens and womens worsted hose
Mens patent ribbed ditto
Childrens spotted hose
Mens white and brown thread hose
Plain and printed jeanets
Striped demascus and tabbies
Bed bunts
India bengals
Mourning and Italian crapes
Coloured lamb mitts
Check and printed handkerchiefs
Cotton shawls
Fringed silk handkerchiefs
A large assortment of printed cottons, calicoes and chintzes
Furniture calicoes & cottons
Fine and coarse catgut
Flowered bordered kenting handkerchiefs
Needle work ditto
Needle work lawn aprons
Checked, spotted & striped lawns
Yard wide and 7-8 clear lawns
Holland whited long lawns
Plain and soufflee gauzes
Black taffity and persians
Blue and rose coloured sarsnets
White and pink sattins
Rich black armozeens
White and puse coloured mantuas
Marseilles quilting
Russia drilling
Cotton counterpanes
9-8 and 5-4 blue cotton stripes
Womens black silk velvet
Long pile mohair plushes

A Variety of Stuffs, viz.

Dorsettees, moreens, calimancoes, durants and tammies, most colours
Superfine camblets, hairbines, shalloons & rattinets
Yard wide crapes
Corduroys and thicksetts
Scotch & coloured threads
Gartering & quality binding
Nonsoprettics, tapes and bobbins
Pins and needles
4d and 6d ferrets
White stitching threads
Worsted mitts
Womens black silk gloves
Coloured fans
Chinese ribbons
Campaign and death head buttons
Scarf and mohair twist
Genteel pocket books
Black and white edging
Hanover lace
Dutch looking glasses
Girandoles, gold frames
Japanned waiters & bread baskets
Japanned bottle stands
Womens ticking stays
Elegant persian carpets
Hoses shoes

Cutlery and Hardware, viz.

Steel and plated spurs
Snuff and tobacco boxes
Scissars and shears
Shoebuckles, common and plated
Knives and forks
Cutteau and pistol capt knives
Childrens plain & spotted knives
Silver and brass links
Corkscrews, spectacles combs
Shovels and tongs
Steelyard
H hinges
Tin, iron and japanned candlesticks
Frying pans
Long pipes in boxes
Pewter by the cask
Elegant tea urns, &c. &c.

Sept 4 f&w3m

WANTS a Place as House-Keeper in a reputable family, a Young Woman who can be well recommended. Enquire of the Printers. Sept. 22

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